

# 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'Haiti  
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)  
Nagyerdei krt. 98  
4012 Debrecen

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