



Department of Medicine FCP Part 1 Refresher Course

1st SEMESTER 2025



WELCOME TO THE UCT/GSH DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE REFRESHER COURSE JANUARY 2025

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Dear FCP part 1 Refresher Course Candidates

As Chair and Head of the Department of Medicine UCT/GSH, I welcome you to the **1st Semester UCT/GSH FCP part 1 Refresher Course 2025.**

As a Department of Medicine at UCT, we are very proud of how this course has evolved in terms of what we feel is important, substantive, useful and **core** to the curriculum and your preparation for the FCP part 1 exam. The course offers didactic lectures available online for asynchronous learning and a 3-day interactive ZOOM course with mock MCQ's aligned to the curriculum.

To this end, I am grateful to **Dr Charle Viljoen** who has recently joined the FCP part 1 Refresher Course academic team and is introducing more of a focus on how to cope with the MCQ mode of questioning, as well as ensuring that the core curriculum is tackled.

With our tech partners, **Mobilearn**, we put a strong emphasis on the technical preparation for your participation in the compulsory sessions **31 Jan - 2nd Feb 2025.** For the online Zoom sessions on these days, you will have the opportunity to participate in mock MCQs and discuss your responses. Your preparation therefore is of paramount importance. The more thorough your understanding of the **content** of the recorded lectures, the more benefits you will derive from the 3-day online course, and therefore the more likely your success will be in the exam on **17th February 2025.**

I wish you a thoroughly engaging **FCP part 1 Refresher Course 2025** and hope that your results will reflect the hard work that you yourself will be putting into it.

With my good wishes to you all

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