

Lists of Postgraduate Qualifications for Paediatric Dentistry (PAE)

Postgraduate qualifications accepted as fulfilling part of the Specialist Training Requirements

Schedule A: Recognized qualifications in Paediatric Dentistry from Malaysian universities:

NO.	QUALIFICATION	TRAINING DURATION	ABBREVIATION	INSTITUTION	REMARKS
1.	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry	4 years	DClinDent (Paediatric Dentistry)	Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia	
2.	Master in Clinical Dentistry	4 years	MClinDent (Child Dental Health)	University of Malaya	
3.	Doctor in Paediatric Dentistry	*1 + 3 years	DrPaedDent (UiTM)	Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM)	*Must combined with 1 year master degree
4.	Doctor in Paediatric Dentistry	*1 + 3 years	DrPaedDent (UM)	Universiti Malaya (UM)	*Must combined with 1 year master degree
5.	Master of Paediatric Dentistry	4 years	MPaed Dent (USM)	Universiti Sains Malaysia	Last intake in 2023, Expected to graduate latest by 2030
6.	Doctor in Paediatric Dentistry	*1 + 3 years	DrPaedDent (UM)	Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia	*Must combined with 1-year Master of Applied Sciences in Dentistry degree or equivalent - updated 25th MDC_11.8.2026

Schedule B: Recognized qualifications in Paediatric Dentistry from overseas universities:

Dental practitioners with qualifications listed in **Schedule B** are required to **demonstrate the equivalency of four (4) years of training**, subject to assessment by the Dental Specialists' Evaluation Committee (DSEC). The equivalency may be fulfilled through several approaches, as outlined in the documents: **(i) The Dental Specialist Registration/Recognition by the Malaysian Dental Council and (ii) the Specialty Enhancement Attachment Programme (SEAP).**

NO.	QUALIFICATION	TRAINING DURATION	ABBREVIATION	INSTITUTION	REMARKS
1.	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry	3 years	DClinDent (Paediatric Dentistry)	University of Otago, New Zealand	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
2.	Doctor in Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry	3 years	DClinDent (Paediatric Dentistry)	University of Melbourne, Australia	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
3.	Master in Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry	2 years	MClinDent (Paed Dentistry)	Queen Mary University of London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
4.	Master in Dental Science in Paediatric Dentistry	2/3 years	MDentSci (Paed Dent)	University of Leeds	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
5.	Doctor in Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry	3 years	DDent in Paediatric Dentistry	Eastman Dental Institute, University of London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
6.	Master in Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry	3 years	MClin Dent (Paediatric Dentistry)	Eastman Dental Institute, University of London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024

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7.	Master of Science in Paediatric Dentistry	2 years	MSc. in Paediatric Dentistry	King's College London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
8.	Master of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry	2 years	MClin. Dent (Paed Dent)	University of Edinburgh	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
9.	Master of Dental Surgery in Paediatric Dentistry	3 years	MDS (Paed Dent)	University of Hong Kong	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
10.	Master of Dental Surgery (Paediatric Dentistry)	2 years	MDS (Paed Dent)	University of Otago	-Until year 2000 -No longer offered
11.	Master in Science (Paediatric Dentistry)	1 year	MSc (Paed Dent)	Eastman Dental Institute, University London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS, applicable up to year 2000
12.	Master in Science in Children's Dentistry (Paedodontics)	1 year	MSc (Paedodontics)	University of London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS, applicable up to year 2000
13.	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry (Adelaide)	3 years	DClinDent (Paed Dent)	University of Adelaide	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
14.	Master of Science of Advance Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry and Special Care	3 years	MSc of Adv. Dent. Paediatric Dentistry & Special Care(Ghent)	University of Ghent, Belgium	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024

NO.	QUALIFICATION	TRAINING DURATION	ABBREVIATION	INSTITUTION	REMARKS
15.	Fellowship in Dental Surgery	3 years	FDS, RCS(Eng)	The Royal College of Surgeons of England	Accepted for graduate in 2001. No longer registrable after 31.12.2024
16.	Master of Clinical Dentistry (Paediatric Dentistry)	2 years	M.Clin.Dent (year 2000) MClInDent (Paediatric Dentistry) (year 2003, 2005 & 2009) MClInDent (PaedDent) (year 2003)	University College London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
17.	Doctor in Dentistry (Paediatric Dentistry)	3 years	DDent Paediatric Dentistry	University College London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
18.	Master of Clinical Dentistry in Paediatric Dentistry	2 years	MClInDent(Paediatric Dentistry)	Queen Mary and Westfield College (St Bartholomew's and the Royal London School of Medicine and Dentistry), University of London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
19.	Master of Dental Science (Paediatric Dentistry)	3 years	MDS (Paediatric Dentistry)	The University of Queensland	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024

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20.	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry (Paediatric Dentistry)	3 years	DClinDent (Paed Dent)	Barts and The London School of Medicine and Dentistry, Queen Mary University of London	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
21.	Doctor of Paediatrics Dentistry	3 years	DPaedDent (Leeds)	University of Leeds	Combination of qualification with FDS or FRACDS or MPaedDent or MFDS applicable up to 31/12/2024
22.	Master of Dental Surgery Paediatric Dentistry)	3 years	MDS (Paediatric Dentistry)	National University of Singapore	
23.	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry (Paediatric Dentistry)	3 years	DClinDent (Paediatric Dentistry)	University of Edinburgh	

Qualifications not listed above may be considered on a case-by-case basis.