**25th Anniversary Celebrations, Examinations, AGM,**

**Graduation Ceremony & Scientific Conference**

**30th November -06th December 2024**

**Windhoek, Namibia.**

# INFORMATION TO CANDIDATES:

**Examination and Graduation Dates:**

* **Council Meetings:** 30th – 01st December 2024
* **FCS Part II Exams:** 2nd – 3rd December 2024
* **Graduation Ceremony:** 4th December 2024
* **25th Anniversary Celebrations**: 4th December 2024
* **Scientific Conference:** 5th – 6th December 2024

All candidates are supposed to arrive earlier than the date of the exam.

# Exam Venues (PLEASE BE AT THE VENUE 1 HOUR BEFORE THE START TIME

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| ***DATE*** | ***ACTIVITY*** | ***VENUE*** | ***TIME*** |
| Monday 2 | FCS General Surgery | Parirenyatwa Group of Hospitals (B8/4)  | 8:30 AM CAT |
| Monday 2 | FCS Neurosurgery | Parirenyatwa Group of Hospitals (B9) | 8:30 AM CAT |
| Monday 2Tuesday 3 | FCS Orthopaedic Surgery | Parirenyatwa Group of Hospitals(B1/2) | 8:30 AM CAT |
| Monday 2 | FCS Otorhinolaryngology | Sally Mugabe Children’s Hospital | 8:30 AM CAT |
| Monday 2 | FCS Paed Orthopaedic Surgery | Sally Mugabe Children’s Hospital | 8:30 AM CAT |
| Monday 2 | FCS Paediatric Surgery | Sally Mugabe Children’s Hospital | 8:30 AM CAT |
| Monday 2 | FCS Plastic Surgery | Parirenyatwa Group of Hospitals (B11) | 8:30 AM CAT |
| Monday 2 | FCS Urology | Parirenyatwa Group of Hospitals (B11) | 8:30 AM CAT |
| Monday 2 | FCS Cardiothoracic | Parirenyatwa Group of Hospitals (B5) | 8:30 AM CAT |

**Graduation Venue:** Rainbow Towers Hotel, Harare, Zimbabwe

# Examination requirements to FCS Candidates:

* You are required to bring the following for the examination:
	+ White Coat
	+ Pens and Pencils
	+ Measuring Tape
	+ Stethoscope.
* Kindly note that results for the FCS clinical examination will be released on the same day of the examination, therefore all the successful candidates must:
	+ Pay 500 USD (This covers Fellowship Registration Fee & 1-year COSECSA fellowship subscription) before or on the evening of exams result announcement and NOT on the graduation day.
	+ Graduation gowns will be available for purchase/rent at the following prices:
		- Hire -50 USD
		- Purchase- 200 USD

For further clarifications please email Dr. Hanne Getachew (The ECC chair) chair\_ecc@cosecsa.org or panel head of your specific programme. (See the bellow table)

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# Accommodation:

Click [HERE](https://www.cosecsa.org/examination-updates/) for the recommended hotels for the Candidates.

# OTHER DETAILS

**Airport transport**

For those who will use flights to Harare International Airport**,** airport taxes are available at the exit.

**Visa & Other Important Documents**

For most SADC countries, no entry visa is required to visit Zimbabwe. Citizens who require a visa

for Zimbabwe are advised to liaise with the Zimbabwe Embassy in their country before traveling.

All travellers entering Zimbabwe should be in possession of a valid passport, yellow fever,

and COVID-19 vaccination certificates.

**Currency**

The local currency in Zimbabwe is the Zimbabwean Dollar

# Weather:

For more details about the weather please visit the link below: <https://www.weather-atlas.com/en/namibia/windhoek-weather-december>

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