

**SEIKWA NURSING AND MIDWIFERY TRAINING COLLEGE  
RESEARCH REPORT FORMAT**

**ADVICE TO STUDENTS**

**This is the recommended format for presentation of your research report to the Seikwa Nursing and Midwifery Training College and you are advised to follow the presentation format.**

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**Appendices:** Ethics letters, introductory letters, copy of data collection tool e.g questionnaire

**N.B: (Word limit of the study: 6,000-8,000)**

## **NOTES**

### **Chapter One: Introduction**

Background: facts should be sequential, backed by literature and should outline the problem. It should reflect the scope or nature of the topic and written clearly to alley all doubts and confusions. (Writing from the global perspective, national and the local setting)

Problem statement: must be very short because it has been outlined a bit in the background to avoid repetitions.

#### Justification

Tell us the rationale behind your study, importance and the whole essence of embarking on this study. Give us reasons you think your topic must be dealt with and how urgent this research is needed.

#### General and specific objectives

Your specific objectives should be S.M.A.R.T; Simple, Measureable, Achievable, Relevant and Time-Oriented.

#### Delimitation /Scope

Tell us the parameters you are setting for your work which is likely to affect generalizability of your findings.

Operational definitions: should just indicate terms that have been adopted for the purpose of the study alone and not a dictionary definition of terms.

### **Chapter Two: Literature review**

Literature review should include what others have written on the topic and must be organised along the lines of the specific objectives i.e. use objectives to generate subthemes with headings. The themes are geared in addressing the problem of the study.

Literature should gather from world, continent, country and local situations. Should not be out-dated (Citations shouldn't be more than Eight (8) Years).

### **Chapter Three: Materials and Methods**

Study area and study population; study design; sampling techniques; data collection methods and instruments; data analysis techniques; ethical consideration, study limitation

### **Chapter Four: Data Analysis and Results**

Study findings should be presented on graphs in line with the study objectives. All biographic data are best presented in a table other than individual graphs.

