Facts at A Glance

Ranking 2017 Best Global Universities at US News

- #4 In Japan
- #2 in Asia
- #19 In the World
- #172

25 Research Associates
89 Professors
109 Assistant Professors
26 Senior Assistant Professors
61 Associate Professors

Departments 213
Graduate Students 940

93 International Students from 28 Countries

Publications 806 papers in 2016 PubMed
Research Funds #4 in Japan (FY 2016)

Selected Recent Publications


Location of Tohoku University

Life in Sendai

Flight
- from Narita: 1 hour 5 min
- from Nagoya: 1 hour 15 min
- from Kansai: 1 hour 35 min

Trains (Shinkansen)
- from Tokyo: 1 hour 31 min

Climate
- Average high: January 5.2°C, August 25.7°C
- Daily mean: January 1.5°C, August 24.1°C
- Average low: January -2.0°C, August 21.2°C

Sendai: 0.041 μSv/h
- Tokyo: 0.032, London: 0.092, Paris: 0.057, New York: 0.094
- Singapore: 0.100, Beijing: 0.085, Seoul: 0.117

Population 1,086,012

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Graduate School of Medicine

Medical Sciences
Disability Sciences
Health Sciences
School of Public Health

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Research Areas

We provide 200+ of departments covering various research fields such as Basic Medicine, Clinical Medicine, Nursing, and Public Health, including Genomics/Genetics/Epigenetics, Bioinformatics, Immunology, Molecular/Cellular Biology, Neuroscience, Oncology, Bioimaging, Physiology and Rehabilitation.

Career Options

Our graduate students have got positions in a variety of careers including faculty appointments in universities and institutes, and pharmaceutical industries.

Career path of international students

- Academic positions
- Specialists in hospitals
- Research positions in industries

Financial Support

High chances to get

- Scholarship
- Entrance / Tuition Fees Waiver
- Assistantships (Teaching / Research)

How to Apply

1. What are you interested in? Find your future mentors in the Laboratory Introduction Book on our website.
2. Are you eligible? Submit the registration form and contact our international exchange office.
3. Do you need information on financial aid, immigration, and housing? Visit the international exchange office website.

Curriculum & timelines

| Master's | Year 1 | Year 2 | | Year 1 | Year 2 | Doctoral | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 |
|----------|--------|--------| |         |        |          |         |        |        |        |
| Medical Sciences | Lab Rotations | Intermediate examination | Internship | Thesis defense | Course work | Retreat | Starter application | Conference presentation | Thesis defense |
| Disability Sciences | Required and elective subjects | Thesis defense | | | Conference presentation | Thesis defense |
| Health Sciences | Required and elective subjects | Conference presentation | Thesis defense | | Conference presentation | Intermediate thesis presentation | Thesis defense |
| School of Public Health | Intermediate examination | Required and elective subjects | Trainings | Thesis defense | | | | |

* Application for research funds