

\*\*\* Revised application deadline to 31 March 2021 \*\*\*

## Fees and application

### MSc in Clinical Gerontology and End-of-Life Care Programme



	Duration	*Tuition fees
Full-time	1 year	HK\$139,200
Part-time	2 years	HK\$69,600/year <i>(paid in two installments)</i>

\*pending for approval

For further enquiries, please contact us from 2 to 5 p.m. (Monday to Friday) at (852) 91687005 and visit our website <http://www.mect.cuhk.edu.hk/postgraduate>

In order to protect the “green environment”, online application is only applicable through <https://www.gs.cuhk.edu.hk/admissions/programme/medicine>

Supporting documents should be sent to MSc in Clinical Gerontology and End-of-Life Care programme (FT or PT), 9/F Dept of Medicine & Therapeutics, Lui Che Woo Clinical Sciences Building, Prince of Wales Hospital, Shatin, N T.

**The deadline for application will be 28 February 2021.**

### Information Seminar

Date : 15 January 2021 (Friday)

Time : 7:00 p.m.

Venue : Seminar Room 1, 2/F Lui Che Woo Clinical Sciences Building, Prince of Wales Hospital, Shatin, N T, Hong Kong

Please email to [b133856@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:b133856@cuhk.edu.hk) to reserve a place



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## Master of Science in Clinical Gerontology and End-of-Life Care Programme (2021-2022)

1 year full time & 2 years part time mode



**Programme Director**  
Professor Timothy Kwok

**Deputy Director**  
Professor Alice Kong

**Co-Director(s) and Advisors**  
Professor Eliza Wong | Dr. Raymond Lo | Dr. CM Lum

## Programme Overview

(29 units in total)

### Required modules

CGEN 5001	Demography, Sociology, Social Work and Health Economics and Psychology of ageing
CGEN 5003	Biology of Ageing & Concept of Successful Ageing and Measurement
CGEN 5004	Service Models for Ageing & Population
ENLC 5001	Principles and Perspectives of End of Life Care
CGEN 5006	Psychospiritual Aspects in Palliative Care
CGEN 5007	Ethical Principles and Dilemmas in End of Life Care
CGEN 5202	Case Studies I
CGEN 5204	Case Studies II
CGEN 6203	Case Studies III
CGEN 6205	Case Studies IV

*Students can choose either CGEN 6900-02 (project report) or CGEN6903-05 (practicum) at the beginning of the study year*

CGEN 6900	Project Report I
CGEN 6901	Project Report II
CGEN 6902	Project Report III
CGEN 6903	Practicum I
CGEN 6904	Practicum II
CGEN 6905	Practicum III

### Electives (total 2 units)

CGEN 5010	Epidemiology and Research Methodology
CGEN 5011	Clinical Topics in Geriatrics
CGEN 5012	Symptom Control and Medical Care in End of Life Care A
CGEN 5013	Symptom Control and Medical Care in End of Life Care B

### Admission requirements

Students should hold a Bachelor's degree in health or social sciences from a recognized university, normally with honours not lower than second class, or completed a course of study in a tertiary educational institution and obtained professional or similar qualifications equivalent to our honours degree. They must also fulfill the 'English Language Proficiency Requirement' as stipulated by the Graduate School before being considered for admission.

### Schedule and venue

On average, the sessions of 2-3 hours will be held every Saturday morning or afternoon for all teaching modules. Classes will be held in the Prince of Wales Hospital.

### Teaching Faculty

Staff from the Faculties of Medicine and Social Sciences of the Chinese University of Hong Kong, as well as the Hospital Authority. A small number of teachers are from other tertiary institutions.

### Assessment

1. The taught components will be assessed by 2-3 written examinations in year 1.
2. The project report will be written up as a thesis and graded as follows :
  - a) For part time students, it is graded at the end of year 2
  - b) For full time students, it is graded at the end of year 1

### Graduate attributes

Graduates are expected to acquire a good understanding of the biological, socioeconomic, epidemiological, and clinical aspects of ageing as well as end of life care issues. They are able to play a role in health care policy decisions regarding the well being of elderly populations, contribute to improvements and maintenance of good standards of care in diverse care settings.