

MUHIMBILI UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH AND ALLIED SCIENCES



SHORT COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT **ADVANCED QUALITATIVE RESEARCH COURSE**

Advanced Qualitative Research Course

The use of qualitative research in health care enables researchers to answer questions that may not be easily answered by quantitative methods. However, for qualitative research to have scientific merit researchers need to be able to design advanced qualitative studies, conduct rigorous analysis of qualitative data, appraise and critic qualitative studies.

The Directorate of Research and Publication MUHAS, is organizing the Advanced Qualitative Research course will be held from **14th – 18th June 2021**.

This course will provide researchers with a thorough understanding of its theoretical basis, methodology and evaluation techniques for qualitative research.

Aims and Content

This course aims to provide hands-on, in-depth and advanced training for specific methodologies of qualitative data collection, analytic techniques and research design issues. The participants will be able to analyze and deal with complex issues associated with qualitative research.

Expected Course Outcomes

At the end of this course, participants are expected to be able to:

1. Demonstrate application of appropriate qualitative research approaches in line with research problem at hand
2. Explain ethical issues in qualitative research
3. Demonstrate mastery of grounded theory in qualitative data analysis
4. Use NViVO computer software for managing qualitative data
5. Critique qualitative research works

Scope

The duration of the course corresponds to five (5) days full-time study, comprising of Lectures, group presentations/discussions, practical group work, case studies and concluding with an individual evaluation.

Eligibility / Who should attend?

Applicants must be either of the following:

PhD students, Master's students, academicians, or anyone with a bachelor degree in a health-related field, who has a basic knowledge in qualitative research and they are planning to conduct a qualitative study.

Required minimum qualifications of the participants

1. A minimum requirement is a bachelor degree in health-related fields.
2. Written and spoken English

Documents to be submitted:

1. Filled Application form in the link below:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeB4vzqyJATHF2RXwbkKwXzRdQcEn0RdVo_eI6-uKblDPamdg/viewform?usp=sf_link
2. CV

Course fee

A course fee of 300,000 TZS or 150 USD will be charged for Non- Tanzanians and non-MUHAS-affiliated applicants.

The course fee covers; Tuition fee, course materials and certificate

Number of course participants

We have limited number of spaces (30 participants allowed)

Methods of instruction

Lectures, group presentations/discussions, practical group work and case studies.

Award

Participants will be awarded a certificate of competence and attendance and Continuing Education (CE) Credits.

Application

All applications should be made through:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeB4vzqyJATHF2RXwbkKwXzRdQcEn0RdVo_eI6-uKblDPamdg/viewform?usp=sf_link

In case of any queries do not hesitate to contact the office of DRP MUHAS through alexandererick104@gmail.com Dr. Erick Mboya and copy the course leader Dr. Gladys Mahiti gmahiti2011@gmail.com and drp@muhas.ac.tz. **The deadline for receiving these applications is 30th May 2021.**