

World directory of medical schools: base year 2000

Updates through 31 December 2002

WHO received the following information on medical schools from the governments of its Member States for updates to the *World directory of medical schools*, base year 2000. This information covers the period through 31 December 2002.

Azerbaijan

The Government of Azerbaijan has asked WHO to list the following medical school:

School of Medical Sciences
Khazar University
11 Mehseti Street
Baku 370096
Year instruction started: 1997

Bangladesh

Permission was granted to establish the following schools by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, in 1991, also recognized by the Bangladesh Medical & Dental Council:

Faridpur Medical College
Faridpur 7800
Year instruction started: 1992
(Affiliated with the University of Dhaka)

Comilla Medical College
Comilla 3500
Year instruction started: 1992
(Affiliated with Chittagong University)

Shaheed Zizur Rahman Medical College
Bogra
Year instruction started: 1992

Permission was granted to establish the following school by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Medical Education Branch, in August 1992; recognized by the Bangladesh Medical Council on a temporary basis up to 1998 and affiliated with the University of Dhaka for the MBBS course from 1996 through 1999:

The Medical College for Women and Hospital
Road No.8-9
Sector No.1, Uttara Model Town
Dhaka 1230

Belize

A licence was granted to the following school to operate from 23 August 1999 to 23 August 2009:

Grace University School of Medicine

Cambodia

Change of name:

The Faculté mixte de Médecine, de Pharmacie et D'Odonto-Stomatologie, listed on page 54 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*, changed its name to:

The University of Health and Sciences

Boulevard Monivong 73

Phnom Penh

Year instruction started: 1980

Cayman Islands

Permission was granted to establish the following school by the Government of the Cayman Islands:

St Matthew's University School of Medicine (Cayman)

P.O. Box 32330 SMB, Safehaven, Leeward Three

Grand Cayman

Date instruction started: 14 May 2002

Chile

A certificate was granted to the following school on 28 April 2000:

Facultad de Medicina

Universidad de Los Andes

San Carlos de Apoquindo 2200

Casilla 20106

Las Condes-Santiago

Colombia

The following medical schools are recognized by the Colombian Association of Medical Schools:

Facultad de Medicina

Universidad Autonoma de Bucaramanga

Calle 157, No.19-55 Cañaveral Parque

Campus el Bosque

Bucaramanga

Year instruction started: 1996

Facultad de Medicina

Fundación Universitaria de Ciencias de la Salud

Hospital de San José

Calle 10, No. 18-75

Bogota D.C.

Year instruction started: 1996

Cook Islands

Instruction began on 2 September 1999 at:

James Cook School of Medicine

South Seas University

Rarotonga

Costa Rica

Instruction began in January 1997 at:

School of Medicine and Surgery
Universidad Hispanoamericana
Barrio Aranjuez
100m North and 300m East of the Hospital Calderón Guardia
P.O. Box 408-1002
San José

Croatia

The Government of the Republic of Croatia has asked WHO to list the following medical schools:

The Faculty of Medicine of the University of Split
Medicinski fakultet, Split
21000 Split, Šoltanska 2
Date instruction started: 1 October 1997

The Faculty of Medicine of the University of Osijek
Medicinski fakultet, Osijek
31000 Osijek, J. Huttlera 4
Date instruction started: 1 October 1998

Cuba

The Government of Cuba has asked WHO to list the following medical school, inaugurated in November 1999:

Escuela Latinoamericana de Medicina
Carretera Pan Americana Km 3 ½ Santa Fé
Municipio Playa
Ciudad de la Habana

Ecuador

The following school was approved by the Superior Academic Council in October 1994 and recognized by the National Council of Superior Education (CONESUP) in May 2000:

Facultad de Medicina
Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador
Av. 12 de Octubre 1076 y Patria
Torre 1, Piso 7
Quito

Egypt

The Government of Egypt has asked WHO to list the following medical school:

Sohag Faculty of Medicine
South Valley University
Qena
Year instruction started: 1992

Ghana

Instruction began in September 1999 at:

St Luke School of Medicine
Cape Coast

Guyana

Instruction began in January 2000 at:

American International School of Medicine
P.O. Box 101728
301 Camp Street
Cummingsburg
Georgetown

Haiti

The Government of Haiti has asked WHO to list the following medical school:

Faculté de Médecine et des Sciences de la Santé
Université Notre-Dame d'Haïti
6, Rue Sapotille
Port-au-Prince HT6112
Year instruction started: 1996

Hungary

The names of the universities in Hungary have been changed due to reorganization. The revised list of medical schools is as follows:

Semmelweis Egyetem (Semmelweis University)
Ullói út 26
1085 Budapest

Debreceni Egyetem, Orvos- és Egészségtudományi Centrum
(University of Debrecen, Medical and Health Sciences Centre)
Nagyterdei krt. 98
4012 Debrecen

Pécsi Tudományegyetem, Orvostudományi és Egészségtudományi Centrum
(University of Pécs, Medical and Health Sciences Centre)
Szigeti út 12
7624 Pécs

Szegedi Tudományegyetem, Szent-Györgyi Albert Orvos- és Gyógyszerész-tudományi Centrum (University of Szeged, Medical and Medicine Sciences Centre)
P.O. Box 481
Zrínyi utca 9
6701 Szeged

India

The Government of India has asked WHO to list the following schools:

Patliputra Medical College

Vinoba Bhave University

Dhanbad

Bihar

(affiliated to Ranchi University up to 1992)

Jawahar Medical Foundation 's ACPM Medical College

North Maharashtra University

Dhule

Maharashtra

(affiliated to Poona University until November 1994; has been affiliated to North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon, since November 1995 for second batch of students academic year 1991–1992). Award of MBBS degree recognized by Medical Council of India from:

Terna Medical College

University of Mumbai

Terna

Navi Mumbai

Maharashtra

Himalayan Institute of Medical Sciences

Dehradun, Jolly Grant

Dehra Dun-248 140

Uttaranchal

Award of MBBS degree recognized by Medical Council of India as from 14 February 2001 from:

Choudhary Charan Singh University, Meerut

Year instruction started: 1995

Vinayaka Mission's Kirupananda Variyar Medical College

Salem, Tamil Nadu

Award of MBBS degree recognized by Medical Council of India as from 31 March 2000 from:

Government Medical College

Saurashtra University

Rajkot

Gujarat

Change of name of university:

The University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh, changed its name to NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada, as from 2 February 1998. This change of affiliation applies to the 10 medical schools in Andhra Pradesh listed on pages 154–56 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*.

Due to the *change of name of the city* of Bombay to Mumbai (Maharashtra), Bombay University changed its name to University of Mumbai on 4 September 1996. This change of name applies to the seven medical schools affiliated to it (pages 167–170 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*).

Change of affiliation:

Due to the establishment of the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore, in June, 1996, all the medical colleges which were previously affiliated respectively to the Universities of Bangalore, Gulbarga, Karnatak, Kuvempu and Mysore, have been affiliated to the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences. This change of affiliation applies to 17 medical schools listed on pages 160–164 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*.

Iran (Islamic Republic of)

Additional information on the Mashad University of Medical Sciences and Health Services, listed on page 195 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*:

Mashad University of Medical Sciences and Health Services
Daneshgah Street
PO Box 91735-588
Mashhad 91376

Year instruction started: 1949

(M.D. certificates issued in name of Khorasan University of Medical Sciences. The Mashad University of Medical Sciences and Khorasan University of Medical Sciences are the same university)

Italy

Instruction began in 1993 at:

Libera Università Campus Bio-Medico di Roma
V.E. Longoni 83
Rome 00155

Instruction began in 1998 at:

Faculty of Medicine
University Vita-Salute San Raffaele
Via Olgettina 58
20132 Milan

Kyrgyzstan

The Government of the Republic of Kyrgyzstan has asked WHO to list the following medical school:

Kyrgyz-Russian Slav University Medical School
Ul. Kievskaja 44
Bishkek 71000
Year instruction started: 1994

Liberia

The following school was accredited to operate by the Government of Liberia, effective 1 August 2000:

Saint Luke School of Medicine
206 Broad Street, Luke Building
3471 Monrovia

Malaysia

The Government of Malaysia has asked WHO to list the following medical schools, recognized by the Malaysian Medical Council:

Kulliyyah Perubatan
Universiti Islam Antarabangsa Malaysia
P.O. Box 141
25710 Kuantan
Pahang Darul Makmur
Year instruction started: 1997
Date of recognition by the MMC: 15 May 2002

Penang Medical College
4 Jalan Sepoy Lines
10450 Penang
Year instruction started: 1996
Date of recognition by the MMC: June 2001

Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences
Universiti Putra Malaysia
43400 UPM Serdang
Selangor D.E.
Year instruction started: 1996
Date of recognition by the MMC: 5 June 2001

Mexico

Instruction has begun at:

Escuela de Medicina "Don Santiago Ramón y Cajal" del Instituto Westhill
Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México
Mexico City

Micronesia (Federated States of)

The following school no longer operates in Micronesia:

School of Medicine
Pacific Basin University
Pohnpei

Mongolia

Instruction has begun at the following schools:

Darkhan-Uul Medical College
Darkhan
Gobi-Altai Medical College
Gobi-Altai Aimak

Ulaanbaatar Medical College
P.O. Box 188
Ulaanbaatar 26

Montserrat

The following school no longer operates on Montserrat (information dated 7 December 1999):

School of Medicine
American University of the Caribbean
Plymouth

Nepal

The following school was approved by the Ministry of Education and Sports in 1997 and also recognized by the Nepal Medical Council:

Kathmandu Medical College (Pvt.) Ltd.
Sinamangal
P.O. Box 21266
Kathmandu
(Affiliated to Kathmandu University)

The following school was approved by the Ministry of Education and Sports in 1996 and also recognized by the Nepal Medical Council:

College of Medical Sciences-Nepal
PO Box 23, Bharatpur
Chitwan (Dist.)
(Affiliated to Kathmandu University)

The following school is temporarily recognized by the Nepal Medical Council with permission from the Ministry of Education and Sports:

National Medical College , Birganj
P.O. Box 78
Birganj, Parsa
Year instruction started: 2001
(Temporarily affiliated to Tribhuvan University)

The following school was approved by the Ministry of Education and Sports in 1997 and also recognized by the Nepal Medical Council:

Nepalgunj Medical College
B.P. Chowk
Nepalgunj-16
Date instruction started: 29 December 1997
(Affiliated with Kathmandu University)

The following school was approved by the Ministry of Education and Sports in 1998 and also recognized by the Nepal Medical Council:

Universal College of Medical Sciences, Bhairahawi
Paklihawa Campus, Lumbini Zone
P.O. Box 53
Bhairahawa
Year instruction started: 1998
(Affiliated with Tribhuvan University)

Netherlands Antilles

Instruction began in April 1999 at:

University of Sint Eustatius School of Medicine
P.O. Box 73
Oranjestad
St Eustatius

Instruction began in January 2000 at:

Saint James School of Medicine
Bonaire

Permanent relocation of following medical school (from Montserrat):

School of Medicine
American University of the Caribbean
1 University Drive
Cupecoy
St Maarten

Niue

The Government has informed WHO that the following school no longer operates in Niue:

"Lord Liverpool University"
George Washington School of Medicine

Pakistan

Instruction begun in 1996 at:

Frontier Medical College Abbottabad
P.O. Public School
Abbottabad
(*affiliated to Bahria University, Islamabad*)

The following school has been provisionally recognized by the Pakistan Medical and Dental Council for a period of two years from 7 July 1999:

Hamdard College of Medicine
North Nazimabad
Karachi

Instruction begun at the following school in 1996 and the award of MBBS recognized by the Pakistan Medical and Dental Council in 2000:

Islamic International Medical College
Al-Mizan-IIMC Trust Medical Complex
274, Peshawar Road
Rawalpindi
(*affiliated with Hamdard University, Karachi*)

The following school has been provisionally recognized by the Pakistan Medical and Dental Council, in 1997 for a period of two years, further extended on 30 May 2000 for a period of one year for the Final Professional MBBS and BDS Examinations:

Karachi Medical and Dental College
Karachi

The provisional recognition by the Pakistan Medical and Dental Council of the following school has been extended up to June 2003:

Ziauddin Medical College
4/B, Block '6'
Clifton
Shahrae-Ghalib
Karachi 754600

Change of affiliation:

The following school, previously affiliated with Quaid-E-Azam University (listed on page 286 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*), since 1998 has been affiliated with the National University of Sciences & Technology, Rawalpindi:

Army Medical College
National University of Sciences & Technology
Abid Majid Road
Rawalpindi - 46000
Year instruction started:1977

Panama

Instruction begun at the following medical school in February 1994:

Faculty of Medicine
Columbus University
Calle 55 El Cangrejo
P.O. Box 6-500
El Dorado
(*accredited to the University of Panama*)

Philippines

Instruction has begun at:

College of Medicine
University of Northern Philippines
Vigan
Ilocos Sur

Instruction began in 1996 at:

College of Medicine
University of Perpetual Help—Rizal
Las Piñas City

Republic of Korea

Change of address:

The address of the College of Medicine, Chonbuk National University (listed on page 309 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*), has been changed to:

College of Medicine
Chonbuk National University
2-20 San Keumam-dong
Jeonju 561-180
Year instruction started: 1971

The address of the College of Medicine, Kwandong University (listed on page 318 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*), has been changed to:

College of Medicine
Kwandong University
522, Naegok-dong
Gangneun-si 210-701
Year instruction started: 1995

Republic of Moldova

The Government of the Republic of Moldova has asked WHO to list the following school:

Free International University of Moldova (ULIM)
52, Vlaicu Parcalah st.
Chisinau, MD-2012

Russian Federation

The Ministry of Health of the Russian Federation has asked WHO to list the following medical schools:

Lomonosov Moscow State University

gl. corpus, k. 1029

Vorob'Evyy Gory

Moscow 119899

Year instruction started: 1992

Novgorod Jaroslava Mudrogo State University

Ulica B. Sankt Peterburgskaja, 41

Velikij Novgorod 173003

Year instruction started: 1992

Tula State University

Ulica Boldina, 128

Tula 300036

Year instruction started: 1994

Ul'janovsk State University

Ulica

K. Libknehta, 1

Ul'janovsk 432700

Year instruction started: 1992

Moscow Institute for Medical and Social Rehabilitation

2 Parkovaya, 24/28

Moscow 105037

Year instruction started: 1994

Samara "Reaviz" Medical Institute

Čapaevskaja 227

Samara 443001

Year instruction started: 1994

Saint Petersburg Medical and Technical Institute

L'Va Tolstogo 6/8

Saint Petersburg 197022

Year instruction started: 1994

Change of name of university:

The names of the following universities have been changed:

Far-Eastern State Medical University

Russian Ministry of Health

(formerly Habarovsk State Medical Institute, renamed in 1996)

Moscow State Medical Stomatology University

Russian Ministry of Health

(formerly Moscow Medical Stomatology Institute, renamed in 1999)

Novosibirsk State Medical Academy

Russian Ministry of Health

(formerly Novosibirsk Medical Institute, renamed in 1999)

Northern State Medical University

Russian Ministry of Health (formerly Arkhangelsk State Medical Academy, renamed in 2000)

Change of address:

The address of the Kabardino–Balkaria State University has been changed to:
Kabardino–Balkaria State University
Ulica Inessy Armand 1a
Nalchik 360004
Year instruction started: 1966

Saint Kitts and Nevis

Instruction began in April 2000 at:

Windsor University Medical School
Fortlands
Basseterre
Saint Kitts

Changes in information:

The full address of the International University of Health Sciences (IUHS), listed on page 333 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*, is as follows:

International University of Health Sciences (IUHS)
P.O.Box 1267
Brannigan House, Corner of Wigley Ave. and Wilkin St.
Basseterre
Accredited by the Government of Saint Kitts and Nevis since 7 May 1998

Saint Lucia

In accordance with instructions from the Government, the following school was omitted from the seventh edition (although it was listed in the sixth edition). The Government subsequently asked WHO to list it again:

School of Medicine
Spartan Health Sciences University
P.O. Box 324
Vieux Fort
Saint Lucia

A licence was granted to the following school to operate from 1 January - 31 December 2001:

St Lucia College of Medicine and Health Sciences

Senegal

Instruction began on 25 February 2000 at:

St Christopher's College of Medicine
Dakar

Serbia and Montenegro

The Government of Serbia and Montenegro has asked WHO to list the following medical school:

Faculty of Medicine
University of Kragujevac
Svetozara Markovica 69
34000 Kragujevac
Year instruction started: 1986

Seychelles

Instruction began on 23 June 2000 at:

University of Seychelles–American Institute of Medicine
P.O. Box 1103
Victoria

South Africa

Changes in information:

The Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, University of Transkei, listed on page 344 of the seventh edition of the *World directory*, changed its address to:

Faculty of Health Sciences
University of Transkei
Nelson Mandela Drive
Private Bag X1
Umtata 5117
Eastern Cape

Year instruction started: 1986

Duration of basic medical degree course, including practical training: 5 years

Turkey

Instruction began in 1998 at:

Faculty of Medicine
Baskent University
Fevzi çakmak Caddesi
10 Solkak N° 45
Bahçelievler
06490 Ankara

Ukraine

The Ministry of Education and Science of the Government of Ukraine has asked WHO to list the following medical school:

Kyiv Medical Institute (KMI)
9, L. Tolstoy Str.
1004 Kyiv

Year instruction started: 1992

Yugoslavia

[Please see Serbia and Montenegro.]

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