

PREPARATORY CERTIFICATE COURSE FOR NURSING APPRENTICESHIPS

THIRD COHORT SEPTEMBER 2024 INTAKE (DEADLINE 26/06/2024)

Mount Kenya University (MKU) has partnered with Germany's Hochschule Koblenz University of Applied Sciences to offer a **Preparatory Certificate Course,** aimed at meeting the growing demand for health workers in Germany. Hochschule Koblenz University of Applied Sciences is the lead partner in this collaboration.

Mount Kenya University is inviting applicants for the September 2024 intake to apply for the **Preparatory Certificate Course**, specifically designed to prepare individuals for **Nursing Apprenticeships in Germany**. The program will be conducted at Mount Kenya University's Main Campus, Thika.

Selection Process for Candidates:

Applicants will undergo a two-step aptitude test conducted online by our project partner, arbquest Befragungssysteme (www.arbquest.com), based in Germany. Selection will be based on performance in these assessments. To qualify for the aptitude test, applicants must meet the following minimum requirements:

- Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE) with a minimum of C (Plain). If an applicant holds a B2-level proficiency in German, lower KCSE grades may be considered.
- Proficiency in German Language at level B2.
- · Age limit: 29 years

Duration

The Preparatory Certificate course will take **14 weeks**. Upon completion, the graduates will be offered a guaranteed Nursing Apprenticeship in partner German hospitals.

German Classes/ Deutsch

Mount Kenya University offers German language Levels A1, A2, B1 and B2. Classes are offered at MKU campuses and ODEL Centres

Application

- i. Download MKU application form from the website (<u>www.mku.ac.ke</u>) or get a copy from any MKU Campus/Centre.
- ii. Application fees of **Ksh. 1,000** is payable through Paybill no. 4075677, Account no. is student national ID / passport number.

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For further details on the Partnership, visit **Ensuring A Sustainable Pool of Nursing Professionals (hs-koblenz.de)** or contact Mount Kenya University through the contacts below:

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