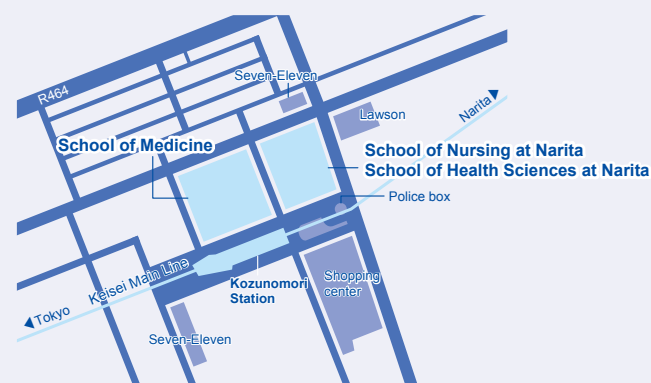
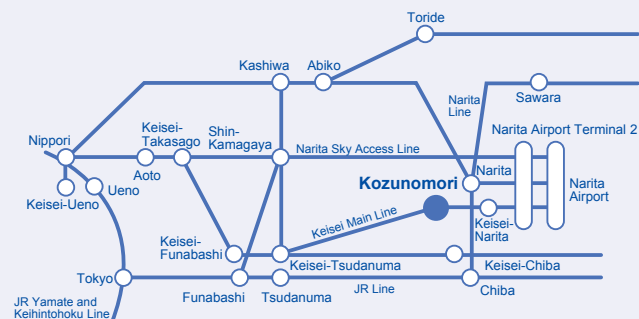


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IUHW Campus Locations

The International University of Health and Welfare (IUHW) was founded in 1995 as the first comprehensive university of health and welfare in Japan. In the academic year 2023, approximately 10,000 students are studying at 10 schools, and 26 departments in 5 campuses located in Otawara City (Tochigi), Narita City (Chiba), Akasaka (Tokyo), Odawara City (Kanagawa), and Okawa City (Fukuoka).



Message from the Chairman



TAKAGI Kuninori
M.D., Ph.D.
IUHW Chairman

The International University of Health and Welfare (IUHW) was founded in 1995 in Otawara, Tochigi, with the aim of nurturing and empowering health and welfare professionals. It consists of 10 faculties and 26 departments on five campuses across Japan, and approximately 10,000 students are currently enrolled, including graduate school students. In the 28 years since its opening, the university has produced about 32,000 well-qualified graduates and is highly regarded both in Japan and abroad.

Since its establishment in 2017, the School of Medicine has been promoting innovative medical education. With numerous classes taught in English, the emphasis is placed on training doctors with excellent general medical skills through small-group education, integrated curriculum, and active learning. Being comparable with world standards, students undertake an 80-week-long extensive clinical training, including overseas, at a number of medical and welfare-related facilities associated with IHW Group. These include the six affiliated hospitals, among them the Sanno Hospital, famous for its obstetrics ward and other facilities that have been established as Clinical Research Centers for Medicine. In addition, the principle of Interprofessional Education makes the most of the university’s advantageous position as a medical and welfare university that trains a large number of professions, and cross-disciplinary teams are formed to experience team medical care.

From the fourth year onwards, clinical practice is carried out at IUHW Narita Hospital, IUHW Hospital, and other group hospitals; in the sixth year, overseas clinical practice at hospitals and medical institutions affiliated with medical universities around the world is compulsory. In addition to a large number of faculty members with extensive overseas educational and clinical experience, the Office of Medical Education who implements medical education that exceeds world standards, has a large number of full-time faculty members, including foreign faculty members, and consolidates authority over curriculum organization, evaluation, and other related matters. It also focuses on integrated education with the graduate school.

The Narita Campus is an international environment, where talented students from Japan and abroad gather to study. One out of every seven students is an international student, including top students recommended by their governments and universities in Vietnam, Myanmar, Mongolia, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, and other countries. In particular, the scholarship students, for whom the university covers all tuition fees, course materials, and living expenses are expected to become future leaders in the field of medicine and welfare in their home countries. By including such international students and promoting medical cooperation, the university is committed to improving the standard of healthcare in Asia as a whole. In March 2023, the inaugural class graduated from the School of Medicine. With achieving the pass rate of 99.2% from the National Examination for Medical Practitioners, they, including 15 international students who took the exam, started their career as a doctor.

IUHW Narita Hospital, located near Narita Campus, has five renowned centers. First, the Remote Diagnostic Imaging Center is affiliated with overseas universities and medical institutions. Second, the Center for Preventative Medicine is one of the largest health checkup centers in Japan. The hospital also hosts the Radiotherapy Cancer Center that provides TomoTherapy as well as the Center for Genomic Diagnosis. Last but not least, we have the Center for International Research of Infectious Diseases. IUHW Narita Hospital aims to be Asia’s leading international hub hospital, providing world-class advanced medical care to patients both domestic and abroad. In order to enhance our research contributions in the research sector, we have also established distinctive centers such as Institute of Medical Genomics, Center for International Research of Infectious Diseases, and the Innovation and Research Support Center.

We will continue to contribute in the fields of education, medicine, and welfare in cooperation with the local community to build an international medical center of the highest standard in the world. This way, we hope that the people of Narita City and Chiba Prefecture will be able to boast that they have the International University of Health and Welfare in their neighborhood. It is our aim that through implementing innovative medical education, our School of Medicine will produce many doctors who will become active on the world stage.

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Principles and Educational Goals of IUHW

3 Fundamental Principles

- University focused on well-balanced individuals with a solid sense of humanity
- University strongly connected to and fully open to the community
- University directed towards the attainment of global standard

7 Educational Principles

- Personality Development
- Expertise
- Inter-profession
- Information Science and Technology
- Internationality
- Freedom of Thought
- Innovative University Management

Message from the President



Professor **SUZUKI Yasuhiro**
M.D., Ph.D.
President

Established in 2017, the International University of Health and Welfare’s School of Medicine has been delivering cutting edge medical education to train physicians with comprehensive, high-level medical skills and international mindset who can contribute to interdisciplinary team medical care. In order to provide medical education that surpasses global standards, the School of Medicine established the Office of Medical Education with approximately 30 full-time faculty members, an unprecedented number among medical schools in Japan. The Office of Medical Education provides appropriate and effective guidance while closely monitoring each student’s level of understanding of classes and achievement in practical training. In addition, in order to cultivate real English language skills essential in a global society, many classes are taught in English. Group studies in which Japanese and international students work together create opportunities to accept people with differing value systems and cultivate an international outlook. As all students complete over 80 weeks of clinical training of world standards that includes actual participation in medical treatment, they can be expected to exhibit excellent clinical skills.

The university’s learning environment, which allows students to experience clinical practice at the six affiliated hospitals and the Clinical Research Centers for Medicine, is an extremely privileged environment that I did not have the opportunity to experience when I was a medical student myself. In addition, students can form mixed-department teams and experience team medical care under the guidance of doctors and specialists active in their fields of expertise. I hope that all of you who study at our university will deepen your knowledge in this enriching environment and make the most of the life ahead of you. In March 2023, the first class of medical students graduated from IUHW and took their first step as a doctor. I sincerely hope that all the students who leave this university will be active as leaders in medicine and welfare, not only in their local community but also on the international stage.

Profile

Graduated from Keio High School and Keio University School of Medicine. Doctor of Medicine. Received two master’s degrees (Master of Public Health, Master of Science) from Harvard University Graduate School of Public Health in the U.S. Served as Director General of the World Health Organization (WHO) and Medical Technical Supervisor of Japan’s Ministry of Health, Labor and Welfare. Selected as an Executive Board Member of WHO in December 2022. Appointed as a professor of IUHW Graduate School in January 2021 and the Vice-President in March of the same year. Has been in his current position of President since April 2022.

Message from the Dean of the School of Medicine



SAKAMOTO Michiie
M.D., Ph.D.
Dean

The inaugural class, who enrolled in the year of the establishment of the School of Medicine in 2017, graduated this spring. Having received unprecedented innovative medical education, henceforth they are expected to play an important role in and outside Japan. The influence they bring in various ways will surely make a big impact on current students. We, the faculty and staff members of the university, aspire to build an environment that facilitates synergy. By cherishing a fundamental principle of medicine - “to be considerate of and treat the sick” – we strive to nurture individuals who can fully demonstrate their strengths in medicine, a field that has quite a diversity of specialties and professions, and who can contribute to harmonious coexistence with the world. The faculty and staff aim to sincerely attend to the needs of all 140 students who enroll each year at the undergraduate level, including 20 international students, and help them build a firm foundation as a doctor by offering individual support, learning together, and encouraging self-growth. We hope that through active participation in extra-curricular activities, research activities in medical life sciences, and international exchange activities, the students will become doctors with sharp and agile minds. This new School of Medicine, launched in the 21st century, is meeting the needs of the times as it develops empathetic doctors who can connect geographically advantaged Narita with Asia and the world, and expands medical care to new horizons. As our university consist of multiple healthcare-related departments, our graduates will certainly be able to demonstrate their overall ability and true value in various areas due to their deep understanding of interdisciplinary team care. It is my hope that many of you will aspire to join us at IUHW, and I look forward to learning together with you.

Profile

Graduated from La Salle High School and Keio University School of Medicine in 1985. Doctor of Medicine. Currently appointed as Professor Emeritus at Keio University. Pathologist. Studied at the Burnham Institute, USA. Served as Chief of Pathology Division at National Cancer Center, Japan, and Professor of Department of Pathology at Keio University School of Medicine. Appointed as the Director of the Japan Society of Hepatology and President of Japan Liver Cancer Association. Presently an associate member of Science Council of Japan and an executive committee member of Asia-Pacific Primary Liver Cancer Expert Meeting. Served as President of the 108th Annual Meeting of the Japanese Society of Pathology, President of the 57th Annual Meeting of Liver Cancer Study Group of Japan, and President of the 26th General Meeting of the Japan Society of Hepatology, Japan Digestive Disease Week 2022. Awarded the Sagawa Special Award from SGH Foundation in 2015, the Japan Pathology Award from the Japanese Society of Pathology in 2017, and the Oda Award from the Japan Society of Hepatology in 2022.

History of IUHW

1995	APR	Establishment of International University of Health and Welfare Establishment of School of Health
1997	APR MAY	Establishment of School of Health and Welfare Opening of IUHW Clinic
1998	OCT	Establishment of International Research Institute of Health and Welfare
1999	APR	Establishment of Master’s Program in Health Sciences
2001	APR	Establishment of Doctoral Program in Health Sciences and Master’s Program in Health and Welfare, and Health Service Management Establishment of Satellite Campuses for Graduate School
2002	JUL	Opening of IUHW Atami Hospital
2005	MAR APR	Opening of IUHW Mita Hospital Establishment of School of Pharmacy at Otawara and School of Rehabilitation Sciences at Okawa in Fukuoka Prefecture

2006	APR	Establishment of School of Health Sciences at Odawara Campus in Kanagawa Prefecture
2007	FEB APR	International Health and Welfare Hospital renamed to IUHW Hospital Establishment of School of Health Sciences and School of Rehabilitation Sciences at Fukuoka Establishment of the Master’s Program in Clinical Psychology
2009	APR	Establishment of School of Nursing at Fukuoka (Fukuoka City, Fukuoka) Unification of two departments in School of Health and Welfare into new Department of Social Services and Healthcare Management Establishment of Master’s Program in Pharmaceutical Sciences and in Biosis-pharmacy (Presently renamed to Biopharmaceutical Science) Opening of IUHW Shioya Hospital Opening of IUHW Shioya Nursing College
2011	JAN	Opening of IUHW Nasu Seminar House

2012	FEB APR AUG	Opening of IUHW Radiation Disaster Control Research Center Establishment of Doctoral Program in Medical and Biopharmaceutical Science in Graduate School of Pharmacy Opening of Yufuin Seminar House and Amiti Yufu-kogen (Yufu City, Oita)
2013	APR	School of Rehabilitation Sciences at Fukuoka renamed to School of Health Sciences at Fukuoka Establishment of Department of Medical Technology and Sciences in School of Health Sciences at Fukuoka Relocation of School of Nursing at Fukuoka to Seaside Momochi area in Sawara, Fukuoka City
2015	JUN	Opening of Japanese Language Program at Otawara
2016	APR	Establishment of School of Nursing and School of Health Sciences at Narita
2017	APR SEP	Establishment of School of Medicine at Narita Kaken Hospital renamed to IUHW Ichikawa Hospital

2018	APR	Establishment of School of Psychology and Healthcare Management at Akasaka (Tokyo Akaska Campus) Establishment of Graduate School of Medicine (Doctoral Program) and Graduate School of Public Health (Master’s Program)
2019	APR	Establishment of IUHW Japanese Language Program at Okawa
2020	MAR APR	Opening of IUHW Narita Hospital (Narita City, Chiba) Establishment of Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences at Okawa and Department of Radiological Sciences at Narita Opening of Building W at Tokyo Akasaka
2021	APR	Fukuoka School of Nursing at Fukuoka Campus transferred to Fukuoka International University of Health and Welfare Establishment of Department of Clinical Engineering: Special Advanced Course at Narita
2023	APR	Establishment of Department of Nursing in School of Health Sciences at Okawa Establishment of Department of Care Worker: Special Advanced Course at Narita

Features of IUHW School of Medicine

Provides Unprecedented Medical Education to Nurture Globally Minded Physicians Equipped with Comprehensive and Advanced Skills

1 Fostering medical professionals who can play active roles in local as well as global communities

- With an emphasis on the aspiration to contribute to international medical cooperation and community medicine, students are carefully selected through interviews and other screening methods.
- Of the 140 students in each academic year, 20 are international students from around the world.

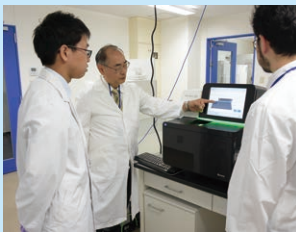
2 High quality medical education full of international features, which surpasses the global standard set by WFME (World Federation for Medical Education)

- One of the world's largest medical education simulation centers with a site area of over 5,338m² is located on campus.
- Students participate in "clinical clerkships" in which they can learn as a member of a clinical team for at least two years.
- The sixth university hospital, IUHW Narita Hospital newly opened in 2020. The hospital aims to become a world medical hub and will be the main center for clinical training.
- In Year 6, all students are to participate in clinical training abroad for at least four weeks.
- Intensive language education such as the introduction of lectures in English for a number of modules is offered in order to develop the ability to diagnose, participate in conferences, and have discussions in English.



3 Teaching staff are internationally-renowned leading experts in each field

- IUHW employs teaching staff with diverse international backgrounds with practical and academic experiences, who are appropriate for this university aiming to become an international medical hub.



4 Advanced medical education at the graduate level

- In April 2018, the Graduate School of Medicine (Doctoral Program) and Graduate School of Public Health (Master's Program) opened to foster competent personnel capable of further developing medical sciences through collaboration with the IUHW School of Medicine.

5 The tuition is set to be at the lowest standard among other private medical schools, and a variety of scholarship programs are provided

- The amount of money to be paid for the six years, including tuition, is set to be the lowest among other private medical schools in Japan.
- IUHW offers a variety of financial support, including special scholarship programs.



6 Advantage of our strength as a comprehensive university of health and welfare

- As part of "interprofessional education," third year medical students participate in lectures and practical training to learn "Team Care Medicine" in which specialists in different fields combine their efforts and work together.

Interview with International Students

Q What made you decide to become a doctor?

Kong Borey (Cambodia): I was often ill as a child. I saw how brilliant and great doctors are, and from then on I aspired to become a doctor in the future.

Huynh Ngoc Yen Nhi (Vietnam): I am interested in science, and I want to become someone who can use that scientific knowledge to help lots of people. That is why I admire doctors.

Talgat Tilyeubyek (Mongolia): I have liked doctors' white coats since I was a child, so I decided to become a doctor.

May Pyae Kyaw (Myanmar): When I see someone who is ill, I feel that I want to help them. I really enjoy seeing the happy faces of people who have been cured, and that has made my wish to become a doctor stronger.

Ta Ha Nguyen (Vietnam): I want to become a doctor who can save people's lives, and who can improve the quality of life of many people.

Yuliany Putri (Indonesia): When I was asked what I want to be in the future when I was a third-year student, I realized that I wanted to enter a profession that relates to a subject I like, and a profession where I can utilize the knowledge I gained from the subject I like to help people directly. That made me decide to become a doctor.



From the left: Kong Borey, Huynh Ngoc Yen Nhi, Talgat Tilyeubyek, May Pyae Kyaw, Ta Ha Nguyen, Yuliany Putri

Q Why did you choose to go to a Japanese medical school?

Kong Borey: Japan is a developed nation, and various fields such as industry, technology, education, and the healthcare system are well-developed. I thought that I would be able to study various things in Japan, and chose a medical school in Japan.

Huynh Ngoc Yen Nhi: Since Japan has high-level healthcare, I thought that if I could enroll in a Japanese medical school, I would be able to experience cutting-edge medical technology of the world. When I heard that there was a scholarship program at IUHW, I aspired for it without hesitation.

Talgat Tilyeubyek: I wanted to become a doctor who is useful anywhere in the world. We study medicine in Japanese and English at IUHW. I chose this university thinking that I could become the doctor I am aiming to be by using this great chance.

May Pyae Kyaw: I chose the Japanese medical school because I believe that Japan has a wonderful health insurance system, an excellent education system, a better standard of living, and I believe that I can gain a lot of knowledge here.

Ta Ha Nguyen: Before coming to Japan, I learned from television and textbooks that Japan has a brilliant medical technology and healthcare environment. Hearing that IUHW had spots for international students, I wanted to study here.

Yuliany Putri: Japan is a developed country not only in Asia, but also in the world. I think that Japanese medical research and technology is also in the top class. Having been able to enroll in the Japanese medical school is a great blessing.

Q What is your dream for the future?

Kong Borey: I want to return to my home country and contribute to the development of various fields, particularly medicine in my country.

Huynh Ngoc Yen Nhi: After studying medicine and gaining work experience as a physician, eventually I want to return to my home country and contribute to the development of healthcare in both Vietnam and Japan.

Talgat Tilyeubyek: I want to become a doctor who is useful to people. As a doctor, regardless of what kind of doctor I become, I will aim to send patients home with a smile, without ever forgetting that kindness is one of the most important character traits for a doctor.

May Pyae Kyaw: I want to become a bridge in healthcare between Japan and Myanmar. I want to become a doctor who is trusted by Japanese people also.

Ta Ha Nguyen: I want to build a bridge between healthcare in my home country and Japan. I also want to gain experience in many different countries.

Yuliany Putri: I want to become a doctor who can cater to patients' needs, and help them to lead a healthy life. I also want to become a doctor who can promote my home country.

Facilities of IUHW School of Medicine

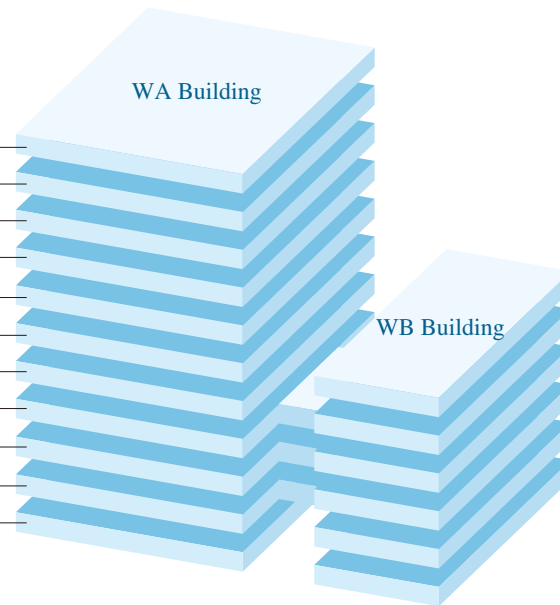
Modern facilities with the latest medical equipment for studying and research

The School of Medicine is located right next to the building of the School of Nursing at Narita / School of Health Sciences at Narita, and consists of two buildings, WA Building (11 stories in height) and WB Building (6 stories in height). Its total floor area is approximately 48,000m². In the buildings, there are distinctive facilities such as 4 theater rooms which can hold 162 people each, and a multimedia laboratory with a virtual slide system.



WA Building

- 11F International conference room / Reception room / Boardroom / Restaurant
- 10F Office of Medical Education / Shared office
- 9F Laboratory / Shared office / International conference room
- 8F Center for Basic Medical Research
- 7F Institute of Medical Genomics / Telemedicine Center / Advanced Reproductive Medicine Research Center / The Center for Education and Research of Microbiology
- 6F Research laboratory area / Department of Radiological Sciences / Conference Room / Counseling Room / Shared Office / Lecture Room
- 5F The Center for International Research of Infectious Diseases / Graduate School of Medicine / Graduate School of Public Health / Seminar room
- 4F Simulation Center for Outstanding Professional Education (SCOPE)
- 3F Library / SGD Room / TBL Room
- 2F Auditorium / TBL Room
- 1F Entrance hall / Autopsy rooms / IUHW Health Service Center / Coffee shop



- Laboratory / Shared office / Teaching staff room 6F
 - Lecture room / Multimedia room 5F
 - Simulation Center for Outstanding Professional Education (SCOPE) 4F
 - Computer lab / Language room / International Center 3F
 - Student lounge / Bookstore / Locker room 2F
 - Entrance hall / Anatomy lab / General information 1F
- WB Building

Telemedicine Center

A Telemedicine Center, connecting with universities and medical institutes overseas, has been installed on the 7th floor of the WA Building. Since 2011, IUHW has successfully completed a telepathology and telediagnosis project in China, Vietnam, and Myanmar as a part of the international medical alliance project promoted by the Ministry of Economy, Trade, and Industry.

The Center for International Research of Infectious Diseases

The Center for International Research of Infectious Diseases is located on the 5th floor of the WA Building, and fortifies a structure for infectious diagnosis and research. Our School of Medicine and IUHW Narita Hospital enhance risk management function against emerging infectious diseases overseas considering their position in Narita, an international gateway city. We foster professionals who are able to manage infection control in developing countries.



Health Evaluation and Promotion Center-Cho Ray Hospital IUHW (HECI) is connected with the Telemedicine Center

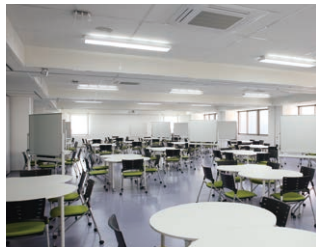


Telepathology and Telediagnosis Project in Vietnam

WA Building



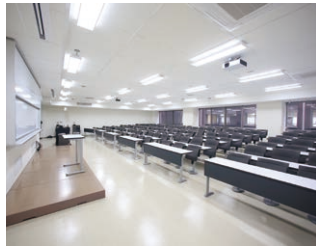
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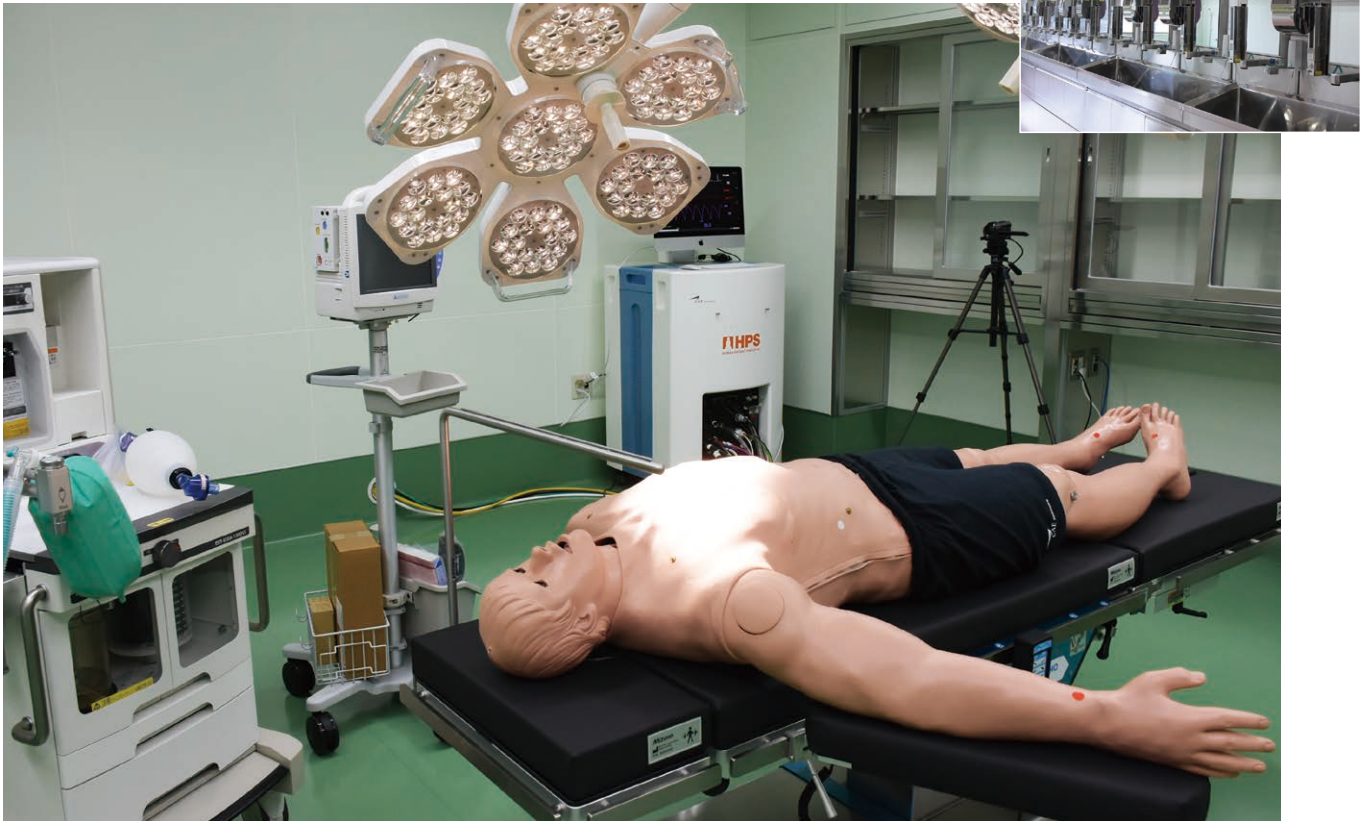
SCOPE (Simulation Center for Outstanding Professional Education)

One of the largest medical education simulation centers in the world

On the 4th floor of WA Building and WB Building, one of the largest medical education simulation centers with a site area of 5,338m² has been established. Through several practical simulation educations, students can obtain basic clinical skills effectively. Examples are to train midwifery skill with birth training kits, and educate auscultation skill using heart sound and respiratory sound training kits practically.

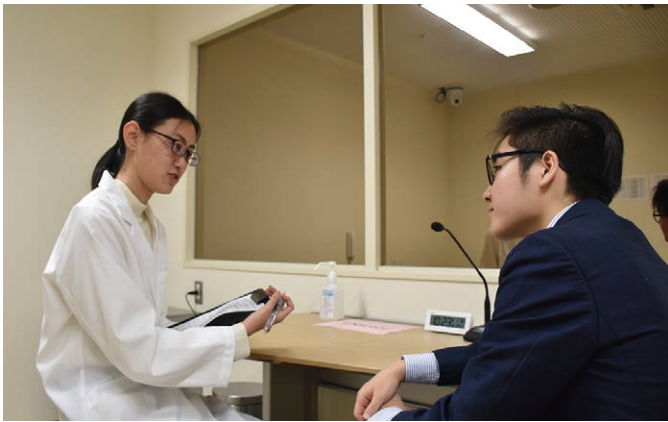
OR <OR Simulation Room>

For learning operational procedures and medical safety using the latest equipment



Examination Room

For training basic skills of medical interview and physical examination



Examination Room



Monitor room to view all 22 examination rooms

ICU <ICU Simulation Room>

For experiencing what actions are expected in ICU



Simulation Hospital Room

For experiencing hospital situations and learning how to deal with them



ER <ER Simulation Room>

For learning ER inner workings from an early stage



Physical Assessment <Physical Assessment Lab>

For physically experiencing knowledge from lectures



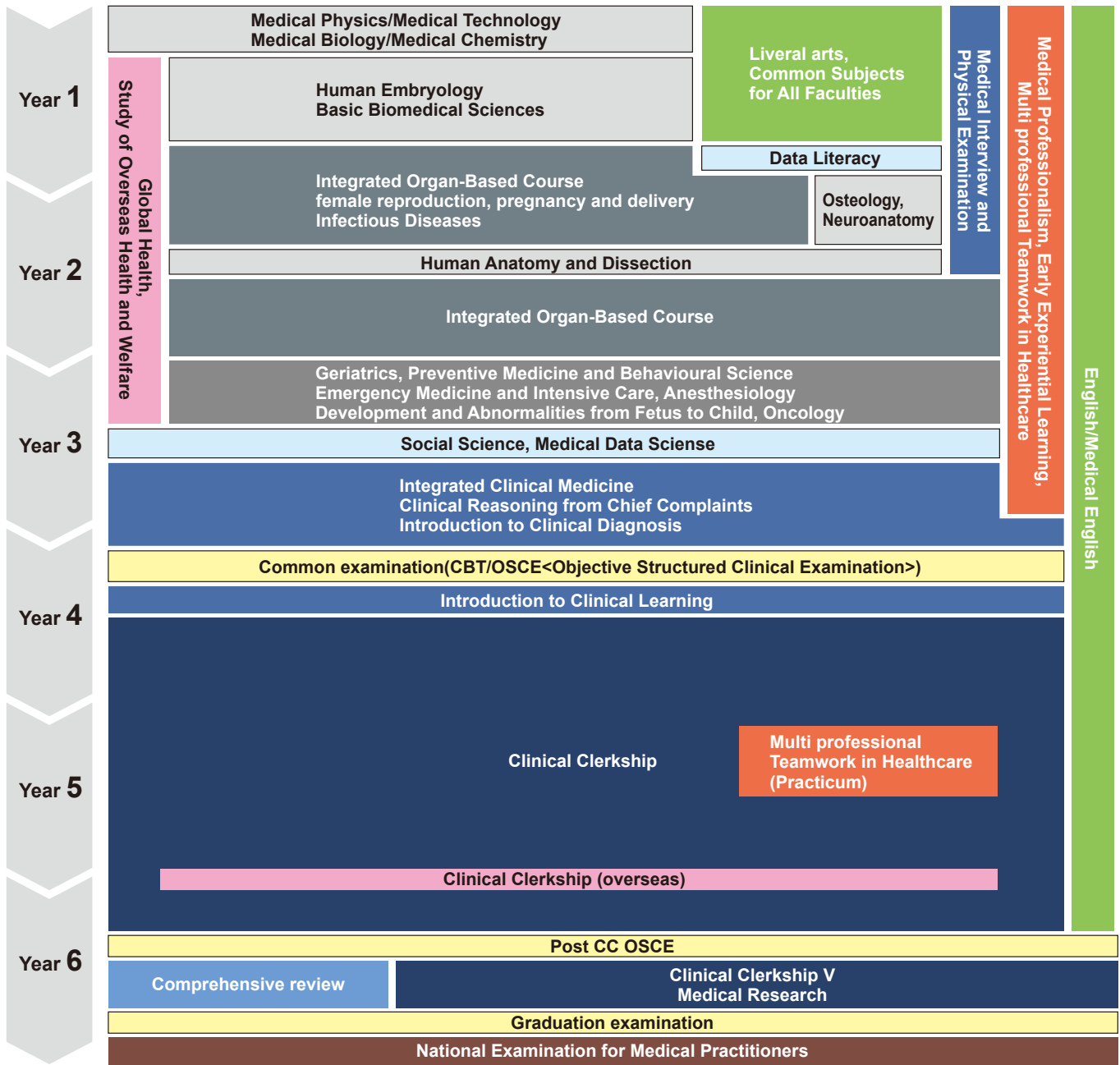
BLS <Basic Life Support BLS Room>

For basic life support by CPR and AED taught from the first year



Curriculum of IUHW School of Medicine

The curriculum of the IUHW School of Medicine is designed to foster and educate physicians who can serve the international community. We are proud to have a medical education curriculum that exceeds the world standard.



*The curriculum may be subject to change.

Characteristics of the Curriculum

- All students are required to take the “Global Health” course as one of the required subjects to understand healthcare and medicine overseas, especially in neighbouring Asian countries. Topics covered include global health, tropical medicine, and educational systems of international health and medicine.
- In Year 6, students will take “Overseas Clinical Clerkship” as a required subject to learn and experience clinical medicine at medical facilities outside Japan for at least four weeks.
- Students will take Medical English classes and Medical Interview classes in English so that they will be able to evaluate patients in English.
- We also offer foreign languages besides English such as Spanish, French, Vietnamese, and Korean.
- Students have access to one of the largest simulation centers in the world, allowing them ample time to practice clinical scenarios and medical procedures using manikins throughout the curriculum.
- Most classes will be conducted in English until the end of Year 2, and will be in Japanese from Year 3 with aims to cope with clinical trainings and the National Examination for Medical Practitioners in Japan.
- International students take Medical Japanese/Japanese language classes during the first two years to prepare for classes to be given in Japanese from Year 3.

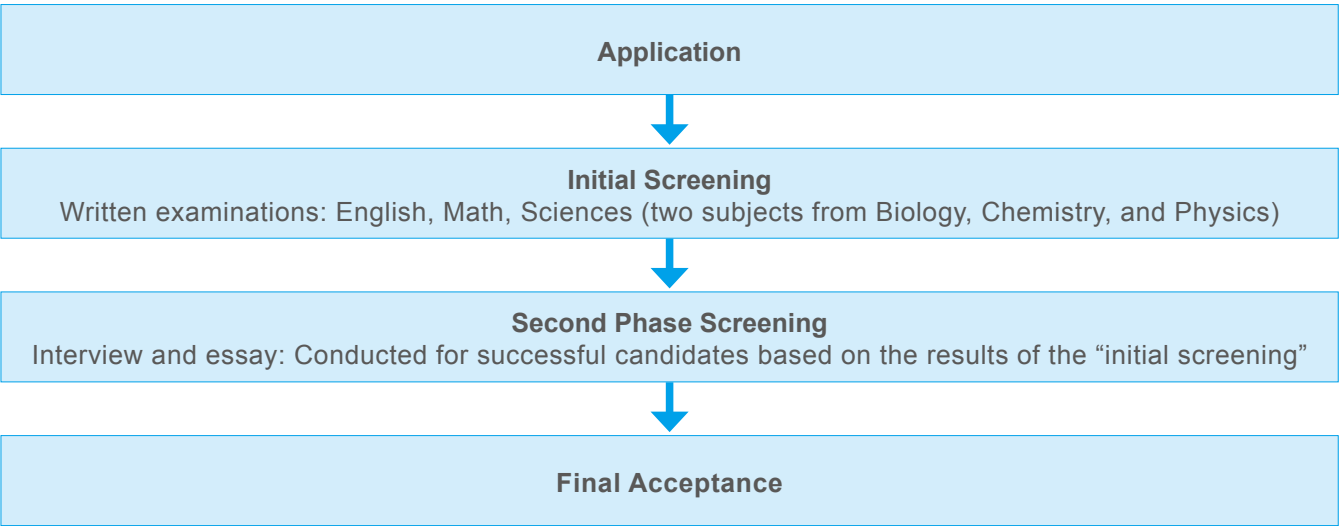
Medical Education in Japan in General

Basic Information

- Japanese undergraduate medical education is six-year-long. High school graduates are eligible to enter medical schools.
 - Each academic year (school year) begins in April and ends in March.
 - An average class size is approximately 100.
 - There are 82 schools of medicine in Japan, consisting of 51 national (public) universities and 31 private universities.
 - Average tuition is approximately ¥33,000,000 for a private medical schools for six years. Additional expenses (textbooks, lab coats, stethoscopes, etc.) are approximately ¥100,000 per year.
- *Tuition for the IUHW School of Medicine for six years is ¥18,500,000, which is the lowest among all of the private medical schools in Japan.

An Outline of Entrance Examination for Medical Schools in Japan

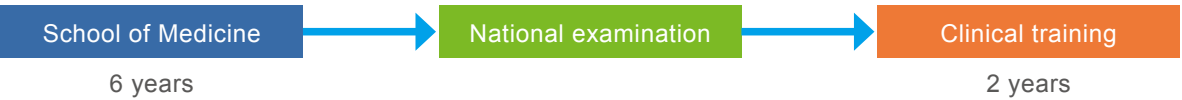
- Typical Example
The steps for a typical admission procedure for entering a school of medicine in Japan are as follows:



- Eligible candidates are those who have completed 12-year education or equivalent education.
- Entering a medical school in Japan is very competitive. In the academic year of 2022, there was a 9,374 capacity for entering a medical school in Japan, corresponding to less than 1% of 1.12 million 18-year-old population.

National Examination for Medical Practitioners

- Medical doctors are registered through a licensing system in Japan by passing the national licensing examination conducted in Japanese language.
 - Students, who complete the necessary requirements for graduation are eligible to take the national licensing examination. In order to practice medicine, candidates need to pass this national licensing examination.
(In principle, it is essential to graduate from a Japanese medical school in order to become a physician in Japan.)
- The pass rate for the national licensing examination was 91.6% (result of examination in February 2023).
- After successful completion of the school of medicine and registration as medical doctors, graduates are required to undergo a two-year mandatory residency training. Their average monthly salary is approximately ¥200,000–400,000.



Outline of Narita Campus and Narita City

Conveniently located right in front of Kozunomori Station on the Keisei Main Line enables students to commute from/to Tokyo and neighbouring cities. The campus is set in a quiet environment, but also has easy access to commercial facilities, such as shopping malls, restaurants, and convenience stores.

Narita City, home to Japan’s main international airport, is located 60km east from Tokyo with a population of approximately 130,000. The city combines a rich natural environment with a high degree of internationality.

IUHW Narita Hospital

The sixth university hospital of IUHW, the main hospital for the School of Medicine, and the main center for clinical training

- Hospital Ward, Health Checkup Ward, Education and Research Center, and a heliport are included in the vast premises of 160 thousand square meters.
- Leading physicians of various fields engage in advanced medicine and research.

Aiming to become a world hub hospital

- Multi-language services are provided and medical interpreters are there to help at the reception area especially set up for international patients. A multi-faith prayer room is also provided, and there are a variety of menu choices to meet food preferences and religious needs such as halal.

One of the largest health checkup centers in Japan

- Health checkups of high accuracy are available using PET-CTs, MRIs, and other advanced equipment. Center for Preventative Medicine in the Health Checkup Ward include accommodation, swimming pools, a gym, and a sauna.

Advanced and accurate examination and treatment

- Advanced diagnosis and treatment are given by many physicians with a wealth of experience. Specialty centers are the Center for Preventative Medicine, the Center for Genomic Diagnosis, the International Remote Diagnostic Center, and the Radiotherapy Cancer Center.

State-of-the-art medical equipment

- Medical equipment of the highest level are used for accurate examination and treatment. They include TomoTherapy that enables highly accurate cancer treatment through precise radiation even to complex shaped cancer tissues and NovaSeq that analyzes human genome in a large scale (the School of Medicine at Narita Campus).

Welcoming and relaxing amenities for Japanese and overseas patients

- Interiors have been designed and amenities prepared to realize a relaxing environment.
- Exclusive rooms and other options are available for further comfort.
- There are hospital wards dedicated for international patients.



IUHW Narita Hospital



Health Checkup Center

Support for International Students

Dormitory

Accommodation is provided to international students with a priority. The building is five storied and all rooms are private rooms. There are security measures such as a security function door at the entrance and a dormitory manager available on site 24/7.

Main Facilities

- Room facilities: 216 private rooms each with a bed, a writing desk, a wardrobe, and an air-conditioner
- Common facilities: A cafeteria, study rooms, a meeting room, Wi-Fi (freely accessible), and parking spaces for cars and bicycles
- Equipment on each floor: Shower rooms, a laundry room, a kitchenett, and toilets

Access

- From Narita Campus: 20 minutes by bicycle
- From train station: 15 minutes on foot from Narita Yukawa Station on the Narita Sky Access Line



Dormitory building



Dormitory room



Cafeteria



Laundry room



Recreational room



Kitchenett



Shower rooms



Sports facilities

There is a gymnasium in the building of the School of Nursing at Narita / School of Health Sciences at Narita, and a lawned multipurpose field where students can play futsal or any other activities outside.

There is one playground 5,659m² in size with three tennis courts and running track.

Gymnasium

International Center

Dedicated staff at the International Center provide a wide range of vital support for international students. This includes offering continuous assistance for improving Japanese language skills as well as assistance for getting familiarized with Japanese customs and culture.

Japanese Language Program

There is an intensive Japanese language program for international students wishing to improve their Japanese language skills prior to entering the School of Medicine (conditions apply).

Welfare facilities

- Nasu Marronnier Hotel
 - Opened in November 2018 in Tochigi Prefecture.
 - Adjacent to IUHW Hospital which is one of the hospitals where students receive clinical training.
 - With natural hot springs and a restaurant, it is also open to the public.



Nasu Marronnier Hotel

- “IUHW Nasu Seminar House”
 - Located in Tochigi Prefecture in an area close to the Imperial villa.
- Yufuin Seminar House / Amity Yufukogen
 - Located in Oita Prefecture in an area famous for natural hot springs.



“IUHW Nasu Seminar House”



Yufuin Seminar House / Amity Yufukogen

Overseas Network of IUHW

IUHW has signed a collaborative agreement with 47 institutions in 24 countries/regions worldwide. This has enabled IUHW to develop its international activities such as Overseas Clinical Clerkship class which is a compulsory subject in Year 6, as well as exchanging students and faculties for both short-term and long-term.



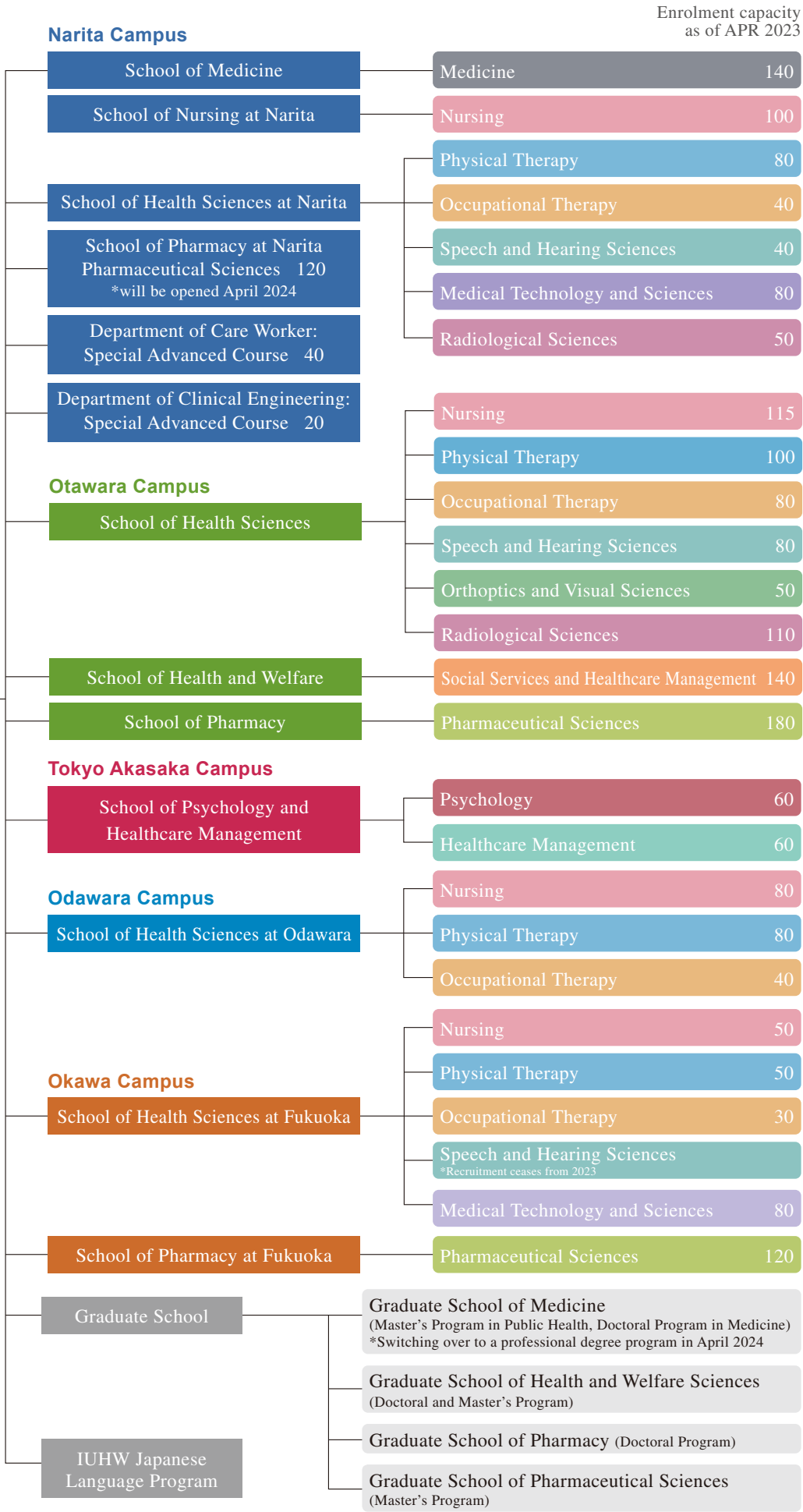
Conclusion of an inter-university agreement with 3 universities in Yangon, Myanmar



Short-term overseas training program in Vietnam

(As of April 2023)

Organization



Enrolment capacity as of APR 2023

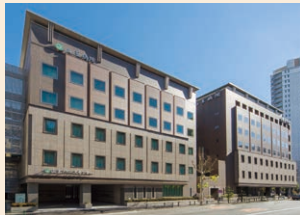
University Hospitals and Affiliated Facilities

IUHW group has many medical and welfare facilities, including six university hospitals, and Sanno Hospital, which provide various opportunities for clinical training for students to develop their expertise. Students are also able to experience “Team Care Medicine” in clinical practice and study advanced skills with state-of-the-art medical technology.

Tokyo Area



■ IUHW Mita Hospital
Number of Beds: 291
Designated as an emergency care hospital and regional cancer hospital in Tokyo.



■ Sanno Hospital / Sanno Birth Center



■ Special Nursing Home for the Elderly / Support Facility for People with Disabilities “Shinjuku Keyaki-en”



■ Sanno Medical Center



■ Akasaka Sanno Medical Center

Fukuoka Area



■ Takagi Hospital



■ Fukuoka Sanno Hospital



■ Yanagawa Rehabilitation Hospital

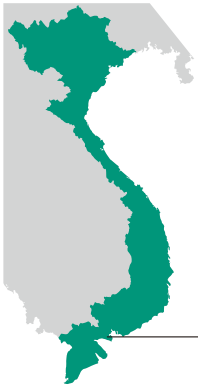


■ Yanagawa Institute for Developmental Disabilities



■ Fukuoka Central Hospital

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■ Health Evaluation and Promotion Center-Cho Ray Hospital IUHW (HECI)

Health Evaluation and Promotion Center - Cho Ray Hospital International University of Health and Welfare (HECI)

A health checkup facility with state-of-the-art Japanese medical technology was established in collaboration with Cho Ray Hospital. This was realized based on over 20 years of relationship and professional exchange between Cho Ray Hospital, one of the largest health care facilities in Vietnam, and IUHW, Japan’s first comprehensive university in the field of health and welfare.

Other Affiliated Facilities

- IUHW Rehabilitation Center (Tochigi)
- Nursing Home for the Elderly “Tochinomi-so” (Tochigi)
- Nursing Home for the Elderly “Otawara Kazahana-en” (Tochigi)
- Otawara General Home Care Center (Tochigi)
- Group Home Aoyama (Tokyo)
- Mizuma Kohokai Hospital (Fukuoka)
- General Care Center Momochi (Fukuoka)
- Care Support House Okawa (Fukuoka)

Tochigi Area



■ IUHW Hospital
Number of Beds: 408
A foundation hospital serving the northern region of Tochigi Prefecture. Designated as an emergency care hospital and as an emergency pediatric hospital.



■ IUHW Shioya Hospital
Number of Beds: 240
A regional core hospital designated as an emergency care hospital and as a Core Cancer Treatment Hospital in Tochigi Prefecture.



■ IUHW Clinic



■ Integrated Facility for Medical and Long-term care, Care Facility for the Elderly “Maronie-en”



■ Nursing Home for the Elderly “Tochinomi-so”

Chiba Area

■ IUHW Narita Hospital Number of Beds: 642



A university hospital with international features was established with 642 beds on 91,000m² architectural area. At the hospital, physicians and medical staff with a good command of foreign languages will be assigned. This will be an international hospital providing multiple language services, religious meals, a multi-faith prayer room, excellent facilities, as well as cutting edge medical services and equipment.

Shizuoka Area



■ IUHW Atami Hospital

Number of Beds: 269
Overlooking the ocean, a foundation hospital serving eastern Shizuoka and western Kanagawa Prefectures. Designated as an emergency care hospital and Regional Cancer Hospital in Shizuoka.

■ IUHW Ichikawa Hospital Number of Beds: 260



In September 2017, “Kaken Hospital” became “IUHW Ichikawa Hospital.” In addition to medical treatment, IUHW Ichikawa Hospital engages in research and education. In conjunction with the establishment of the School of Medicine at Narita Campus in Chiba Prefecture in 2017, IUHW Ichikawa Hospital supports treatment in a wide range of fields, notably the orthopedic surgery department, rehabilitation, and the general surgery and digestive surgery departments.