

# DR. ALBERT G. GACHAU

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## BIO DATA

### Personal profile:

Name: Dr. Albert Giitwa Gachau  
Sex: Male  
Year of birth: 1973, May  
Marital status: Married, With 2 Children  
Current employment: Kenyatta University  
School: School of Medicine  
Department: Pathology  
Position: Lecturer

### Professional qualification (As registered by the Medical Practitioners & Dentists Board):

Medical Specialist - Anatomical and Clinical Pathologist (Mmed-Pathology)  
General medical doctor (MB;ChB)

### Areas of current practice and future interests:

Haematopathology  
Anatomical pathology (Histopathology and Forensic pathology)  
Clinical pathology  
Cancer screening

### Academic qualifications:

Master of Medicine in Human Pathology (University Of Nairobi -2005)  
Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (University Of Nairobi – 1999)

### Ongoing professional development:

Annual CPD accreditation by the Medical Practitioners and Dentists Board

## **Post graduate supervision:**

### *Graduated:*

Jane Njeri ( 2015); School of Public Health; Thesis Title; **Determinants of Cervical Cancer Screening Among Women of Reproductive Age At The Thika Level 5 Hospital, Kiambu County, Kenya**

Mwangi Hiuhu, School of Public Health: Thesis Title: **Determinants of Cervical Cancer Screening among Women in the Kitui County, Kenya**

### *In the field (Data collection stage):*

Ann Mugo, School of Public Health: Thesis Title: **Determinants of Quality of Life Among Children With Diabetes Mellitus in The Nairobi County, Kenya**

Rose Okello, School of Public Health: Thesis Title: **Health-Related Quality of Life Among Diabetic Children Attending Paediatric Diabetes Clinic at Kenyatta National Hospital, Nairobi, Kenya**

### *Awaiting KU-Ethics & Research Committee Clearance:*

Joyce Isika Nyamai, School of Public Health: Thesis Title: **Evaluation of Adolescent Sexual and Reproductive Health Education Outcomes in Reducing Risky Sexual Behaviour Among Secondary School Students in Nakuru Town, Subcounty, Kenya**

Margaret Wangui Njeru, School of Public Health: Thesis Title: **Utilization of Immunization Services among under 5 in Compliance with KEPI Schedule in Kirinyaga County, Kenya.**

Esther Wangari Gitahi, School of Public Health: Thesis Title: **Awareness, Preferences and Acceptability of ART among Women attending Infertility Clinic at Kenyatta National Hospital, Nairobi County, Kenya.**

## **ACADEMIC RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Teaching undergraduate students in the Department of Pathology

- Supervision of Post-graduate students
- Setting and administration of examinations
- Membership to Departmental administrative committees

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Coordinator, E-Learning, Department of Pathology 2008 to date
- Coordinator, Kenyatta University Funeral Home, 2008, November – 2014, December
- Chairman, Kenyatta University Funeral Home Committee, 2008, November – 2008, December
- Coordinator, ISO and Quality Management, Department of Pathology 2008 to 2012

#### **REFEREES:**

Dr. James Ogutu  
Chairman, Department of Pathology  
Kenyatta University

Prof. Lucy Muchiri  
Professor of Pathology  
Department of Pathology  
University of Nairobi