

WEST AFRICAN COLLEGE OF SURGEONS

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P.M.B. 1067, Yaba, Lagos, Nigeria

APRIL 2012 PRIMARY, PARTS 1 & II (FINAL) FELLOWSHIP EXAMINATIONS

The **April 2012** Fellowship Examinations of the West African College of Surgeons (WACS), in the Faculties of Anaesthesia, Dental Surgery, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Ophthalmology, Otorhinolaryngology, Radiology and Surgery, will be from **20th to 30th April 2012**.

The Primary Examinations will hold on Friday 20th April 2012 in five Centres as follows:

1. University College Hospital (UCH), Ibadan, Nigeria
2. National Centre for Women Development (CWD), opposite Central bank, Abuja, Nigeria
3. Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital (KBTH), Accra, Ghana
4. National Orthopaedic Hospital (NOH) Main Hall, Enugu
5. Connaught Hospital, Freetown, Sierra Leone

The Parts I & II Examinations will hold from 23rd April 2012 in two Centres namely:

1. University College Hospital (UCH) Ibadan, Nigeria
2. Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital (KBTH), Accra, Ghana

REQUIREMENTS

- Candidates applying to sit the **Primary Fellowship Examinations** must be Medical Practitioners who are fully registered in Nigeria, Ghana, Liberia, Sierra Leone or The Gambia.
- Candidates applying to sit the **Part 1 Fellowship Examinations** must have passed the **Primary Examination** of the West African College of Surgeons or its equivalent and satisfactorily completed appropriate years of residency training as prescribed by the relevant Faculty.
- Candidates applying to sit the **Part II (Final) Fellowship Examinations** must have passed the **Part I Fellowship Examinations** of the West African College of Surgeons and satisfactorily completed appropriate years of residency training as prescribed by the relevant Faculty. Candidates are required to submit copies of their Dissertations with the application forms.
- Further details are available in the Prospectus of the College. The College **Prospectus** is available for sale at the College Secretariat.

EXAMINATION FEES

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| 1. Primary Examination | - | \$ 250 |
| 2. Part I Examination | - | \$ 375 |
| 3. Part II (Final) Examination | - | \$ 625 |

MODE OF PAYMENT

For all candidates sitting examinations in Accra, Ghana Payments should be made to **MR. ABRAHAM OKLETEY, WAPMC Liaison office at UGMS, KorleBU, Accra, Ghana**

Candidates in Ghana should submit their completed examination application forms to the WAPMC Liaison Office at UGMS, KorleBU, Accra, Ghana either in person or by courier

For Candidates sitting primary examinations in Freetown, Sierra Leone. Payments should be made to WACS Country Representative, Dr. A.D.O. Wright, 34 Bathurst Street, Freetown, Sierra Leone.

APPLICATION

Application forms are available from the College Secretariat in Yaba, Lagos and WACS Accra Office. Application forms can also be downloaded from the College website: www.wacsoac.org or www.wacs-coac.org

ALL APPLICATION FORMS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED WITH ‘DOCUMENTS INCLUDED CONTROL FORM’ WHICH COULD BE DOWNLOADED FROM THE WEBSITE ALONG WITH THE APPLICATION FORM AND RELEVANT DOCUMENTS.

DEFERMENT OF EXAMINATION AFTER APPLICATION IS NO LONGER ACCEPTABLE

CLOSING DATE

The closing date for the submission of completed application forms is **January 31, 2012**. Candidates for the Part II (Final) Examination must submit their dissertations by the closing date. **PENALTY FOR THE LATE SUBMISSION IS \$63 FOR THE FIRST WEEK AND \$125 THE NEXT ONE WEEK. All late applications close on February 14, 2012.**

All Application forms must be submitted with;-

- Copy of Bank Teller – Primary/Part I/Part II (as indicated above)
- Copies of Dissertations – Part II
- Relevant certificates and photocopy of Log Books (Parts I & II)
- Evidence of training since passing Primary and Part I
- 3 self-addressed envelopes with *sufficient* postage stamps

Candidates should indicate their **e-mail** addresses and their **Telephone numbers** on their application forms.

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Secretary General