Allied Health Professionals Council

Registration of Allied Health Professionals under the Allied Health Professionals Council Act 2017

The Allied Health Professionals Council (AHPC) wishes to draw the attention of the Public to the following:

1) Section 16 of the AHPC Act stipulates that:

"No person shall practice an allied health profession unless he is -

- a) registered as an allied health professional; or
- b) temporarily registered as a foreign allied health professional or visiting health professional.
- 2) Section 38 (1) (b) of the AHPC Act 2017 stipulates that:

"Any person who takes or uses any name, title, addition or description implying that he is registered to practice any of the allied health professions, shall commit an offence."

2. The Council is proceeding with the registration of Health Professionals falling under Cluster 1 (Occupational Therapist, Orthopaedic Technician, Physiotherapist, Podiatrist/Chiropodist and Sports Therapist), Cluster 4 (Counsellor, Psychologist, Psychotherapist and Psychomotor Therapist) and Cluster 5 (Chiropractor and Osteopath) as per the AHPC Act 2017.

3. Detailed information pertaining to the mode of application is available on the website of the AHPC as follows: <u>www.ahpcmauritius.org</u>

4. Professionals in the above-mentioned allied health professions are invited to contact the Registrar's office on <u>registrar@ahpcmauritius.org</u> or 214 3926/ 214 4183 for registration formalities.

5. The deadline for submission of application is <u>30 April 2023 at 15.30 p.m. at</u> <u>latest.</u>

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