THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

Faculty of Dentistry

Master of Science in Implant Dentistry

Credit Unit Statement

The two-year part-time Master of Science in Implant Dentistry [MSc(ImplantDent)] is a course of study that is designed to enable practising dentists to acquire straightforward and advanced competences within the practice of dental implantology as a component of comprehensive dental care. The course/modules are assigned with credits at a multiple of 3 credits as summarized below. The curriculum includes Discipline Specific Courses, Clinical Component and Individual project. Total contact hours and total study load have a minimum of 800 and 1800 respectively.

1. **Discipline Specific Courses (6 credits per course)**
   These set of courses aims to help the students comprehend the past and current research outcomes and evidence base of implant dentistry, as well as develop the skills and competences necessary for the diagnosis, treatment plan and management of complex cases of oral rehabilitation with dental implants.

   *Assessment*: 30% continuous assessment and 70% written examination; no limit in number of words

2. **Clinical Components (21 credits per course)**
   Clinical education covers approximately half 45% of the programme and includes supervised clinical practice within PPDH and other clinics, as well as multidisciplinary clinical activities. Furthermore, this includes the documentation of a case portfolio and presentation/discussion of clinical cases and treatments.

   *Assessment*: 60% portfolio assessment, 20% clinical assessments and 20% oral examination; no limit in number of words

3. **Capstone Experience: Individual project (18 credits per course)**
   This component involves the design, execution and dissemination of original research project by the student.

   *Assessment*: 50% dissertation and 50% oral examination; no limit in number of words