



COLLEGE OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES
SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL MEDICINE
AND COMMUNITY HEALTH



Who Is a Clinical Officer?

The Department of Clinical Medicine and Community Health Trains Clinical Officers. In various countries, Clinical Officers are also titled as Associate Clinicians, Physician Assistants/Associates, Medical Assistants etc. Clinical Officers provide Curative, Preventive, Promotive and Rehabilitation services and engage in Operations Research as well.

VISION OF THE DEPARTMENT

To be a centre of excellence in developing Clinical Officers of highest standard to serve humanity and improve the standards of health care in Rwanda

MISION

To produce graduates who are competent and ethically committed to deliver quality health care based on curative, preventive, rehabilitative and restorative services to individuals and families in the community and facilitate sound health centre management”.

Main Roles of Clinical Officers

1. To Diagnose and Manage Common Diseases across all age groups
2. To Plan, Implement and Evaluate Health intervention in the Community
3. Manage Health Facilities, engage in Health services management



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