

Who we are

The African Medical Association at the International University of Africa (AMSA – IUA) is a body which collects the African students studying in the different faculties of medicine and health sciences of the University.

Mission statement

The AMSA -IUA is dedicated to empowering trainees in the medical and allied health sciences fields with knowledge and skills that will help them make reasonable decisions and actions through sharing, education, communication, training and advocacy for policy changes on medical and health issue affecting African communities in particular and world at large.

Objectives

The goals of the association shall be to serve medical students and society all over the world through its members by:

- a) Orientation, career guidance and empowering new medical students in using their knowledge and capacities for the benefit of the society in accordance to the field of study.
- b) Promoting health and facilitating professional and scientific exchanges as well as projects and extracurricular training for medical students, thereby.
- c) Sensitizing them to other cultures and societies and their health problems.
- d) Providing a link between members, alumni, within Sudan and international organization, and to encourage the cooperation between them for the ultimate benefit of society.
- e) To unite and foster brotherly relationship among AMSA members with other associations included and to ensure the well being of its members.

- f) Devise means for external support materials from well-wishers in interest of the association aims. The external support may include medical related books, funds and any other help in that field.
- g) To create a platform and atmosphere for medical students to develop leadership skills.

Main goals achieved so far

1. The first international health conference was carried out in January 2013 and had the objective of identifying the major health problems in Africa, their effects on the quality and health standards in order to provide effective ways through which these problems can be eradicated.
2. Partnership with other sister associations and bodies to conduct programs to enlighten the general public.
3. First Scientific and cultural day and post conference workshop under the theme: “African Traditional Health Practices and the modern world” conducted on 6th June, 2013 at the Faculty of medicine and health sciences premises
4. First Medical Camp held in the Northern states (Mahelyat Delgo), Sudan, in February 2013 for 21 days.
5. Training courses to IUA graduates from the medical complex in Ultrasound and ECG
6. Second Health Conference which was in January 2014
7. AMSA-IUA leadership training course (AMSA-LTC) which was conducted in May 2014 for 3 weeks.
8. November 2014 Symposium on Drug Abuse

Future perspectives

1. AMSA third international health conference
2. World Health Organization Simulation Model in Sudan 2015(WHOMS 2015)
3. Strengthening and fostering cooperation between AMSA and other local and international bodies via proper communication and media utilization
4. Health awareness and environmental education
5. Capacity building training

List of AMSA member countries

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| 1. Burkina Faso | 24.Rwanda |
| 2. Burundi | 25.Somalia |
| 3. Cameroun | 26.South Sudan |
| 4. Central African republic | 27.Sudan |
| 5. Chad | 28.Tanzania |
| 6. Comoros | 29.Uganda |
| 7. D.R Congo | 30. Zambia |
| 8. Djibouti | |
| 9. Egypt | |
| 10. Eritrea | |
| 11. Ethiopia | |
| 12. Gambia | |
| 13. Guinea Conakry | |
| 14. Ghana | |
| 15. Guinea | |
| 16. Kenya | |
| 17. Liberia | |
| 18. Malawi | |
| 19. Mauritania | |
| 20. Mozambique | |
| 21. Niger | |
| 22. Nigeria | |
| 23. Republic of Congo | |