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# UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL ACT (CHAPTER 205)

## University College Hospital (Hospital Fees) Regulations 1973

*Commencement : 3rd July 1973*

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 15 of the University College Hospital Act, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the University College Hospital Board of Management, with the approval of the Federal Commissioner for Health, hereby charges the fees specified in the Schedule hereunder in respect of the facilities referred to in the Schedule.

2. The University College Hospital (Hospital Fees) Regulations 1964 are hereby repealed.

Repeal of  
L.N. of 78  
1964.

3. These regulations may be cited as the University College Hospital (Hospital Fees) Regulations 1973.

Citation.

## FIRST SCHEDULE

### PART I.—IN-PATIENTS

#### A.—*Exemption from all charges*

No charges shall be paid under Part I of this Schedule for accommodation maintenance or medical or nursing attention, by patients in the following categories :—

- (a) Members of the staff (both established and unestablished) employed by the University College Hospital, their wives and children ;
- (b) Persons certified as paupers by the Head Medical Social Worker ;
- (c) Persons receiving treatment or advice for pulmonary tuberculosis ;
- (d) Persons who, on the certification of the Head of the Department concerned are admitted into the Hospital solely for the purpose of specialised research.

#### B.I.—*Charges for Maintenance and Accommodation only*

Charges for maintenance and accommodation only shall be levied on the persons listed below :—

- (a) Members of the Medical, Dental, Para-medical and Nursing professions employed in their professional capacities by the Governments of the Federation and Mission Hospitals ;
- (b) All children under the age of 16 years (with the exception of charges made for spectacles and dentures) ;
- (c) A member of the Board of Management of University College Hospital, his wife and children ;
- (d) The servants of officers holding senior appointments in the University College Hospital ;
- (e) The holder of a post on the permanent establishment of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Ibadan.

## FIRST SCHEDULE—continued

Charges for accommodation and maintenance of persons referred to above shall be at the following daily rates :—

Any patient :

(i)	whose income exceeds ₹7,000 per annum .. ..	₹4
(ii)	whose income exceeds ₹4,000 per annum but does not exceed ₹7,000 .. ..	₹3
(iii)	whose income exceeds ₹2,000 per annum but does not exceed ₹4,000 .. ..	₹2
(iv)	whose income exceeds ₹1,000 per annum but does not exceed ₹2,000 .. ..	₹1
(v)	whose income does not exceed ₹1,000 per annum ..	50k

Children under sixteen years, School Children and Students undergoing full-time education shall be charged at half the rates applicable to adult patients.

## B.II.—Charges for Treatment, Accommodation and Maintenance

Charges at the following daily rates shall be paid by all other in-patients in respect of accommodation, maintenance and treatment inclusive of charges for medical and nursing attention :—

Any patient :

		₹
(i)	whose income exceeds ₹7,000 per annum .. ..	8
(ii)	whose income exceeds ₹4,000 per annum but does not exceed ₹7,000 .. ..	6
(iii)	whose income exceeds ₹2,000 per annum but does not exceed ₹4,000 .. ..	4
(iv)	whose income exceeds ₹1,000 per annum but does not exceed ₹2,000 .. ..	2
(v)	whose income does not exceed ₹1,000 per annum ..	1

*Note.*—After 30 days, fees under B.I and B.II above are to be reduced as follows for long staying patients :

- after 30 days, fees are to be reduced to 50 per cent of normal charges,
- after 90 days, fees are to be reduced to 25 per cent of normal charges.

## B.III.—Amenity Beds

Inclusive charges for medical and nursing attention, accommodation and maintenance shall be levied on all persons admitted to private wards at their own request (and irrespective of whether they are included in any of the categories in section A and B above) at the daily rate of ₹10.

## B.IV.—Charges for Maternity Cases

The following additional charges shall be levied on in-patients whether or not occupying an amenity bed but not on in-patient under section A (a) who are to pay 50 per cent of the charges :—

Any patient :

		₹
(i)	whose income exceeds ₹7,000 per annum .. ..	100
(ii)	whose income exceeds ₹4,000 per annum but does not exceed ₹7,000 .. ..	80

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(iii)	whose income exceeds ₦2,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦4,000 .. .. .	₦ 60
(iv)	whose income exceeds ₦1,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦2,000 .. .. .	30
(v)	whose income does not exceed ₦1,000 per annum ..	10

B.V.—*Charges for Surgical Cases*

The following additional charges shall be levied on in-patients whether or not occupying an amenity bed but not on in-patients under section A or B.I (a) and (b) of these regulations.

Any patient :

		Operations	
		Major	Other
		₦	₦
(i)	whose income exceeds ₦7,000 per annum ..	40	20
(ii)	whose income exceeds ₦4,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦7,000 .. .. .	30	15
(iii)	whose income exceeds ₦2,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦4,000 .. .. .	30	15
(iv)	whose income exceeds ₦1,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦2,000 .. .. .	20	10
(v)	whose income does not exceed ₦1,000 per annum	10	5

Provided that charges are made not more than twice for patients operated upon on more than two occasions during the course of one admission.

For the purpose of this regulation "Major" and "Other" Operations are the operations respectively so described in the second Schedule to these regulations and any other kind of operation which the House Governor may from time to time classify as falling under one of these headings.

B.VI.—*Charges for Patients from Outside Nigeria*

Inclusive charges for medical and nursing attention, accommodation and maintenance shall be levied on all persons (not being citizens of, or employed in, the Federal Republic of Nigeria) admitted into hospital irrespective of whether or not they are included in sections A (b) and (d) above.

The daily rate charge shall be ₦20 excluding cost of Surgical operations, etc.

B.VII.—*Charges for Special Appliances*

Charges for all appliances including artificial limbs supplied to any patient by the hospital shall be at cost price.

In case of people who fall ill while attending conferences organised in Nigeria, either by the hospital or the University of Ibadan, charges shall be made both as out-patients and in-patients. In-patients will be charged at the rate of ₦10 a day.

B.VIII.—*Charges for Non-Standard Diet*

An additional charge of ₦1 per day shall be levied on all in-patients who elect to have wholly or in part a non-standard diet. This additional charge shall be made regardless of the income of patients and whether they are included in any of the categories in section A or B above.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

## PART II.—OUT-PATIENTS

A.—*Exemption from Charges*

No charges shall be paid under this part of the Schedule for out-patients treatment of any kind by the persons detailed in Section A and B.I of part I of these regulations.

B.—*Charges shall be levied on all other persons as follows*

(i) General out-patients—On first attendance a fee of 50k will be charged to cover all treatment for one week from the date of payment.

A further charge of 50k will be made for each subsequent period of one week or part thereof.

(ii) Casualty Department—Medical attendance :—

(a) Between 7.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. 50k on first attendance ;

(b) Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m. ₦1 on first attendance provided that the Medical Officer on duty shall have power to authorise payment of the normal charge of 50k in cases of trauma and medical emergencies.

(c) For non-emergency cases on Sundays and Public Holidays ₦1 on first attendance.

The payment of the prescribed fee will be valid for treatment for a period of one week, or part thereof in either Casualty or the G.O.P. Department.

Operations for out-patient day cases will be at the following rates

Any patient :

	₦
(a) whose income exceeds ₦7,000 per annum .. .. .	10
(b) whose income exceeds ₦4,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦7,000 .. .. .	6
(c) whose income exceeds ₦2,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦4,000 .. .. .	6
(d) whose income exceeds ₦1,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦2,000 .. .. .	4
(e) whose income does not exceed ₦1,000 per annum .. .. .	2

(iii) Patients referred to Consultant Clinics (including those referred direct from Casualty General Out-patient, outside hospitals or medical practitioners).

Any patient :—

	₦
(a) whose income exceeds ₦7,000 per annum .. .. .	10
(b) whose income exceeds ₦4,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦7,000 .. .. .	8
(c) whose income exceeds ₦2,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦4,000 .. .. .	6
(d) whose income exceeds ₦1,000 per annum but does not exceed ₦2,000 .. .. .	4
(e) whose income does not exceed ₦1,000 per annum .. .. .	2

*Note.*—This charge to cover attendance at Consultant Clinic for the first month.

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Patients continuing to attend Consultant Clinics after a month shall pay half the above charges for each month except those with incomes of under ₦1,000 who will pay the same as General Out-Patients, i.e. 50k for each week (attendance).

*Note.*—If a patient is referred to two out-patient clinics, he will have to pay at the two clinics.

(iv) The payments stated in paragraphs (i) and (ii) may be deferred at the discretion of the Doctor or Sister in charge at the time of attendance of a seriously ill patient. In such a case, the charge becomes payable at the time of the next visit.

(v) Ante-Natal Clinic—A fee of ₦10 will be payable at the time of booking to cover all attendances during pregnancy and attendance at the post-natal clinic until discharged. The fee charged will not include maintenance or delivery in Hospital, for which the charges laid down in Section B of Part I of these regulations will be applicable.

(vi) The following additional charges shall be levied on all out-patients irrespective of the attendance fees they may have paid under section B (i)-(iii) above for services outlined at (a)-(g) below :—

(a) Radiological Services :

	₦
(i) For each Routine X-Ray .. .. .	1
(ii) (a) For each minor special examination .. .. .	5
(iii) (b) For each major special examination ... ..	10
(iv) X-Ray Examination and report for Outside Agencies ..	10
(v) For reporting on Outside Agencies X-Ray Films ..	2

(b) Physiotherapy Services :

(i) For physiotherapy treatment for one week or part thereof	1
(ii) Provided that a complete course of treatment shall not exceed .. .. .	16
(iii) Charges for plaster of Paris, etc. (immobilising appliances)	2
(iv) Charges for Cervical Collar .. .. .	1
(v) Charges for Cervical Collar (Children) .. .. .	0.50
(vi) Aeroplane Splints for Children Plaster .. .. .	1
Aeroplane Splints for Children Plastic .. .. .	1

A deposit of ₦3 shall be charged for a pair of crutches. If they are returned in good condition within a period of 6 months, there will be a refund of ₦1.50k. After a period of 6 months, the deposit is forfeited.

(c) Pathological Services :

	₦
(i) For each examination (per Unit) .. .. .	1
(provided that the maximum amount to be charged for a single examination shall not exceed ₦10).	

The number of unit depends on the complexity of the test as shown in the Appendix.

(d) Ophthalmic Services :

Refraction .. .. .	₦2
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## FIRST SCHEDULE—continued

## (e) Pharmaceutical Services :

Expensive Drugs .. .. .	25 per cent of cost
Medium .. .. .	20 per cent of cost
Cheap .. .. .	Full cost

The classification of drugs under this heading in the Appendix.

## (f) Injections :

For each injection administered in Hospital .. .. . 20k

The fees for all the injections must be paid in advance.

## (g) Mortuary :

Charges for keeping Corpses of persons who died not as in-patients of the Hospital in the Mortuary are as follows :—

	₹
For the first week or part thereof .. .. .	14
For each day thereafter .. .. .	3
Simple Embalming .. .. .	25

In the case of in-patients who died in the Hospital, the above charges shall apply after 7 (seven) days of death.

## PART III.—GENERAL

*General*

1. Fees payable by an in-patient shall be assessed on the basis of the income of such patient ; a married woman shall be charged at the rate applicable to her husband or according to her own income, whichever may be higher.

2. Except where otherwise provided, payment of fees is required to be made as follows :

(i) All sums due from out-patients must be paid before patients are allowed to see the Medical Officer in the clinic except in cases of Medical emergencies.

(ii) Patients admitted are required to pay a deposit equal to the assessed charge for a 14 day stay in the Hospital but in exceptional cases the House Governor may authorise deposit for a lesser period. Subsequent accounts are to be raised weekly in advance ; if the final total charge is less than the deposit, the balance shall be refunded to the patient.

(iii) Payment for services to be rendered to outside agencies must be made before such services are rendered in the Laboratories, etc. Provided that in the case of government hospitals this stipulation may be waived at the discretion of the House Governor as long as previous debts have been settled.

3. All sums received by the Hospital Authority shall be paid into the Account of the Hospital and shown in the Annual Financial Accounts of the Hospital. No Department is allowed to receive fees for services rendered on behalf of the Hospital.

4. Any person who considers that his income has been assessed at an excessive figure shall have the right of appeal to the House Governor against such assessment.



FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

5. Notwithstanding anything contained in Parts I, II and III of these Regulations, the House Governor may waive or reduce the fees chargeable if he is satisfied that in all the circumstances of the case Financial position of the person warrants such a waiver or reduction.

6. A Senior appointment in the University College Hospital for the purpose of these Regulations is one carrying an initial basic salary of ₹2,140 per annum or more.

## APPENDIX I

## EXPENSIVE DRUGS—25 PER CENT OF COST

Antibiotics (Colomycin, Ampicillin, Cloxacillin, Erythromycin, Nystatin, Fucidin, Lincomycin, Spectinomycin)  
 Antihypertensives (Methyldopa, Debrisoquine)  
 Anti-inflammatory (Brufen)  
 Antileptotics (Lamprone)  
 Antiobesity (Ponderax, Lucofen)  
 Asthmatic Preparations (Isoprenaline Spray, Ventolin Tabs and Spray Medihaler)  
 Chemotherapeutics (Septrin)  
 Corticosteroids (Oral) Hydrocortisone, Cortisone  
 Corticosteroids (Topical) Synalar, Betnoviate, Vioform with Hydrocortisone)  
 Decongesant Nasal Sprays (Tyzine)  
 Cytotoxics and Antitumour (Methotrexate, Purinethol, Natulan) Vincristine  
 Psychotropics (Surmontil, Melleril, Sinequan, Nobrium)  
 Urinary Antiseptics (Naladixic Acid)

## CHEAP DRUGS—FULL COST

Analgesics  
 Antacids  
 Anthelmintics  
 Antidiarrhoeals  
 Antimalarials  
 Antipyretics  
 Cough Expectorants and Sedatives  
 Calenical Mixtures (B.P.C. and B.N.F.)  
 Iron Tabs. (see exceptions under medium price drugs)  
 Laxatives  
 Vitamin Tabs/Caps

## MEDIUM PRICE DRUGS—50 PER CENT OF COST

Antiamoebic  
 Antibiotics (with the exception of drugs listed under Expensive drugs)  
 Anticoagulants  
 Anticonvulsants  
 Antidepressives  
 Antiemetics  
 Antihistamines  
 Antihypertensives (with the exception of drugs listed under Expensive Drugs)  
 Antileptotics  
 Antiseptics  
 Antispasmodics  
 Antitubercular  
 Asthmatics  
 Cardiac reactants

FIRST SCHEDULE—continued

- Dermatological Preparations (with the exception of drugs listed under Expensive Drugs)
- Diuretics
- Filaricides
- Hypnotics
- Hypoglycaemics (Oral)
- Hypoglycaemics (Parenteral)
- Ophthalmic Preparations (with the exception of drugs listed under Expensive Drugs)
- Sedatives
- Sulphanomides
- Thyroid and Antithyroid preparations
- Tranquillisers (with the exception of drugs listed under Expensive Drugs)
- Ear/Nose Preparations (with the exception of drugs listed under Expensive Drugs)
- Pancreatic extracts (Oral)
- Urinary antiseptics (with the exception of drugs listed under Expensive Drugs)

APPENDIX II

CLASSIFICATION OF RADIOLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS

- A. ROUTINE PLAIN FILMS
  - Chest X-Rays
  - Abdomen X-Rays, etc.
- B. MINOR SPECIAL PROCEDURES
  - I.V.P.
  - Oral Cholecystogram
  - Intravenous Cholecystogram
  - Fistulogram
  - Venograms
  - Sinogram
  - Barium Swallow
  - Barium Meal
  - Barium Enema
  - Cystogram
  - Dacrocystogram
- C. MAJOR SPECIAL PROCEDURES
  - Hystero-Saplingogram
  - All Angiograms
  - Pneumoencephalogram
  - Air Ventriculogram
  - Spenoportograms
  - Pelvic Pneumogram
  - Tomogram

PATHOLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS

CHEMICAL PATHOLOGY

Bilirubin		
CSF or Blood Sugar	1	
Urea,	}	2 Units
Cholesterol,		
B.S.P. Amylase		
Uric Acid		
Acid Phosphatase		
Alkaline Phosphatase		



FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued*

Electrolytes	}	3 Units
LFT (full-investigations)		
Enzymes—Transaminases or Aldolase or CPK, Ca & PO <sub>4</sub>		
Latex tests		
17 Ketosteroids		
Pregnancy Test		
Immunoglobulins		
Protein+Electrophoresis		
Creatinine		
Glucose Tolerance		
d-xylose excretion		
Renal Function		
Gastric Function :		
Kay's Augmented Histamine		
Hollander's Post vagotomy		
Endocrine Function :		
water loan and dilution		
insulin tolerance		
stimulation or suppression		
I <sup>131</sup> I neck uptake	}	4 Units
Schilling test		
Radioimmunoassay		

## MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY

## MICROSCOPY ONLY :

Blood Films	}	1 Unit
Stools for Intestinal Parasites		
Urine Deposits		
Sputum for A.F.B.		
Other Investigations as relevant		

## MICROSCOPY, CULTURE AND SENSITIVITY TESTS

## WHERE RELEVANT :

Urine Examinations	}	2 Units
Wound Swabs		
Throat Swabs		
Sputum Samples (excluding T.B.)		
Vaginal Swabs	}	4 Units
Pus and Exudates (excluding T.B.)		
Microscopy, Culture of Faeces with identification of pathogens and sensitivity tests where relevant		4 Units
Blood cultures, including sensitivity tests where relevant		3 Units
C.S.F. examinations, including Protein, micro- scopy, culture and sensitivity (excluding T.B.)		3 Units

## SEROLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS :

V.D.R.L. Test	}	4 Units
Widal Test		
Weil-Felix Test		
Brucella agglutinations		
A.S.O. Titres		
Latex agglutination test		

## FIRST SCHEDULE—continued

## SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS :

Complement fixation tests including R.P.C.F.T.	6 Units
Fluorescent antibody tests, including FTA-200	8 Units
Identification of bacterial cultures sent from outside sources	6 Units

## T.B. EXAMINATIONS :

Microscopy and culture only on sputum, urine, etc.	3 Units
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## MYCOLOGY SAMPLES :

Microscopy and culture	4 Units
Identification of cultures sent from outside	4 Units

## VENEREOLOGY SAMPLES

Examination of discharges, serology, etc. during entire course of treatment	10 Units
Miscellaneous samples for Outside Agencies, not listed above	Charge to be determined according to nature of samples to be examined.

## PATHOLOGY

Biopsy	2 Units
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## HAEMATOLOGY

PCV, WBC, Platelet Count	} 1 Unit
Blood Film Report	
Haemoglobin electrophoresis	
Prothrombin Time	
G6PD Screening Test	
Bone marrow report	2 Units
Serum Iron and Iron binding capacity	6 Units

## BLOOD TRANSFUSION

A.B.O. and Phebus Grouping	2 Units
Crossmatching	3 for first 2 pints
	2 for each subsequent pint
Direct Coombs' Test	2 Units
Antenatal Antibody Screening	3 Units
Investigation of Blood Transfusion Reaction	10 Units

## SECOND SCHEDULE

## SURGICAL OPERATIONS

## MAJOR

Abscess of brain
Acute appendicitis
Adenoma of Thyroid
Amputation of hip
Amputation of limbs, except fingers and toes (other) and thigh shoulder and hip (major)
Amputation of penis (total)
Amputation of shoulder
Amputation through thigh
Any operation involving intestinal suture

SECOND SCHEDULE—*continued*

Appendicitis (non-acute)  
 Biliary fistula  
 Carcinoma of the colon  
 Cholecystectomy  
 Cholecystenterostomy  
 Closure of faecal fistula or artificial anus  
 Complete prolapse of rectum involving laparotomy, colostomy or intestinal anastomosis  
 Complicated fistula  
 Craniotomy  
 Cystectomy  
 Depressed fracture  
 Diverticulitis  
 Double inguinal hernia  
 Drainage of bile ducts  
 Drainage of gall bladder  
 Empyema  
 Enterotomy, colotomy, colostomy  
 Epithelioma of the anus  
 Epithelioma of lip with excision of glands  
 Epithelioma of the tongue with radical operation upon the glands  
 Excision of cysts or tuberculous glands of neck (deep to deep fascia)  
 Excision of larger joints  
 Excision of rectum  
 Gastrectomy  
 Gastro-enterostomy  
 Gastrostomy  
 Gastrotomy  
 Hernia (strangulated or irreducible)  
 Haemorrhoidectomy  
 Hydatid of lung or liver  
 Implantation of radium or radon seeds in the cranium, chest, abdomen or bladder  
 Intestinal obstruction (including Intussusception)  
 Laminectomy  
 Hernia—inguinal, femoral umbilical or ventral (simple)  
 Imperforate anus  
 Litholapaxy  
 Meningeal haemorrhage  
 Nephrectomy  
 Perforated ulcer of the alimentary tract  
 Peritonitis (tuberculous, pneumococcal)  
 Prefrontal leucotomy  
 Prostatectomy  
 Pyelo-or nephro-lithotomy  
 Radical removal of breast  
 Rammstedt's operation  
 Radical operation for anal fissure  
 Removal of stone from ureter  
 Rupture of bladder  
 Rupture of urethra  
 Splenectomy  
 Sacro-coccygeal dermoid sinus  
 Suprapubic cystostomy  
 Sympathectomy

SECOND SCHEDULE—*continued*

Thyroidectomy  
 Transplantation of ureters  
 Tumour of the brain  
 Subphrenic abscess requiring trans-thoracic or trans-peritoneal access

## OTHER

Abscess of prostate  
 Abscess  
 Amputation of fingers or toes  
 Amputation of penis (Partial)  
 Any condition treated by surgical diathermy under general anaesthesia, other than mouth, or tongue, or bladder  
 Blood transfusion (grouping and expenses of doner extra)  
 Castration  
 Cystocopy  
 Dilation of anus for fissure  
 Dilation of rectal stricture  
 Dilation of urethra  
 Diathermy to growths of bladder  
 Division of fibrous anus  
 Examination under anaesthetic

## OTHER

Hydrocele (radical)  
 Implantation of radium or radon seeds for treatment of skin tumour  
 Implantation of radium or radon seeds except where included under "Major"  
 Induction of pneumothorax  
 Injection of Gasserian ganglia  
 Injection for pruritus ani  
 Prolapse of rectum  
 Rectal polypi  
 Simple removal of whole breast  
 Ischiorecta abscess  
 Lupus  
 Pyelography (not including service of radiologist)  
 Removal of anal warts and anal papillae  
 Removal of needles from hand or foot or elsewhere  
 Rodent ulcer not involving bone or eye  
 Sebaceous cysts  
 Tuberculous caseous glands of neck (curettng)  
 Varicocele

## GYNAECOLOGICAL OPERATIONS

## MAJOR

## Vulvo-Vaginal :

Anterior and posterior colporrhaphy with amputation of the cervix  
 (Manchester operation)  
 Anterior and posterior colporrhaphy with vaginal hysterectomy (Mayo-Palmer operation)  
 Any vaginal operation when combined with coeliotomy, viz, colpoperitoneoplasty with ventrofixation  
 Radical excision of vulva and glands  
 Repair of vaginal fistulae  
 Vaginal hysterectomy  
 Relief of atresia vaginae

SECOND SCHEDULE—*continued*

## UTERUS AND ADNEXA :

- Cyst of the broad ligament
- Hysterectomy
- Myomectomy
- Salpingectomy (acute inflammation, complicated pyo- or hydro-salpinx, extra-uterine gestation)
- Ovariectomy
- Salpingectomy or Salpingostomy

## OTHER :

## VOLVO-VAGINAL :

- Anterior and posterior colporrhaphy
- Colporrhaphy and/or perineorrhaphy
- Cauterisation
- Cysts or simple tumours of the vulva and vagina
- Removal of caruncle
- Urethral prolapse
- Colpotomy

## UTERUS AND ADNEXA :

- Dilatation with intra-urine operations
- Evacuation of retained products

## CERVIX :

- Dilatation
- Insufflation
- Removal of polypi

*Note.*—EVA, Biopsy of Cervix, Diagnostic Curettage are excluded, as they count as Biopsies and are therefore free.

## EAR, NOSE AND THROAT OPERATIONS

## MAJOR

- Extensive operative treatment of malignant disease
- Open, i.e. external operation on the larynx and pharynx (exclusive of laryngotomy)
- Open operations on the nasal accessory sinuses
- Operations on the temporal bone exclusive of simple mastoidectomy
- Simple tracheotomy
- Mastoidectomy
- Reduction of long standing facial bones
- Operative treatment of malignant disease involving skin of face only

## OTHER :

- Diagnostic peroral endoscopy
- Opening of quinsies
- Mastoidectomy—Drainage of mastoid abscess
- Myringotomy
- Reduction of fractured nose
- Operative peroral endoscopy (i.e. bronchoscopy, oesophagoscopy and laryngoscopy)
- Intra-nasal operations
- Removal of tonsils or adenoids
- Simple removal of nasal polypi

SECOND SCHEDULE—*continued*

## OPHTHALMIC OPERATIONS

## MAJOR

Corneal grafting  
 Conical corneae  
 Corneal abscision or tattooing  
 Corneal wound  
 Detachment of retina  
 Epicanthus  
 Exenteration of lachrymal sac, all methods  
 Exenteration of orbit  
 Excision of rodent ulcer  
 Excision of evisceration of eyeball  
 Exploration of orbit  
 Extraction of senile cataract  
 Claucoma, acute or chronic  
 Iridectomy  
 Kronlein's operation  
 Operation for dislocated lens  
 Ptosis  
 Reconstruction of eyelids  
 Needling capsule after senile cataract  
 Needling juvenile cataract  
 Orbital abscess  
 Randon applications for neoplasm  
 Removal of intraocular foreign body  
 Removal of intraorbital tumours  
 Strabismus

## OTHER

Canaliculus and lachrymal duct exploration  
 Cauterisation of conical ulcer  
 Chalazion  
 Ectropion  
 Entropion  
 Excision of pterygium  
 Lachrymal abscess  
 Paracentesis  
 Trichiasis  
 Peritomy  
 Removal of superficial dermoid  
 Removal of foreign body embedded in cornea  
 Suturing lid wounds

## ORTHOPAEDIC OPERATIONS

## MAJOR

Amputation through thigh  
 Amputation of limbs, except fingers and toes (other) and thigh shoulder and hip (major)  
 Closed reduction and fixation of fractures involving joints or shafts of larger bones  
 Congenital club foot  
 Congenital dislocation of the hip  
 Disarticulation of the hip and shoulder



SECOND SCHEDULE—*continued*

Emergency operations for acute osteomyelitis and acute suppurative arthritis  
 Excision of cervical rib  
 Excision of larger joints  
 Internal derangement of the knee and other joints  
 Laminectomy  
 Open reduction of fractures  
 Operative treatment of compound fractures  
 Radical Operations for bone tumours  
 Reconstructive operations on bones and joints :—  
     arthrodesis  
     arthroplasty  
     bone grafts  
 Repair of intricate tendon injuries  
 Secondary nerve sutures  
 Severe congenital and actured deformities requiring open correction  
 Spina bifida  
 Tendon transplantation  
 Other orthopaedic operations requiring an equivalent degree of surgical skill

## OTHER

Excision of bursae communicating with larger joints  
 Manipulation of larger joints  
 Open correction of simpler deformities :  
     Hallux valgus  
     Hallux rigidus  
     Pes cavus  
     Torticollis  
     } unilateral  
 Primary nerve and tendon repairs  
 Amputations of toes and fingers  
 Application of plaster-of-paris casts with or without anaesthesia  
 Hammer toe  
 Manipulation of smaller joints  
 Removal of exostoses  
 Removal of small bursae  
 Simple manipulation of tenotomy and plasters

## PLASTIC SURGERY OPERATIONS

## MAJOR

Repair of hare-lip and/or cleft palate  
 Repair of syndactyly  
 Repair of hypospadias  
 Excision of maxilla  
 Excision of mandible  
 Osteotomy of maxilla or mandible  
 Tube pedicle repairs  
 Flap repairs  
 Major skin grafting operations  
 Skin grafting of major burns  
 Excision of burns  
 Excision of malignant lesions with plastic repair  
 Macillo-facial injuries, needing plastic repair  
 Major cosmetic work : e.g. on breast, nose, ears, etc.  
 Major reconstruction work following cancrum oris, leprosy infections  
 Vaginal reconstruction

## SECOND SCHEDULE—continued

## OTHER

Scar excision  
 Excision of Keloids  
 Dressings under anaesthesia  
 Dental extractions  
 Eyelet wiring  
 Z-plastics and minor flap repairs  
 Excision of sloughs  
 Excision of benign lesions with plastic repair  
 Minor skin grafts

MADE by the University College Hospital Board of Management this 22nd day of February 1973.

S. I. A. AKENZUA  
*Chairman*

T. L. FASAKIN  
*Acting Secretary*

APPROVED pursuant to section 15 of the University College Hospital Act this 3rd day of July 1973.

AMINU KANO  
*Federal Commissioner for Health*

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note does not form part of the above Regulations but is intended to explain its effect)*

The Regulations set out the fees to be paid by patients who attend for treatment and consultation at the University College Hospital. They also provide for fees to be charged according to the income of each patient and for exemptions to be made in appropriate cases.

The Regulations replace those published as Legal Notice 78 in *Official Gazette* No. 57 of 2nd July, 1964.

L.N. 43 of 1973

IMMIGRATION ACT 1963  
 (1963 No. 6)

**Mustapha Zaki Bakri Deportation Order 1973**

*Commencement : 16th July 1973*

I, the Acting Federal Commissioner for Internal Affairs, being of the opinion that MUSTAPHA ZAKI BAKRI at present in Nigeria ought to be classified as a prohibited immigrant and acting under the power conferred upon me by section 18 (2) of the Immigration Act 1963 hereby order the said MUSTAPHA ZAKI BAKRI to be deported from Nigeria by the first available means and I direct that the said MUSTAPHA ZAKI BAKRI shall thereafter remain out of Nigeria.

This Order may be cited as MUSTAPHA ZAKI BAKRI Deportation Order 1973.

MADE at Lagos this 16th day of July 1973.

T. A. FAGBOLA,  
*Acting Federal Commissioner,  
 for Internal Affairs*