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Respecting “change” and “diversity” for the future and sharing information on “Innovative Therapeutics” with the world, Chiba University’s Graduate School of Medicine and School of Medicine carry these philosophies into action.

Dean Hisahiro Matsubara, M.D., Ph.D.

Our schools, which foster the development of innovative therapeutics, also nurture physicians and researchers who will lead Japan and the world in medical sciences and treatments and who are compassionate toward the community.

Chiba University’s Graduate School of Medicine and School of Medicine have produced numerous high-caliber physicians over the course of their more than 140-year history. Even now, the schools continue to lead Japan and the world in the development of treatments and in studies conducted in various medical fields. Above all, “Innovative Therapeutics” forms the schools’ central pillar, in which we elucidate the theoretical basis of treatments and systematically research and develop innovative therapies based on the knowledge gained. Our schools have moved to the Research Building of Medical Science, which was newly completed in April 2021, from the former Building of School of Medicine, which was inaugurated in 1937. We thus renew our determination to advance further toward the new epoch. I was also appointed to the position of Dean of Chiba University’s Graduate School of Medicine and School of Medicine in April 2021. I earnestly wish to take a fresh step forward toward further prosperity, together with all of you.

Let us achieve your lofty aspiration to become a physician and researcher who will lead Japan and the world in the School of Medicine, where the fundamental policy is to “cultivate excellent physicians and researchers.” An important step toward your goal is the strong desire to help the patients in front of you. We take pride

in accepting those who have passionate and fervent aspirations. The notion that medical care is for the patients in front of you and that education and research are for future patients is indispensable for the advancement of medical sciences and treatments. We are committed to embracing these responsibilities, developing logical arguments, and educating physicians and researchers who will meet the needs of our diversifying society.

Our purpose is to seamlessly cultivate global leaders and prepare them to become best-in-class in their respective fields, by adjusting to social changes and diversity. To this end, we will enhance our schools’ education and research systems.

We will encourage undergraduate students to practice active and positive logical thinking and to develop an ethical outlook, so that they develop an awareness for supporting cutting-edge medical care as student doctors. We will also train graduate students to enhance their ability to disseminate information to the world. To these ends, we will support their thesis preparation and oral presentations at international conferences in tandem with the Chiba University’s global leader development body, “ENGINE”, involving young faculty members.

In addition to strengthening the integration and collaboration of fundamental and clinical research within the schools, we are jointly developing systems and seeds with the University Hospital and Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences and Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Sciences. We are also collaborating with Center for Frontier Medical Engineering, Graduate School of Science, Graduate School of Engineering, Graduate School of Horticulture, and other schools and centers outside the Inohana Campus and actively participating in researchers’ networks outside the university to fortify our research networks.

We look forward to seeing the graduates of our schools play an active role as leaders in various parts of the world.

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The Departments of Graduate School of Medicine

Core Research Departments

- Neuroscience**
- Biochemistry & Genetics
 - Cognitive Behavioral Physiology
 - Functional Anatomy
 - Psychiatry
 - Ophthalmology and Visual Science
 - Neurology
 - Neurological Surgery
 - Orthopaedic Surgery

Respiratory and Cardiovascular Medicine

- Pharmacology
- Diagnostic Pathology
- Respiriology
- Cardiovascular Medicine
- General Thoracic Surgery
- Cardiovascular Surgery
- Anesthesiology

Gastroenterology and Hepatology

- Molecular Pathology
- Gastroenterology
- Nephrology
- General Surgery
- Frontier Surgery

Medical Life Science

- Molecular Infectiology
- Molecular Virology
- Infection and Host Defense
- Reproductive Medicine
- Urology
- Molecular Diagnosis
- Dermatology
- Emergency and Critical Care Medicine
- Pediatric Surgery
- Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

Health Science

- Bioenvironmental Medicine
- Public Health
- Occupational and Environmental Medicine
- Legal Medicine
- Japanese-Oriental (Kampo) Medicine
- Medical Education
- Diagnostic Medicine
- Clinical Research and Evaluation of the Medical Therapeutics
- Medical Informatics and Management
- Pharmacotherapy

Advanced Research Departments

Cancer Science

- Molecular and Tumor Pathology
- Medical Immunology
- Functional Genomics
- Oral Science (Dentistry and Oral-Maxillofacial Surgery)
- Otorhinolaryngology, Head and Neck Surgery
- Diagnostic Radiology and Radiation Oncology
- Medical Oncology

Advanced Biomedical Science

- Medical Physiology
- Biomedical Science
- Developmental Biology
- Allergy and Clinical Immunology
- Experimental Immunology
- Immunology
- Molecular Oncology
- Cellular and Molecular Medicine
- Bioinformatics
- Comparative Pathology
- Endocrinology, Hematology and Gerontology
- Pediatrics

Future Medicine Global Therapeutics

- Allergy and Mucosal Immunology,UCSD
- Future Medicine Research
- Global Clinical Research

Advanced Biomedical Science

- Innovative Medicine
- Regenerative Medicine
- Systems Medicine
- Omics Medicine
- Artificial Intelligence Medicine

Clinical Skills Center

Education and Research Center of Legal Medicine

Super Aged Society Research Center

Center for Mucosal Immunology, Allergy and Vaccine











Center for Artificial Intelligence Research in Therapeutics

Bioresource Education and Research Center

Laboratory Animal Center



Data

Total Students (as of May 1st 2022)	1,270	
Undergraduate students	718	
Master's students	56	
Doctoral students	496	
Students Newly Enrolled (as of May 1st 2022)	276	
Undergraduate students	121	
Master's students	29	
Doctoral students	126	
Degrees Awarded (as of 2021)	118	
Staff (as of May 1st 2022)	257	
Academic staff	158	
Administrative/Technical staff	87	
Researchers Visiting Abroad (as of 2021)	13	
International Researchers (as of 2021)	0	
Students Studying Abroad (as of 2021)	5	
International Students (as of 2021)	59	
Sister Universities (as of Oct. 1st 2022)	16	
Brazil 1	Singapore 1	U.S.A 4
China 1	South Korea 1	Vietnam 1
Denmark 1	Taiwan 2	Canada 1
Myanmar 1	UK 1	France 1
University Hospital (as of 2021)		
New outpatients per year	41,123	
New inpatients per year	19,069	

School of Medicine



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The history of Chiba University School of Medicine can be traced back to 1874, when its predecessor was founded as a private hospital through donations from the local community. In 1876, it became a prefectural institution with medical teaching facilities and was formally named the Chiba Public Hospital. In 1923, it became the Chiba Medical College and in 1949 was incorporated into the School of Medicine at Chiba University. Alumni from this school have contributed greatly to the advancement of medicine in Japan.

Faculty members of the school belong to the Graduate School of Medicine and the University Hospital. The number of students admitted is 122 per year : 117 students for the School of Medicine, which requires six years of attendance, and five students for the four year MD-PhD course, which demands sufficient ability to complete the basic and clinical medical courses.

Admission Policy

The School of Medicine educates students in the hope that they will become leading medical doctors, physician scientists and life scientists. Therefore, to be admitted into the undergraduate program of the School of Medicine, promising applicants are expected to be healthy and highly intellectual individuals with the following:

- 1. Capability of creative and logical thinking
- 2. High ethical standards and a strong sense of mission
- 3. Willingness to sincerely devote themselves to people and community
- 4. Ambition to become leading physician scientists in the world

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The Graduate School of Medicine was founded in 1955, and since then has offered a Doctoral degree program (Ph.D degree). For the further advancement of biomedical sciences in the 21st century, the Graduate School of Medicine was reorganized in 2001 and 2012. Faculty members of the School of Medicine have been transferred to the Graduate School of Medicine and are engaged in advanced research in the areas of biological sciences and applied clinical medicine. In addition, faculty members are responsible for education in the School of Medicine and the Graduate School of Medical and Pharmaceutical Sciences.

Graduate School of Medicine



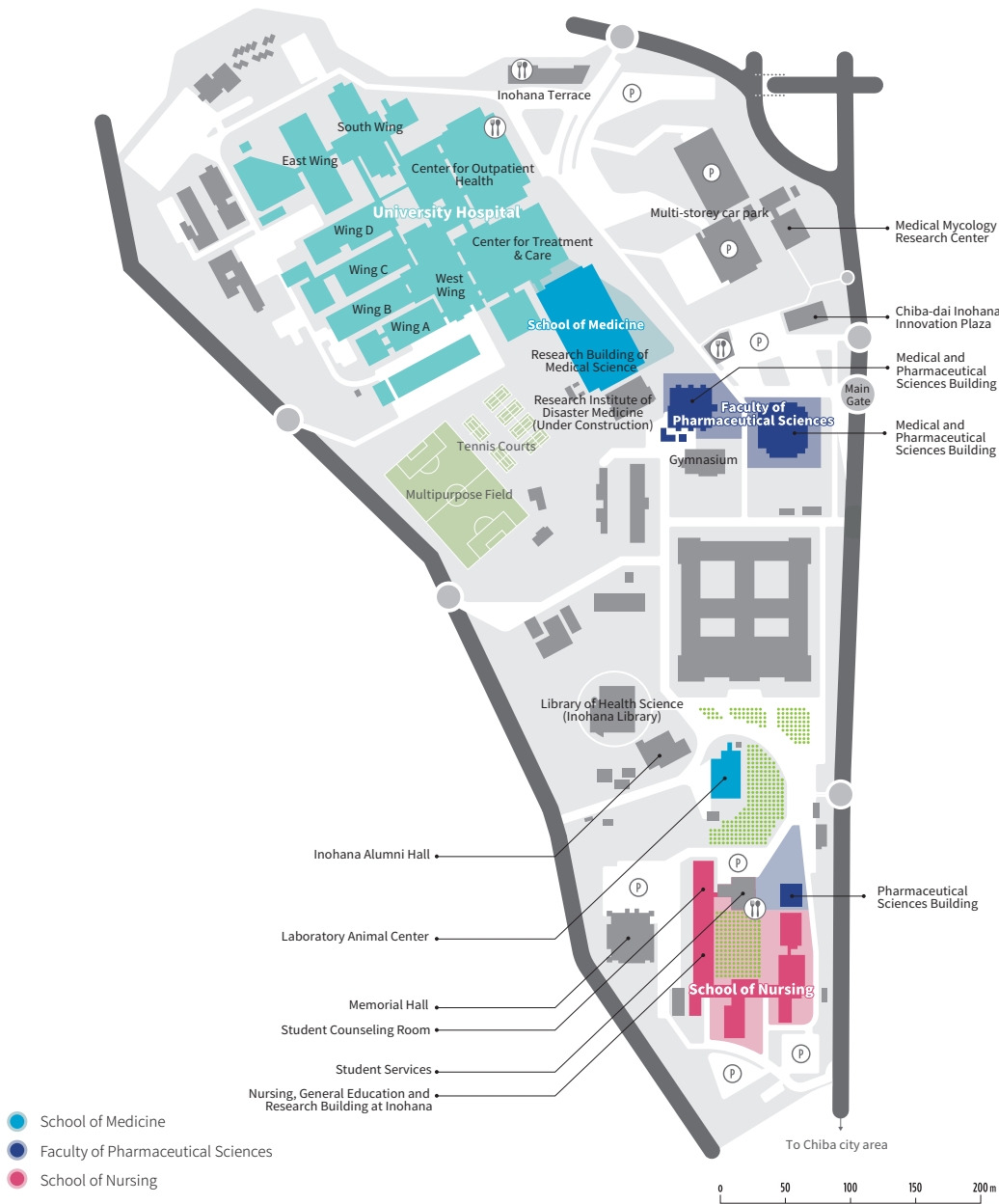
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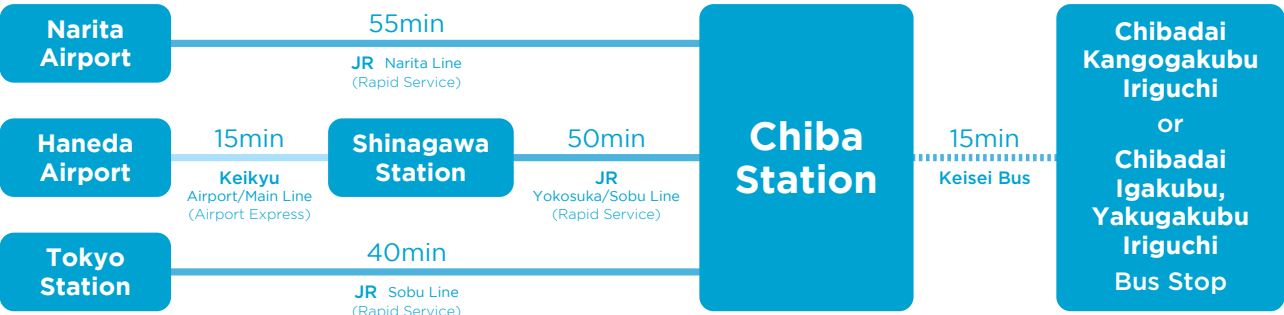
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Chiba University Hospital has been one of Japan's preeminent institutions in medical education, research and patient care for over a century. The University Hospital strives to disseminate its innovative patient therapies and scientific discoveries locally and internationally. We are committed to training a new generation of physicians, scientists and co-medical staff. In addition, the Hospital provides opportunities for medical practitioners and physicians working in satellite hospitals to keep up with recent developments in medical science, as well as patient care, in order for the same quality of medical care to be shared in any region. The University Hospital also plays an important role in promoting the development of public health in the community and across Japan.

Inohana Campus



Public Transportation



The routes indicated above are examples. The most convenient route may be different depending on the day and the time.