

Program Title	Shinshu Health Science World (SHSW) 2018	
Outline	Shinshu University provides overseas Health Science students with the opportunity to experience Health Science research and advanced clinical practice in Japan.	
Aims	<p>The School of Health Sciences, Shinshu University aims to nurture future medical staff who can contribute to society with a global perspective. Thus, this program sets out the following objectives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. as a means of international contribution, Shinshu University provides the opportunity to experience Japanese biomedical laboratory practices for overseas health science students, 2. Shinshu University Health Science students and their overseas counterparts will inspire each other through interactive communication in English, and develop their global viewpoints, 3. Shinshu University provides both overseas students and our doctors and students with the opportunity to increase their knowledge in different aspects of health science education and systems in other countries, 4. both overseas students and members of Shinshu University can utilize the international environment of this program to improve their communication and language skills. 	
Training contents	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introductory training for Japanese conversation 2. Introductory lecture on health science and education system in Japan 3. Specialized training at designated course 4. University Hospital tour 5. Visit to training facilities 6. Discussions in English about various health science matters with Shinshu University doctors and health science students 7. Cultural exchange activities with Shinshu University health science students 	
Specialized training	Division of Medical Technology	
Duration of training	1 week (5 days)	
Term (Application deadline)	Monday, October 29 - Friday, November 2, 2018	Deadline: Friday, April 27, 2018
Number of participants	Maximum 4 students	
Eligibility	It is preferable that participants will be/are in the second or third academic year of their Medical Laboratory Science and Biotechnology studies.	
Criteria for selection	Recommendation of the home institution, academic records, and the suitability of personal qualities and interests in the program	
Application	<p>Applicants need to submit the following documents No. 1 - 6 via their home institutions to the School of Health Sciences, Shinshu University, by application deadline for the initial screening:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Application form (Form 1) *Applicants need to state their motivation for each department of their choice. 2. Immunization Health History (IHH) (Form 2) 3. Statement of Financial Responsibility (Form 3) 4. Passport copy 5. Recommendation letter from the Dean of the home institution 6. Transcript of academic records <p>*Late submission or incomplete application will not be screened.</p> <p>After receiving a conditional offer of training, expected participant needs to submit No. 7 within 2 weeks.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. A copy of health and liability insurance certificate (it must cover medical fees and compensation costs claimed during his/her stay in Japan) <p>*Failure to submit this will cause the cancellation of his/her training at Shinshu University.</p>	
Certification	Successful participant receives Certificate of Training on his/her final training day.	
Fees	Shinshu University does not charge registration or training fees. Personal expenses such as travel, accommodation, and food must be paid by the individual or home institutions	
Accommodation	<p>All participants need to arrange accommodation by themselves.</p> <p>We recommend Leoplace 21 (housing agent) http://en.leopalace21.com/, http://www.leopalace21.com/contact/foreign.html</p>	