



**POSTGRADUATE AND MID CARRIER UNIT**  
**FACULTY OF INDIGENOUS MEDICINE, UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO**  
**POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN INDIGENOUS ORTHOPAEDIC**  
**TREATMENT**

The objective of the Postgraduate Diploma is to cultivate and develop the core knowledge and skills of healthcare professionals to assess, plan and implement indigenous orthopaedic interventions in a comprehensive manner. This includes assisting with posthospitalization care and recovery of the orthopaedic patients. On successful completion of the programme, the practitioners will be able to provide necessary care and treatment for orthopaedic patients.

**SLQF Level: 8**

**Why should you select Postgraduate Diploma in Indigenous Orthopaedic Treatment Development through Ayurveda?**

- Good opportunity to develop your profession in the field of indigenous orthopaedic treatment catering the Ayurveda healthcare sector
- Good investment for lifelong learning and career advancement
- Create more opportunities globally in the Ayurveda healthcare sector
- Eligible for promotions in Government Ayurveda Medical Officers in Sri Lanka
- This course is highly practically oriented, with the goal of training participants the expert knowledge and skills necessary for their career development.
- New dimension for entrepreneurships
- Internationally recognized certificate

**Eligibility Criteria**

- Bachelor of Ayurveda Medicine and Surgery (BAMS)
- Diploma in Ayurveda Medicine & Surgery (DAMS-Ayurveda)
- Diploma in Siddha Ayurveda Medicine & Surgery (DSAMS)
- Completion of one-year internship and has registered under the Ayurvedic Medical Council,
- Satisfactory completion of one- year work experience acceptable to the Faculty of Indigenous Medicine
- Those who are currently undergoing internship period
- Foreign candidates: Acceptable Bachelor's degree as determined by the BoS, FIM, UOC

**Target Audience**

Ayurveda graduates who wish to develop their knowledge and skills in the field of Indigenous Orthopaedic Treatment.

<b>Course Duration</b> <b>One Year</b>	<b>Medium</b> <b>English</b>	<b>Venue</b> <b>Faculty of Indigenous Medicine</b> <b>National Ayurveda Hospital- Borella</b>
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**Program Fee:**

Application Fee	LKR	2,000.00
Registration Fee	LKR	5,000.00
Course Fee	LKR	2,08,000.00
Library Fee (Non-refundable)	LKR	5,000.00
Use of Computer Lab	LKR	2,000.00
Aptitude Test		5,000.00

### Admission Process

Each applicant should produce a duly completed application obtained from the website /SAR/ DR of the Faculty of Indigenous Medicine on paying a non-refundable application fee.

Complete application forms along with a color photograph (4 cm x 3 cm background should be Sky Blue jpg format), certified copies of your Birth certificate, Degree certificate/ Service certificates/ Internship completion certificate, and Bank payment receipt (You are requested to pay the application fee of Rs. 2,000.00 for the People's Bank, Borella Branch bearing account number 078-100122268432 with course code 38030-0242-3420051.) send by registered post or hand deliver the completed application form to the below- mentioned address on or before the closing date.

The applicant will be selected through an interview or aptitude test conducted by the Faculty of Indigenous Medicine.

### Program Structure:

Total Credits: 25

Semester	Module Code	Module Name	Credit Value
Semester I	PGDIOT 1112	Research Methodology and Statistics	02
	PGDIOT 1122	Applied aspect of Sharira Rachana and Sharira Kriya (Clinical Anatomy and physiology related to Kedum-bidum Chikithsa (Indigenous Orthopedic treatment)	02
	PGDIOT 1136	Fundamentals & clinical aspect of Kedum-bidum Chikithsa (Indigenous Orthopedic treatment)	06
Semester II	PGDIOT 1254	Indigenous Orthopedic pharmaceuticals preparation	04
	PGDIOT 1266	Diagnostic and management techniques of Kedum-bidum Chikithsa (Indigenous Orthopedic treatment)	06
Semester I and II	PGDIOT 1075	Research project	05

## **Program Assessment Procedure:**

The evaluation for the award of the Postgraduate Diploma of Indigenous Orthopaedic Treatment shall consist of continuous assessments (CA), end-semester examinations and the evaluation of a dissertation.

Each module will be assessed through continuous assessments and end-semester examinations. The end-semester examinations include written papers for each module. The grading scheme will be based on Grade Points (GP), with contributions from each semester forming the final GPA. A candidate's performance will be evaluated through a combined system of continuous assessments and end-semester examinations.

For the final grading of the program, continuous assessments and end-semester examinations will be marked according to the following allocation:

- End-of-Semester Examination: 60%
- Continuous Assessment: 40%

A candidate must achieve a minimum of 50% of the marks allocated for each component of the assessment, i.e., the end-semester examination and continuous assessment for each module.

Breakdown of marks for the final assessment of the research component:

- Conducting research work: 30 marks
- Research presentation: 30 marks
- Dissertation: 40 marks

### **For more details:**

#### **Course Coordinator**

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