

# MILITARY SKILLS DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM

## MSD Application Coupon - SA MILITARY HEALTH SERVICE (SAMHS)

(The Department of Defence reserves the right to employment)

Please complete the following:

I would like to be considered for one of the following occupations in the SAMHS (mark with an X):

### Military Skills Development: Study Scheme

<input type="checkbox"/> MBCHB	<input type="checkbox"/> Physiotherapy	<input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Therapy
<input type="checkbox"/> Radiography	<input type="checkbox"/> Nursing Diploma	<input type="checkbox"/> Human Movement Science (BA)
<input type="checkbox"/> Speech Therapy	<input type="checkbox"/> Pulpil Enrolled Nurse	<input type="checkbox"/> Human Movement Science (Bsc)

### Military Skills Development: General Training

<input type="checkbox"/> Intelligence	<input type="checkbox"/> Logistics	<input type="checkbox"/> Musician
<input type="checkbox"/> Human Resources	<input type="checkbox"/> Operational Emergency Care Practitioner	
<input type="checkbox"/> Protection	<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Training Instructor	
<input type="checkbox"/> Patient Administration		

### Biographical information

First Names: .....
Surname: .....
ID Number: ..... Citizenship: .....
Tel (H): ..... Tel (W): .....
Your cell no: ..... Parent's cell no: .....
Any other contact no: ..... I will be ..... Years of age on 1 January
Postal Address:.....
.....
Code: ..... Nearest major city: .....

### Province, gender and race (for statistical purposes, please mark with an X)

<input type="checkbox"/> Gauteng	<input type="checkbox"/> Western Cape	<input type="checkbox"/> N Cape		
<input type="checkbox"/> Mpumalanga	<input type="checkbox"/> Free State	<input type="checkbox"/> KZN		
<input type="checkbox"/> E Cape	<input type="checkbox"/> North West	<input type="checkbox"/> Limpopo		
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female		
Race	<input type="checkbox"/> African	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian	<input type="checkbox"/> Coloured	<input type="checkbox"/> White

See overleaf →



# THE SOUTH AFRICAN MILITARY HEALTH SERVICE

Excellent career opportunities await dynamic individuals with a keen interest in pursuing a career in the military health environment. Prospective applicants may consider joining one of the following service systems:

## **MILITARY SKILLS DEVELOPMENT (MSD) PROGRAMME: GENERAL TRAINING**

The Department of Defence is proud to offer this service system to South African youth with the main purpose of promoting and enhancing the concept of nation building. We are also serving national interests by encouraging our youth to develop a common South African identity through exposure to military norms and customs. The emphasis will mainly be on discipline development, empowerment and global competitiveness.

After completion of Basic Military Training, members may be earmarked for training in one of the following occupational fields:

Intelligence, Logistics, Musician, Operational Emergency Care Practitioner, Human Resources, Protection, Physical Training Instructor, Military Instructor, Patient Administration to name but a few.

Please note that training in any one of these fields can not be guaranteed and will be subject to availability and further selection criteria. Successful applicants will be required to serve for a minimum period of two years. The aim of the system is to enhance the deployment capability of the SANDF.

### **The following requirements apply:**

South African citizenship is compulsory

Grade 12 or equivalent (or will be obtained by the end of the year of application)

Must comply with health assessment requirements for appointment in the SANDF

Be at least 18 years of age but not older than 22 on the 1st of January following the year in which you applied

Have no record of a serious criminal offence

Must be willing to undergo Basic Military Training, further Functional Training and serve in uniform within the RSA and abroad

Must be willing to ascribe to the Military Code of Conduct

Age requirements:

18-22 years General Training

18-24 years Emergency Health Care

18-26 years with relevant matric diploma/degree

At the end of the two years, members will have the following options:

- Re-Apply and be selected for an extension of the contract (2 to 8 years)
- Serve in the Reserve Force components (30 days per year for 5 years)
- Separate from the DOD in total




## MILITARY SKILLS DEVELOPMENT (MSD) PROGRAMME: STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

The SAMilitary Health Service does not offer "bursaries" as do companies in the private sector. Instead selected candidates are required to join the SANDF on a contract basis. This necessitates the successful completion of prescribed military courses during the first year of the contract, whereafter the contract will be extended if selected, followed by studies at selected tertiary institutions and continued service in the SANDF for the remainder of the contract period.

### Study Opportunities include the following:

Emergency Care Technician Opportunities:

This is a two-year Programme. Successful candidates can, after completion, continue in the 3<sup>rd</sup> year of a four year B Tech Diploma/degree in emergency care.

Study Direction	Academic requirements*	Academic Institution
MBChB	Grade 12 with University entrance Mathematics and Physical Science HG C symbol 1st Language HG C symbol	University of Pretoria Medunsa
Bachelor of Physiotherapy	Grade 12 with University entrance Mathematics and Physical Science HG C symbol 1st Language HG C symbol	University of Pretoria
Bachelor Occupational Therapy	Grade 12 with University entrance Physical Science and Biology HG C symbol 1st Language HG C symbol	University of Pretoria
Human Movement Science: BA Degree	Afrikaans, English HG + Univ exemption	Univ of Potchefstroom
BSc Degree	Afrikaans, English HG, Mathematics, Physical Science HG D Symbol + Univ exemption	Univ of Potchefstroom
Speech Therapist	Mathematics, Physical Science and Biology, Gr. 12 + Univ exemption	Univ of Pretoria
Radiography (Bachelor/Diploma)	Mathematics, Physical Science = HG D. Univ exemption for studies at Univ Pta	Univ of Pretoria/ Univ of Tech Pta
Nursing Diploma (Four year)	Grade 12, 6 subjects of which at least 2 on HG, the rest either HG or SG. Biology and English are compulsory subjects	SAMHS Nursing Academy
Pepil Enrolled Nurse (Two years)	Grade 12, minimum of 6 subjects (no LG subjects) English a definite prerequisite	SAMHS Nursing Academy 

\* M = M-score.

For calculation of M-score, see leaflet on **Selection Criteria**.



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