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## Call reserved to citizens from Non-European Union countries

## FACULTY OF MEDICINE

Admission to the Degree Courses Dentistry as well as to the Degree Courses of Nursing and **Physiotherapy** A.Y. 2025- 2026

The Degree Programs of the Faculty of Medicine for the Degree Courses in Dentistry, and the Degree Courses in Nursing and Physiotherapy are conducted in Italian.

## Art. 1 – Available seats and admission criteria

For the academic year 2025-2026, the number of seats allocated to candidates from non-EU countries for

each degree program shall be as follows:

Degree Courses	Available
	seats
Single-cycle Degree Course in <i>Dentistry</i>	4
Degree Course in <i>Physiotherapy</i>	60
Degree Course in Nursing	90

Non-EU countries applicants who have completed upper secondary education and meet the following requirements can apply for admission:

They must have an Upper Secondary Education Diploma;

They must meet the average grade requirement defined in the Council of Ministers' Decision No. 436 of 03/06/2020, as amended by DoCM No. 46 of 01/27/2021 of the Republic of Albania for the academic year 2025- 2026, following which the average grade of upper secondary education results must be equal to/above 6.5 (referring to the Albanian education system);

They shall not be simultaneously enrolled in other study programs in the same academic year, at public and/or private universities, Albanian and/or foreign.

The selection of candidates will take place through admission tests, which comprise the following:

- 1. Written test in Italian, a multiple-choice questions test, to evaluate the applicants	
knowledge in Sciences (Biology, Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics)	30 points
- 2. Written test on Italian language knowledge	20 points
- 3. Evaluation of the average grade of the curriculum of the upper secondary school.	30 points
Tota	1 80 points

The admission tests will take place in the headquarters of the Catholic University "Our Lady of Good Counsel" at Rr. "Dritan Hoxha", Tirana, Albania, on the following dates:

Study Course	Date	Time
Single-cycle Degree Course in Dentistry	01.10.2025	10:00
Degree Course in <i>Physiotherapy</i>	02.10.2025	11:00
Degree Course in Nursing	02.10.2025	11:00

Candidates taking the admission tests must report to the Academic Secretariat at least 30 minutes before the start of their respective test, bringing a valid form of identification (identity card/passport). It is forbidden to bring or use electronic communication devices (mobile phones, iPhones, iPads, etc.) during the test. Candidates found in possession of such devices will be immediately disqualified from the admission process.

Art. 2 - Submission of the admission application

With regards to the registration and participation in the admission test, candidates from NON-EU countries must complete the online registration on the University portal (http://admissions.unizkm.al/#/) by 10 September, 2025, at 11:59 PM, attaching an electronic copy in PDF format (PDF/A scan) of the following documentation: Upper Secondary Education Diploma (if available);

- 1. The certificate of the Upper Secondary Education Diploma, indicating individual scores (written tests, the interview, scholastic credit, additional scores) that constitute the overall grade of the Upper Secondary Education Diploma. In the temporary absence of the certificate, a stamped and signed certificate issued by the relevant School/High School must be attached, attesting to the overall grade and detailed scores (written test, interview, scholastic credit, additional score).
- 2. Upper Secondary Education Report Cards of all years;
- 3. Identity card or Passport;
- 4. Payment of the €50 fee for the application as follows:
  - via a credit card on the same portal: <a href="http://admissions.unizkm.al/">http://admissions.unizkm.al/</a>.
  - via bank transfer using the following details:

Beneficiary: Zoja e Keshillit te Mire (Universiteti Katolik) Bank: Intesa San Paolo Bank

BIC/Swift: USALALTRXXX IBAN: AL60208112040000030694935302

In cash at the University's Student Admission Office, available from Monday to Friday, 08:00 through 16:30.

After submitting all of the above-mentioned documents and paying the registration fee, the University performs a verification of the documentation and calculates the average grade for each candidate. This verification is conducted solely for the purpose of determining eligibility for admission to the entrance exam. In reference to Ministerial Decree No. 12 of 30.06.2023 and Common Order No. 157 of 03.06.2025 (QSHA-RASH), QSHA is the body responsible for the official recognition of the documents and for calculating the average grade for the purpose of equivalency and enrollment of foreign candidates.

The application forms and the related documentation must be submitted exclusively to the Catholic University "Our Lady of Good Counsel", which has not authorized any Italian or foreign agency to collect documents and/or to conduct the admission exams, which will take place exclusively at the premises of the Catholic University "Our Lady of Good Counsel".



The enrollment status can be checked by accessing a special reserved area on the University portal: https://admissions.unizkm.al/#/auth/signin.

Candidates who, after checking the documentation and the average grade, are considered suitable for the purposes of registering for the admission test, will have to pay<sup>1</sup> the fee required for participation in the admission test of 100 Euro by 17 September 2025. The payment takes place made using the same methods used for the payment of the 50 euro fee.

The ranking of candidates will be based on the individual final results, following the descending order of points obtained. The ranking results for all admission competitions in this announcement will be published on the website of the Catholic University 'Our Lady of Good Counsel': https://www.unizkm.al/. Candidates may be excluded from the ranking if any irregularities are found in the documentation submitted for enrollment.

Candidates who will be declared winners on the basis of the results and available slots will proceed with the registration for enrollment in accordance with the procedures set out in Annex "A" no later than October 14th, 2025, at 16:30.

Should a successful candidate fail to complete the enrollment procedures within the prescribed deadline, for any reason whatsoever, they shall forfeit the right to enroll.

The Rector

Prof. Leonardo Palombi

Any commissions are the responsibility of the order. The fees must arrive in full in the University bank account, otherwise the registration is not valid.