

**CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT  
(Micro-credentials)  
CALL FOR APPLICATIONS  
ACADEMIC YEAR 2026/7**

The Faculty of Health Sciences will be offering the following Continuing Professional Development study-units during **Semester 1** of Academic Year 2026/7:

<b>CSD5002</b>	<b>Neurodiversity and Wellbeing (Semester 1)</b>	<b>MQF Level 7</b>	<b>5 ECTS Credits</b>
<p><b>Available for:</b> Qualified health care, psychology, medical, education professionals who hold a professional registration with a regulatory body recognised by the UM. The study-units listed above are delivered in an online mostly asynchronous manner. The study-units listed above are delivered in person and online. Proficiency in basic IT skills is a prerequisite. Limited to 25 students.</p> <p>CPD study-unit fee: €425</p>			
<b>FSN3015</b>	<b>Sensory and Consumer Science (Semester 1)</b>	<b>MQF Level 6</b>	<b>4 ECTS Credits</b>
<p><b>Available for:</b> Professionals working in the food, flavours, and fragrance industries, including those involved in manufacturing, product development, quality assurance, or customer-facing roles with an interest in sensory evaluation and consumer science. Participants should possess basic mathematical skills, as the course includes introductory statistical analysis.</p> <p>The course includes practical sensory training activities; therefore, participants must be willing to take part in guided sensory evaluation sessions throughout the programme.</p> <p>Limited to 20 students.</p> <p>CPD study-unit fee: €300</p>			
<b>HSC5005</b>	<b>Applied Clinical Education in Health Care Practice (Semester 1)</b>		<b>MQF Level 7 10 ECTS Credits</b>
<p><b>Available for:</b> Registered health care professionals with a first degree in their profession, are in employment, with usual access to students on practice placements in their profession.</p> <p><i>Students of this study-unit are required to attend all sessions and complete all online tasks.</i></p> <p>CPD study-unit fee: €650</p>			
<b>HSL5010</b>	<b>Effective Health Systems (Semester 1)</b>	<b>MQF Level 7</b>	<b>5 ECTS Credits</b>
<p><b>Available for:</b> Qualified health care professionals, who hold a professional registration with a regulatory body recognised by the UM, managers and leaders of health and social care entities, who hold a first degree recognised by the UM and qualified health risk and health insurance professionals, who hold a first degree recognised by the UM. The study-unit listed above is delivered in a hybrid manner – face-to-face and online.</p> <p>CPD study-unit fee: €425</p>			

**MID4020 Promoting Pre-natal Well-Being in Supportive Environments (Semester 1) MQF Level 6  
4 ECTS Credits**

**Available for:** Professionals and students interested in health and the environment. Attendance will be part-time day and in hybrid-remote mode.  
Limited to 35 students.

CPD study-unit fee: €260

**POD5002 Vascular Assessment of the Lower Extremities (Year) MQF Level 7 5 ECTS Credits**

**Available for:** Health care professionals holding a B.Sc. (Hons.) Degree and Podiatrists in possession of a Diploma with 5 years clinical experience.  
Limited to 15 students.

CPD study-unit fee: €325

**RAD5003 Radiation Safety Principles 1 (Semester 1) MQF Level 7 5 ECTS Credits**

**Available for:** Qualified radiographers, medical doctors and health professionals who hold a professional registration with a regulatory body recognised by the UM. The course is designed for health professionals interested in gaining, updating and/or refresh their knowledge about the main Radiation Safety Principles related to planar x-ray imaging and fluoroscopy. This course addresses the legal requirement for such professionals to undertake refresher radiation protection training every 5 years. Given that this micro-credential is delivered online, proficiency in basic IT skills and good internet connectivity are prerequisites.

Limited to 20 students.

CPD study-unit fee: €325

**RAD5022 Magnetic Resonance Safety (Semester 1) MQF Level 7 10 ECTS Credits**

**Available for:** Radiography students (local or international) enrolled in a recognised radiography programme or qualified radiographers (local or international) who hold a professional registration with a regulatory body recognised by the UM. The course is designed for those who are interested in learning about the safety considerations, policies and procedures associated with MRI practice. Given that this micro-credential is delivered online, proficiency in basic IT skills and good internet connectivity are prerequisites.

Limited to 20 students.

CPD study-unit fee: €850

## Instructions

Practising health care professionals who are interested in enrolling on these study-units are invited to apply by the **31<sup>st</sup> August**.

Applications may be submitted [here](#).

Applicants ought to submit their application as **NEW USERS**. Each applicant is required to create a new username and password, which are specific towards his/her submission. It is important that when prompted to choose the Course Start Date, from the drop-down menu, applicants select Visiting Student (1/O) – 2026/7. A submission is deemed to be complete only when the applicant presses the submit button at the end of the application page and completes registration payment (when applicable).

### Important Information

- ❑ It is the applicant's responsibility to make sure that the application is submitted by the deadline indicated above.
- ❑ Commencement of the study-units is subject to the:
  - availability of resources at the time of opening
  - number of qualified applicants

The Faculty of Health Sciences shall attempt to announce the days on which a study-unit is to be held prior to its commencement. However, it cannot be bound by fixed days and times for the duration of the study-unit/s.

This information is correct at the time of publication.

**Applicants are to submit the certificate of registration/enrolment for verification purposes immediately following the submission of the online application. A scanned copy of the certificate of registration is to be sent to the following email address by not later than Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2026:**

**[cpd.healthsci@um.edu.mt](mailto:cpd.healthsci@um.edu.mt)**

**If the certificate of registration is not submitted by this date, the application will be refused and the place will be offered to the next applicant in line.**

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