

Program Title	Shinshu Health Science World (SHSW) 2021	
Outline	Shinshu University provides overseas Health Science students with the opportunity to experience Health Science research 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, November 8 – Friday, November 12, 2021	Deadline: Friday, June 11, 2021
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 Application Form (Form 1) along with the following documents No. 1 – 6 via their home institutions to Shinshu University School of Health Sciences by the application deadline for the initial screening:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Form 2: Certificate of Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *All immunization requirements must be certified by the dates of vaccination or titer results. Incomplete form cannot be accepted. 2. Form 3: Statement of financial responsibility 3. A copy of your passport <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Scanned or photo image of the page with your ID photo and personal details on. 4. A letter of recommendation from the dean or equivalent of your home institution <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *It must confirm that the applicant will be in the second or third academic year of their Medical Laboratory Science and Biotechnology studies at the time of his/her visit at Shinshu University. 5. A transcript of studies (academic records) <p>After receiving a conditional offer of training, please submit No. 6 within 2 weeks:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. A copy of international travel insurance certificate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Your health and liability insurance must cover medical fees and compensation costs claimed during your stay in Japan. *Failure to submit the certificate copy will cause the cancellation of your participation. 	
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	Participants can be accommodated in Asahi Kaikan (university guest house) on the Matsumoto Campus during their training (from registration on Monday to check out on Saturday). Payment must be made in cash and not refundable. 3,000 JPY per person per night. Should any rooms of Asahi Kaikan be unavailable, participants will be required to arrange accommodation for themselves.	