



MASTERS in FAMILY MEDICINE

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Online Masters in Family Medicine is an accredited 2 year blended learning, Family Medicine distance learning course offered by the collaboration of ICMDA with University of Edinburgh and Christian Medical College. The first year (MFM 2014-2016) face to face sessions took place in 3 regional centers – Bowen University Teaching Hospital, Nigeria; Mengo Hospital, Uganda and CMC, India. The session was attended by 18 candidates.



The contact program included facilitator and local consultants aided, case presentations and clinical case discussions; clinical skill practice; Family medicine principle lectures; video lectures; other activities including student seminar and role play.

The testimonials from them are very encouraging and we are motivated to add on more regional contact centers in Egypt and Caribbean.

Students' feedback

“Very useful. It has provided an opportunity to meet and get to know our tutors and other participants. The structure of the curriculum has been good especially the areas which focus on clinical skills, ...group discussions and video demonstrations....”



“Yes – it was intellectually stimulating, resourceful, challenging and above all fun....”



“The contact program is something more than useful. It has helped me to gain knowledge... helps me see myself as a potential Family Physician with a lot of responsibilities. I'm glad that I'm part of this program”

Quality control

To personally interact with the MFM students and for quality control purpose, University of Edinburgh tutors visited the centers at Ogbomosho, Nigeria and Vellore, India. We take this opportunity to thank them, our regional local coordinators, consultants and administrative staff and our visiting facilitators for their efforts and commitment to the program.

Application status for years 2015 – 2017

The University of Edinburgh is receiving applications for the academic years 2015-2017. The last date for receiving applications is 24 August 2015.

To know more about the course, please see the attached brochure.

