



UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES, LAHORE

NOTIFICATION

The Board of Governors in its 42nd meeting held on 9th November, 2019 on the recommendations of Advanced Studies and Research Board, Academic Council and Syndicate, approved the Rules & Regulations for Ph.D program (attached).

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Rules and Regulations Relating to PhD Program

University of Health Sciences Lahore

1. PREAMBLE

These Rules called “PhD Rules” shall apply to all PhD degree programmes conducted in the Constituent and Affiliated Units of University of Health Sciences, Lahore Pakistan (UHS). These Rules shall be read in conjunction with the general rules/regulations of the University. In matters where these rules are silent, rules/regulations and procedures of UHS shall apply. In case of any doubt regarding the interpretation of these Rules and in matters not clearly covered under these and other rules/regulations of UHS, the matter shall be referred to the Advanced Studies and Research Board for the final decision. Furthermore, PhD requirements set out by the HEC and PM&DC from time to time shall be complied with, and shall take precedence over these Rules should there be a conflict.

2. AIM OF THE PROGRAM

The aim of the degree of doctor of Philosophy (PhD) program at University of Health Sciences, Lahore is to produce medical scientists of high competency who can contribute significantly to academic teaching and to the translational health related research according to the needs of the country.

3. DURATION OF THE PROGRAM

The PhD program at University of Health Sciences will be minimum three (03) years duration and maximum Eight (08) years duration. In case the PhD degree is not completed within eight (08) years, the candidates name will be removed from the university register. This period will be counted from the date of joining of the candidate in PhD program.

4. PROGRAM CREDITS

The PhD program of UHS is of 48 credit hours with 18 credit hours of coursework and 30 credit hours of thesis.