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FATIMA COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

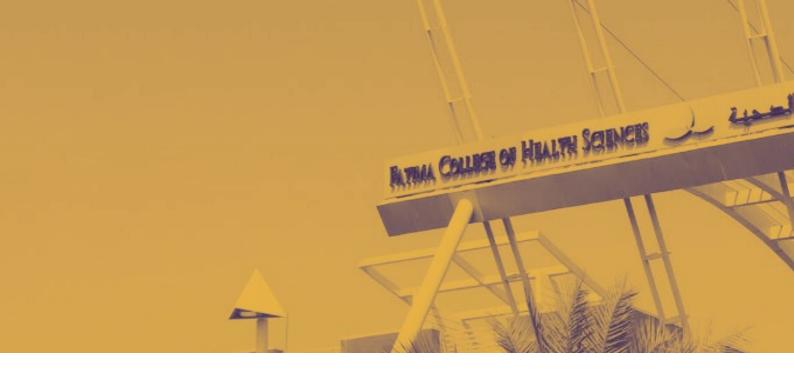


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Message from the Director

Welcome to the 2023 edition of the Fact Book for Fatima College of Health Sciences (FCHS).

The FCHS Fact Book is an annual publication that provides a ready source of information to answer frequently asked questions about the College.

This Fact Book is a publicly available document that states FCHS's vision, mission, values, and objectives. The FCHS Fact Book gives the historical background of the college, locations of its campuses and governance structure. Moreover, it contains information about student enrolment & graduation, faculty demographics & credentials, and the available learning resources.

The Fact Book's primary purposes are to promote organizational understanding and to inform decision-making.

The efforts of numerous individuals throughout the college are reflected in the 2023 Fact Book. Although most go unnamed, their contributions are greatly appreciated. We are pleased to make this rich source of college information available and hope you will find it useful.



Introduction

Established in 2006. Fatima College of Health Sciences (FCHS) aims to meet the United Arab Emirates growing need for skilled health care professionals. The college started by offering Bachelor of Science (BSc) Degree in Nursing in 2006 and has, since then expanded to offer academic programs at BSc level in Pharmacy, Physiotherapy, Radiography & Medical Imaging, Emergency Health (Paramedics), as well as Psychology. FCHS has four campuses located in UAE: Abu Dhabi, Al Ain, Al Dhafra and Aiman.

FCHS is progressing towards international accreditation and to offer Postgraduate Diploma and Master Degrees in specialized Health Science programs. In addition to the Bachelor Degree, the college offers a Nursing BSc bridging program for diplomaholding practitioner nurses. The FCHS programs are designed to graduate students in health sciences disciplines in the UAE in line with UAE 2021 and Abu Dhabi 2030 Visions.

Vision

To be the leading provider of health sciences education and research in the region

Mission

- Offer flexible, dynamic and culturally sensitive curricula that foster student-centered learning and provide skillful and ethical healthcare graduates
- Conduct clinically relevant health research that promotes innovation, creativity, critical thinking and industrial impact
- Promote services that empower the population to make informed health decisions



Core Values

In pursuit of its mission, Fatima College of Health Sciences maintains the following key values for its day-to-day operations and code of conduct:

- Innovation: Promote a culture of creativity that responds to the developing healthcare needs of the UAE
- Excellence: Embed a culture of quality to deliver outstanding teaching, research and personal performance
- **Professionalism:** Commitment to professional appearance, language and behavior Promote tolerance, ethical values and goal-oriented graduates
- Sustainability: Integrate sustainable practices into all aspects of planning and operations

Objectives

Derived from FCHS Vision, Mission, Goals and FCHS Strategic Plan 2016-2020, the FCHS Objectives, including the target statements for each objective, are as follows:

Objective 1:

Increase the number of Emirati students enrolled in Health – Care disciplines throughout its campuses.

Objective 2:

Deliver high quality health science programs that empower graduates with the skills to excel as healthcare professionals.

Objective 3:

Engage with partners in the healthcare sector to design and deliver academic, applied research, and training programs aligned with market needs

Objective 4:

Ensure quality study/work environment and effective, efficient and sustainable academic, student and support services.

Objective 5:

Promote a culture of innovation and organizational excellence.



FCHS History

Since its establishment in 2006, FCHS has offered a Bachelor's degree in Nursing. Thereafter, expanded to offer five undergraduate degree programs at Bachelor's and Higher Diploma levels in Health Sciences.

Moreover, the Nursing department offers a BSc bridging program for diploma-holding practitioner nurses. The program was designed to graduate students in the Nursing field and to upgrade the education of the diploma holder nurses already in the health sector. The College is mandated to enhance the health sector workforce in UAE to satisfy the needs for well-educated and trained professional healthcare workers.

The demand on Paramedics, Pharmacists, Radiographers, Physiotherapists and Psychologists are also vital in UAE's health sector in order to provide the highest quality of healthcare to patients. Therefore, FCHS took the necessary steps and started four programs in Health Sciences (Pharmacy, Physiotherapy, Radiography & Medical Imaging, and Emergency Health).

The first intake of Health Sciences students was in 2011 when students entered the Common First Year. Based on the UAE's current and future healthcare demands, Bachelor of Science in Psychology was introduced and is now offered in FCHS for the academic year 2019/2020. In 2019, all FCHS academic programs have obtained substantive change approvals from the Ministry of Education in order to contextualize and enhance all curriculums. FCHS graduates shall meet the UAE's healthcare needs and effectively work in a variety of settings with diverse patients, families and communities. Moreover, graduates will also be prepared to be employed in supervisory, managerial and educational positions.

FCHS provides innovative programs and the opportunity to work with high quality academics from within the college and/or abroad through collaboration with partner universities. FCHS provides an excellent educational environment and services to the students. Students will have access to all FCHS staff including the Director, administrators, counsellors, facilitators, lecturers and senior academic faculty. The college looks forward to supporting students throughout their time at FCHS.



Programs Offered

Nursing

Nurses graduating with a BSc in Nursing will provide holistic, nursing and practice to patients and their families. Contemporary nursing careers offer a wealth of opportunities to contribute to the health and wellbeing of society in primary, secondary and tertiary settings.

Pharmacy

The Bachelor of Pharmacy Program at Fatima College of Health Sciences (FCHS) is a five-year program offered in Al Ain and Abu Dhabi campuses. To earn the Bachelor of Pharmacy degree at FCHS, students need to complete a minimum of 166 hours of credit. Courses offered in later years of the programme integrate scientific and mathematical knowledge acquired in the initial years of the study. Applied pharmaceuticals sciences, integrated therapeutics and practice curriculum combined with professional placements rigorously prepare our graduates to work in the hospital, clinical, community and industrial pharmacy settings. In addition, critical literature review and graduation research project helps in developing research and communication skills.

Physiotherapy

Physiotherapy Department at Fatima College of Health Sciences is the first to offer undergraduate physiotherapy program in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi. The professors and lecturers in physiotherapy are from different nationalities. This diversity enriches the learning of physiotherapy science and research at FCHS. The physiotherapists are primary care professionals who work in a variety of settings, such as rehabilitation centers, hospitals, community health centers, and private clinics. Our graduates are now leading the physiotherapy profession in major rehabilitation hospitals and clinics across the country. Moreover, the physiotherapy department at FCHS is equipped with state of art teaching laboratories. The department have agreements with well recognized hospitals for the students clinical training. The department has very dynamic curriculum of physiotherapy that meet the international standards of physiotherapy practice.



Programs Offered

Radiography & Medical Imaging

A Radiographer & Radiologic Technologist, also known as Medical Imaging Specialist (MIS), performs imaging of the human body for diagnosis medical problems. Radiographers work in hospitals, clinics, and private practice. Although many graduates pursue a career in general radiography and computed tomography, opportunities exist to specialize in ultrasound, magnetic resonance imaging, mammography, management, research and in industry as medical applications' specialists.

Emergency Health (Paramedics)

Fatima College of Health Sciences offers a diverse and unique Paramedic program of study. As the UAE's leading allied healthcare training institution you can be assured that you will receive the highest level of academic and practical training that will ensure each Paramedic student reaches their maximum potential.

Psychology

The Department of Psychology currently offers a BSc in Psychology that will provide students with a range of subject specific and transferable skills and an in-depth knowledge of human behaviour and mental health that will help them pursue a career in a variety of fields as well as pursue graduate studies. The course offers a work placement and will introduce the student to a number of approaches to the application of psychological science and help them to explore a variety of contemporary challenges in society. Topics include psychological assessment, health and wellbeing, counselling, neuropsychology, and cognitive and biological psychology.



Accreditation and International Recognition



The UAE's Ministry of Education (MoE) has granted Fatima College of Health Sciences a higher education institution license in 2009 to issue undergraduate degrees to successful students. FCHS license was last renewed in 2018 for the next 5 years. All six undergraduate academic programs offered by the college are recognized by the MoE and have been awarded initial accreditation (IA) status by the Commission on Academic Accreditation (CAA), MoE. Nursing IA was awarded in 2010, while Emergency Health (Paramedics) and Physiotherapy received CAA IA award in 2014. This was followed by IA awards for Radiography & Medical Imaging and Pharmacy in 2016, and then subsequently Psychology in 2019. FCHS will have a new degree Bachelor in Midwifery that will be accredited for the academic year 2022/2023. All FCHS academic programs are in alignment with the Qualifications Framework Emirates.



Fatima College of Health Sciences (FCHS) is a Registered Training Provider, awarded by the UAE's National Qualifications Centre (NQC) in 2021. FCHS was accredited to deliver NQC vocational degrees in 2022. FCHS provides Diploma in Health Care Assistant for the UAE's workforce needs, and a Diploma for Combat Medical Technician for the UAE Armed Forces.



"Fatima College of Health Sciences – FCHS – Department of Radiography and Medical Imaging is accredited by Accreditation Service for International Schools, Colleges and Universities (ASIC). The Institution has earned Premier status with ASIC for its commendable areas of operation. ASIC accreditation helps students and parents make a more informed choice and will also help a school, college, university, training provider or distance education provider, demonstrate to the international student body that they are a high quality institution.

ASIC is recognised by UKVI in UK, is a member of the CHEA International Quality Group (CIQG) in USA and is listed in their International Directory, is a member of the BQF (British Quality Foundation) and are institutional members of EDEN (European Distance and E-Learning Network)."



Organizational Chart and University Leadership

FCHS being an educational entity is an integral part of the Institute of Applied Technology (IAT) and is governed by the same. IAT was founded in 2005 through the Royal decree of His Highness Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of the United Arab Emirates and Ruler of Abu Dhabi as a corporate body with complete financial and administrative independence. The establishment of the IAT was an initiative of General Sheikh Mohammed Bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi. His Highness envisioned the IAT as a world class career and technical education system that would produce the scientists, engineers and technicians needed for the UAE to build a knowledge-based economy. IAT is a dynamic organization that includes secondary schools, vocational education and training establishments, colleges, academies and other learning institutions. To achieve the objectives handed down to it by the Abu Dhabi Executive Council, IAT relies on best practice teaching and learning processes that are underpinned by a modern curriculum supported by state-of-the-art facilities.

FCHS is under the purview of the IAT Managing Director His Excellency Dr. Ahmad Abdulmanan Alawar, and the IAT Board of Trustees, consists of prominent individuals with extensive experience in government, academia and industry.

The Chairman of the Board is His Excellency Engineer Hussain Al Hammadi, Cabinet member and Minister of Education. The Vice Chairman of the Board is His Excellency Dr. Faisal Al Ayyan and the members of the Board of Trustees are:

Board of Trustees	Position
H.E Engineer Hussain Ibrahim Al Hammadi	Chairman of the Board
H.E. Dr. Faisal Al Ayyan	Vice Chairman
Dr. Abdulla Al Suwaidi	Board Member
Eng. Dhafir Ayed Al-Ahbadi	Board Member
Dr. Faisal Mohamed Albakery	Board Member
Mr. Ibrahim Hassan Abdullah Nassir	Board Member
Mr. Rabea Salem Al Junaibi	Board Member
Dr. Reyadh Abdullatif Al Mehaideb	Board Member
Dr. Yousef Ebrahim Al Akraf	Board Member



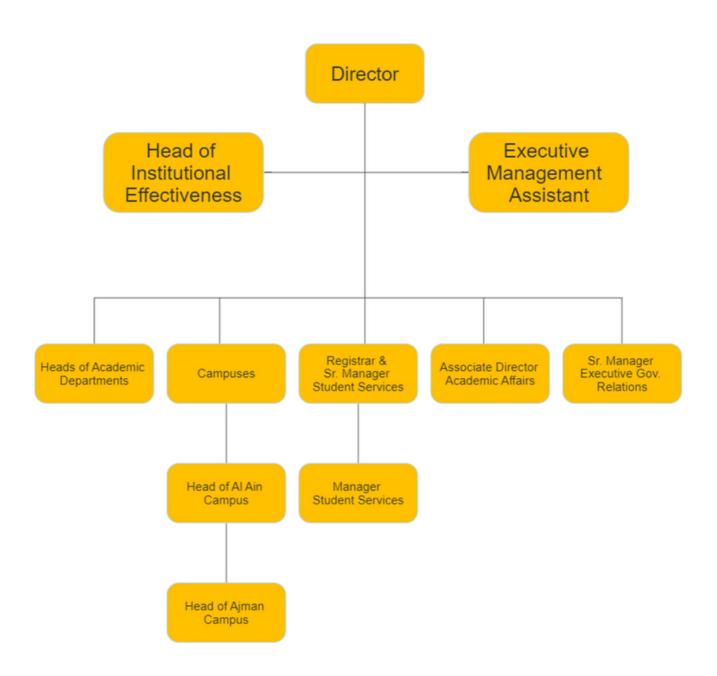
Senior Management

The college's senior team is responsible for the management and proper execution of its academic programs, as well as ensuring the optimal organizational performance of the entity.

Fatima College of Health Sciences Senior Management	Position
Prof. Lisa Pratt	Director - Academic Affairs
Prof. James Barnes	Associate Director of Academic Affairs / Head of Psychology
Asst. Prof. Amro AlHashmi	Head of Institutional Effectiveness
Asst. Prof. Ibrahim Hassan Abdullah Nassir	Snr. Manager Executive Govt. Relations
Asst. Prof. Emma Burnett	Head of Ajman and Al Ain Campuses
Ms. Maha AlShamsi	Manager Student Services
Mr. Mohamed AlBisher	Registrar & Snr. Manager Student Services
Assoc. Prof. Mansour Mansour	Head of Nursing
Assoc. Prof. Saravanan Muniyandy	Head of Pharmacy
Dr. Ahmed Abouelnasr	Head of Emergency Health (Paramedics)
Prof. John Totman	Head of Radiography & Medical Imaging
Prof. Muhammad AlJarrah	Head of Physiotherapy
Asst. Prof. Mariam AlHammadi	Head of General Requirements Department

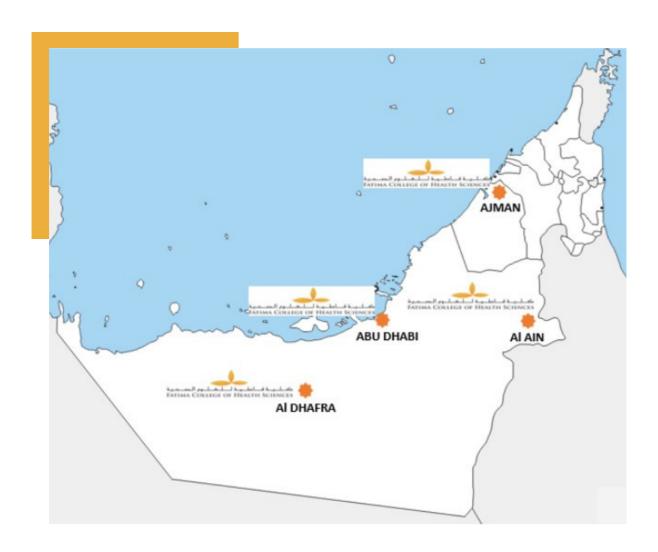


Organizational Chart



Campus Locations

FCHS has four campuses within the United Arab Emirates: Abu Dhabi, Al Ain, Ajman and Al Dhafra. Currently FCHS offers most undergraduate degrees primarily in the Abu Dhabi and Al Ain campuses.





Governance

Fatima College of Health Sciences (FCHS) is an educational entity administered by the Institute of Applied Technology (IAT), established in 2006 with a vision aiming to be the provider of excellence in health sciences education in the United Arab Emirates. IAT was founded in 2005 through Royal decree of His Highness (HH) Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of the United Arab Emirates and Ruler of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi as a corporate body with full financial and administrative independence.

IAT is a dynamic organization, which includes secondary schools, vocational education training establishments, colleges, and other learning/training centers. IAT also has a significant responsibility to conduct special projects and educational activities that meet their strategic plans as instructed by the Abu Dhabi Government.

To achieve the objectives handed down to it by General Secretariat of the Executive Council (GSEC) of Abu Dhabi, IAT relies on best practice teaching and learning processes underpinning a modern curriculum, conducted in state-of-the-art facilities. IAT, its facilities and its outcomes are continually expanding and evolving as the needs of the Emirate and the nation evolve.



AY	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23
Number of students	2120	2267	2131

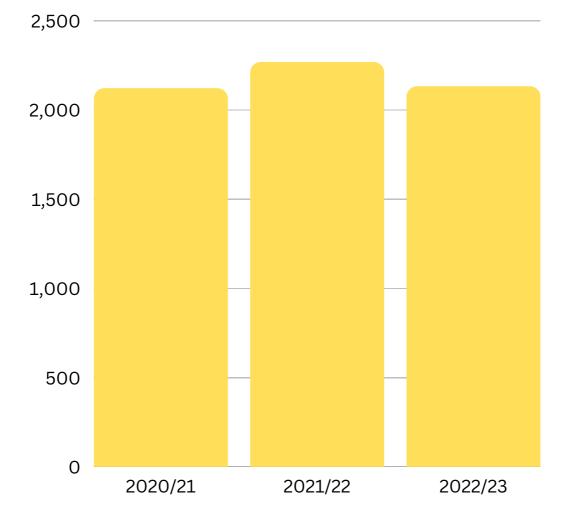


Fig.1. Graph shows total enrolment numbers for the past 3 years.



2.1 Enrolment by Program over the last 3 years

Program	AY 2020/21	AY 2021/22	AY 2022/23
Emergency Health (Paramedics)	168	185	188
Radiography and Medical Imaging	276	244	201
Pharmacy	211	174	138
Physiotherapy	180	147	123
Nursing	1250	1442	1139
Psychology	35	43	44
Midwifery	N/A	N/A	10
Preparatory Program	N/A	66	141
Health Care Assistant NQC	N/A	N/A	150

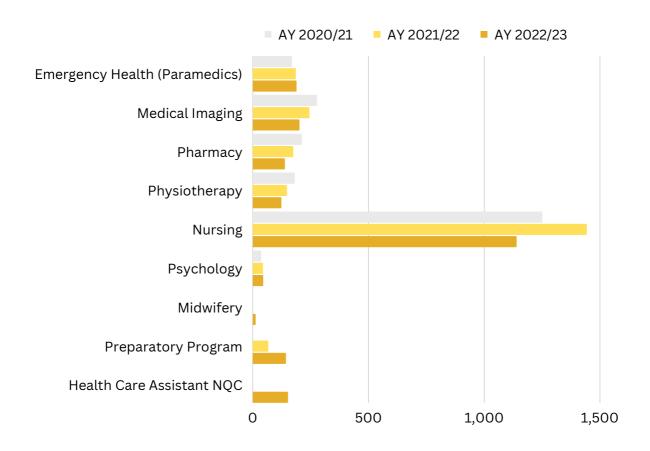


Fig.2. Graph shows total enrolment numbers in every program for the past 3 years.



2.2.1 Enrolment by Location AY 22-23- Abu Dhabi

Program	Active Students (National)	Active Students (Expats)
Midwifery	10	11
Nursing	228	12
Emergency Health (Paramedic)	68	6
Pharmacy	49	28
Physiotherapy	72	18
Preparatory Program	39	11
Psychology	41	3
Radiography & Medical Imaging	91	8
Health Care Assistant NQC	48	0

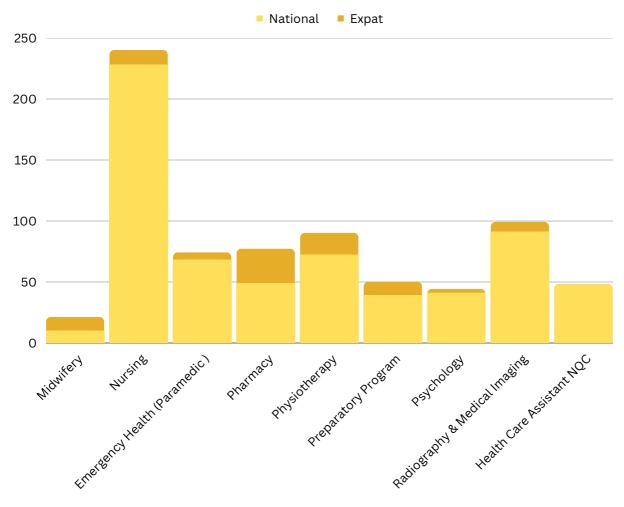


Fig.3. Graph shows enrolment numbers of national and expatriate students in every program from Abu Dhabi for the current academic year.



2.2.2 Enrolment by Location AY 22-23- Ajman

Program	Active Students (National)	Active Students (Expats)
Nursing	369	8
Emergency Health (Paramedic)	49	3
Preparatory Program	29	3
Health Care Assistant NQC	22	2

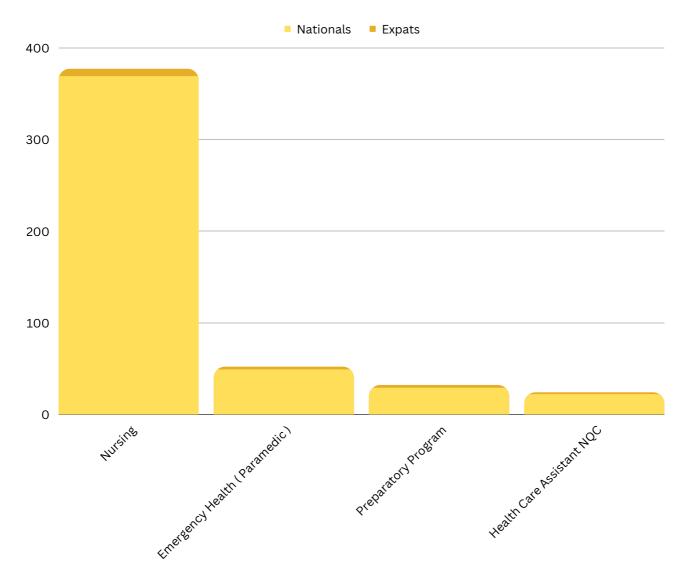


Fig.4. Graph shows enrolment numbers of national and expatriate students in every program from Ajman for the current academic year



2.2.3 Enrolment by Location AY 22-23- Al Ain

Program	Active Students (National)	Active Students (Expats)
BSc in Nursing	330	18
Emergency Health (Paramedic)	59	4
Pharmacy	48	13
Physiotherapy	23	11
Preparatory Program	42	3
Radiography & Medical Imaging	97	6
Health Care Assistant NQC	78	0

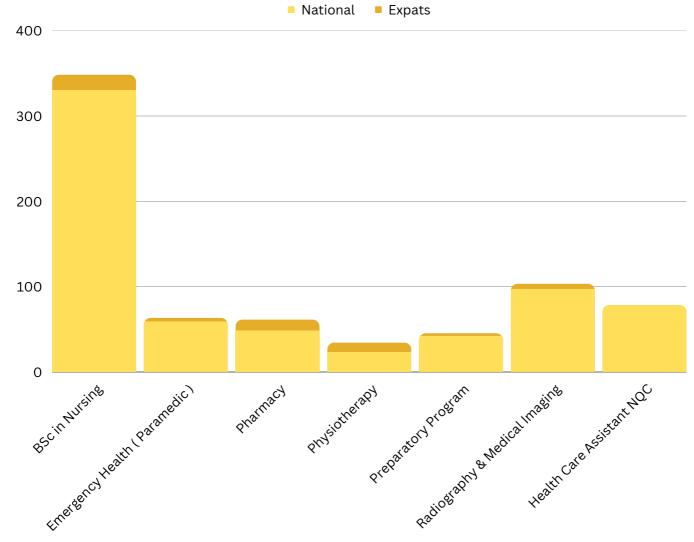


Fig.5. Graph shows enrolment numbers of national and expatriate students in every program from Al Ain for the current academic year



2.2.4 Enrolment by Location AY 22-23- Al Dhafra

Program	Active Students (National)	Active Students (Expats)
Nursing	41	123
Preparatory Program	5	12

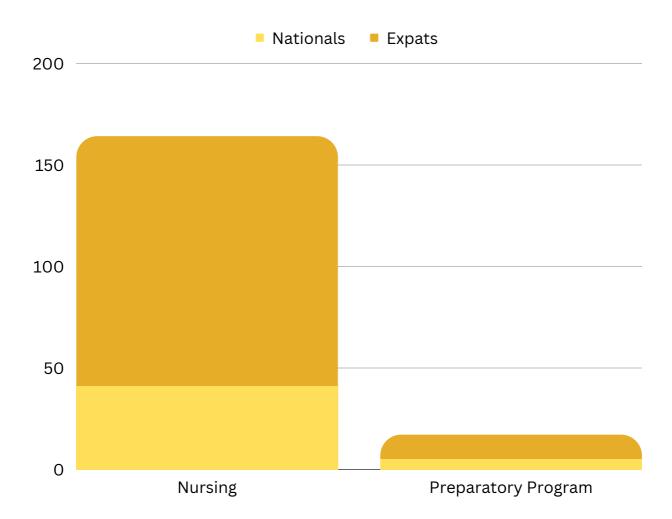


Fig.6. Graph shows enrolment numbers of national and expatriate students in every program from Al Dhafra for the current academic year.



3.0 Number of Graduates over the last 3 years

	AY 2019-2020			AY 2020-2021			AY 2021-2022		
	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total
Student Number	128	105	233	138	95	233	239	83	322



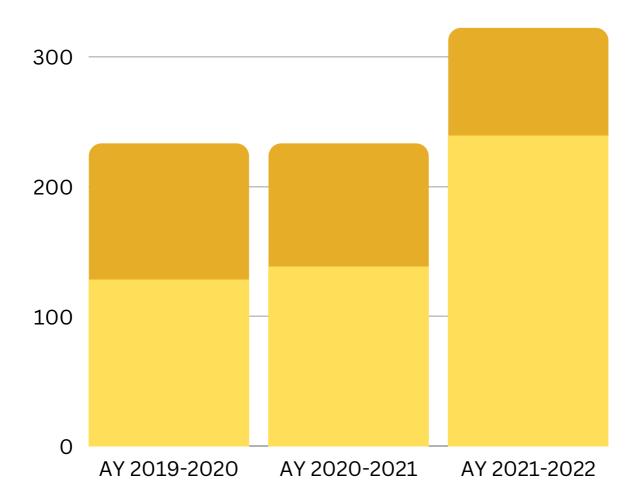


Fig.7. Graph shows total number of national and expatriate graduates of Fatima College of Health Science for the last 3 years. As seen above, there is a stark rise in our number of graduates in the AY 21-22



3.1 Number of Graduates by Program over the last 3 years

3.1.1 Bachelor of Science in Nursing

	AY 2019-2020		AY 2020-2021			AY 2021-2022			
Campus	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total
Abu Dhabi	20	4	24	9	5	14	43	9	52
Al Ain	17	7	24	12	3	15	60	9	69
Ajman	23	0	23	22	2	24	53	1	54
Al Dhafra	3	35	38	2	24	26	6	27	33

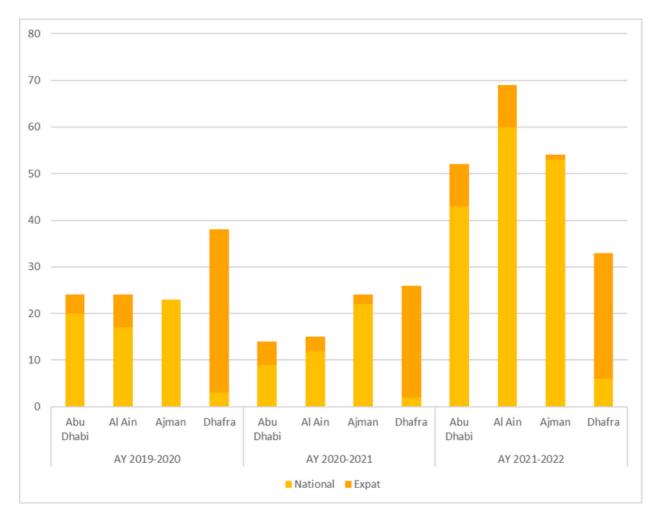


Fig.8. Graph shows total number of national and expatriate students graduating with BSc Nursing for the last 3 years.



3.1.2 Bachelor of Emergency Health (Paramedics)

	AY 2019-2020			AY 2020-2021			AY 2021-2022		
Campus	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total
Abu Dhabi	4	0	4	5	2	7	4	1	5
Al Ain	1	1	2	6	0	6	7	5	12

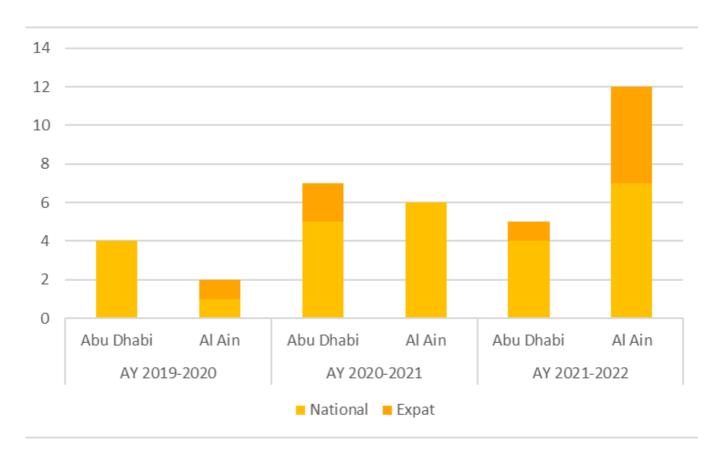


Fig.9. Graph shows total number of national and expatriate students graduating with BSc Emergency Health (Paramedic) for the last 3 years.



3.1.3 Bachelor of Pharmacy

	AY 2019-2020			AY 2020-2021			AY 2021-2022		
Campus	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total
Abu Dhabi	1	26	27	4	15	19	13	3	16
Al Ain	8	11	19	9	9	18	6	10	16

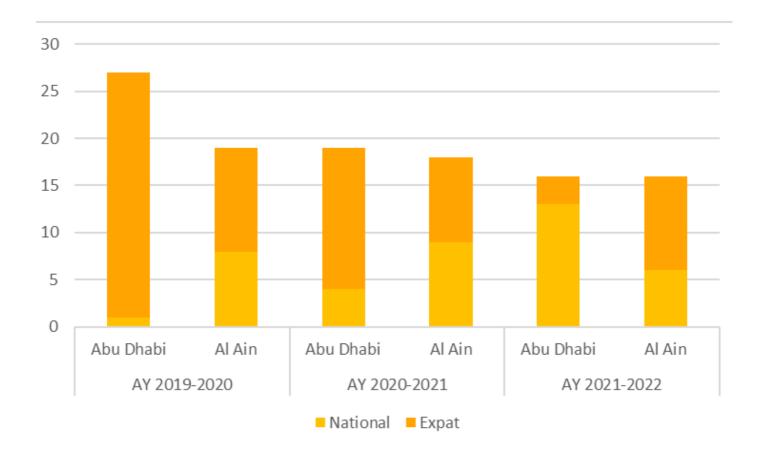


Fig.10. Graph shows total number of national and expatriate students graduating with BSc Pharmacy for the last 3 years.



3.1.4 Bachelor of Physiotherapy

	AY 2019-2020			AY 2020-2021			AY 2021-2022		
Campus	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total
Abu Dhabi	10	11	21	16	12	28	9	8	17
Al Ain	12	3	15	6	7	13	6	3	9

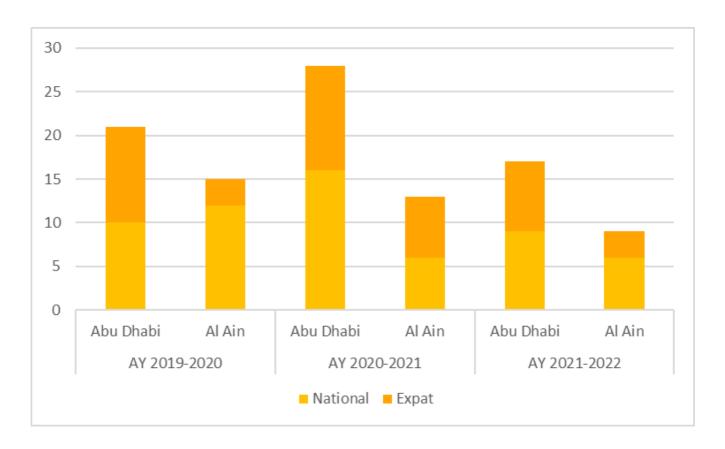


Fig.11. Graph shows total number of national and expatriate students graduating with BSc Physiotherapy for the last 3 years.



3.1.5 Bachelor of Medical Imaging

	AY 2019-2020			AY 2020-2021			AY 2021-2022		
Campus	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total	National	Expat	Total
Abu Dhabi	9	1	10	26	7	33	21	3	24
Al Ain	19	5	24	21	9	30	10	4	14

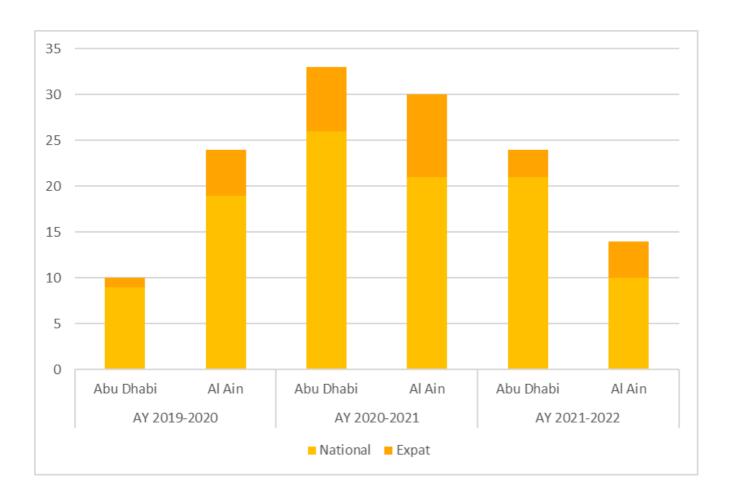


Fig.11. Graph shows total number of national and expatriate students graduating with BSc Medical Imaging for the last 3 years.



4.0 Faculty Information

4.1 Number of Faculty by Department - AY 22-23

Department / Program(s)	Number of Staff
General Requirement	43
Nursing & Midwifery	56
Emergency Health (Paramedics)	18
Pharmacy	15
Physiotherapy	12
Radiography & Medical Imaging	14
Psychology	7
Health Care Assistant	5
HECMA	2

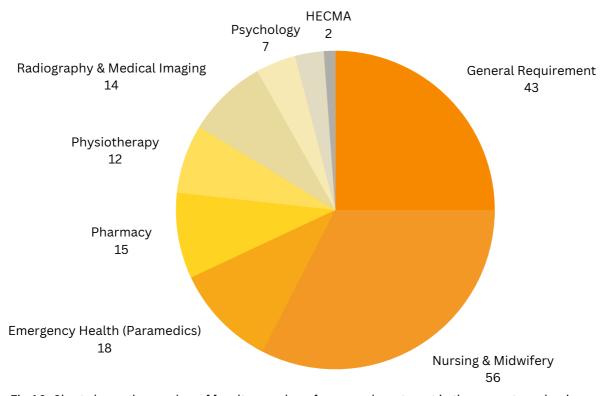


Fig.12. Chart shows the number of faculty members for every department in the current academic year. It also shows the proportional distribution of workforce represented by their departments within the college.



4.2 Number of Faculty by Credentials - AY 22-23

Highest Degree	Number of Staff
PhD	75
Master's Degree	78
Degree	19

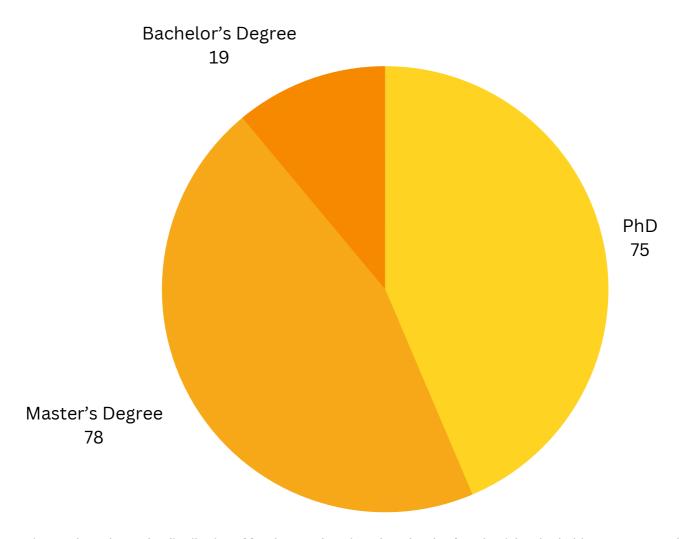


Fig.13. Chart shows the distribution of faculty members into three levels of credentials, PhD holders, Masters and Bachelors.



5.0 Learning Resources

5.1 Overall Library Collection

Fatima College of Health Sciences has four campuses. Each campus has their own library holdings, presented in the table below are the library holdings per collection category and campus location:

COLLECTIONS	ABU DHABI	AL AIN	AL DHAFRA	AJMAN			
Print Books – General Reference			<u> </u>				
Volumes	8,330	7,486	663	273			
Titles	4,165	3,743	332	137			
Print Books – Textbooks							
Titles	163	163	66	66			
E-books (Perpetual Access)							
EBook Central	50 titles – pe	erpetual acc	ess across campus	es			
R2Library	79 titles – perpetual access across campuses						
Ebscohost	96 titles – perpetual access across campuses						
E-books (Subscription)							
Nursing Collection	521 titles (across campuses)						
Clinical Collection	3,189 titles (across campuses)						
ProQuest Ebook Central	188,000 + titles across campuses						
Online Journals (Subscription							
Ovid Journals – Wolters Kluwer	11 titles – across campuses						
Multimedia Collection							
3-D Eureka Videos	323 films	323 films	Shared with ATI	HS Shared with ATHS			
2-D Eureka Videos	446 films	446 films	Shared with AT	HS Shared with ATHS			
DVD Educational Movies	20 dvds	13 dvds	0	0			

Online Research Databa	ises							
	Provides authoritative medical information on medicine, nursing, dentistry, veterinary medicine, the health care system, pre-clinical sciences, and much more.							
Medline with full text	MEDLINE with Full Textuses MeSH (Medical Subject Headings) indexing with tree, tree hierarchy, subheadings and explosion capabilities to search citations from over 4,800 current biomedical journals.							
	Comprehensive source of full text for medical journals							
	Full-text for 1,470 journals							
	Full-text coverage dating back to 1965							
	Searchable citations from over 4,800 current biomedical journals							
	World's most comprehensive source of full text for nursing & allied health journals							
	Full-text for more than 610 journals							
Cinahl with full text	Full-text coverage dating back to 1981							
	Indexing for more than 3,000 journals							
	More than 2.3 million records dating back to 1981							
E-journals	Provides access to electronic journals and full text of articles for journals managed through EBSCOhost® Electronic Journals Service (EJS), as well as usage of Smart Links in EBSCOhost. E-Journals from EBSCOhost allows search and retrieval of citations, abstracts and full text.							
	Users will have access to titles from publishers who have given EBSCO permission to re-use Table of Contents and abstract information in an aggregated database.							
GreenFILE (complimentary to Ebscohost online research databases subscription)	Provides indexing and abstracts for more than 538,000 records, as well as Open Access full text for more than 5,800 records.							
Library, Information Science &Technology	Indexes more than 560 core journals, nearly 50 priority journals, and 125 selective journals; plus books, research reports and proceedings.							
Abstracts (complimentary to Ebscohost online research databases	Subject coverage includes librarianship, classification, cataloguing, bibliometrics, online information retrieval, information management and more.							
subscription)	Coverage in the database extends back as far as the mid-1960s.							
	Provides indexing and abstracts for 280 periodicals.							
	96% of journals indexed in the database are peer-reviewed.							
Teacher Reference Center	Topics include Assessment, Best Practices, Continuing Education, Current Pedagogical Research, Curriculum Development, Elementary Education, Higher Education, Instructional Media, Language Arts, Literacy Standards, School Administration, Science & Mathematics, and Teacher Education.							



	Clinical evidence-based resources
	Most comprehensive collection of databases from the Cochrane Library.
The Cochrane	Cochrane Collection Plus is an essential source of high quality health care data for both providers, patients and those responsible for researching, teaching, funding and administrating at all levels of the medical profession.
Library	Cochrane Collection Plus combines the NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED) and Health Technology Assessments (HTA) with the Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews (CDSR), Database of Abstracts of Reviews of Effects (DARE), Cochrane Central Register of Controlled Trials and Cochrane Methodology Register. All databases in Cochrane Collection Plus are published by Wiley & Sons, Ltd.
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