

Application Guidelines

Aomori University of Health and Welfare
Graduate School
Academic Year 2027

Doctoral Program Application Periods I & II

The entrance examination will be conducted online

Graduate School of Health Sciences, Department of Health Sciences
Health/Medical/Welfare Policy System Domain
Interpersonal Care Management Domain
Basic Research and Practical Technology Domain

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Features of the Graduate School

Students from a wide range of professional fields—including nursing, physical therapy, social welfare, nutrition and public health—conduct interdisciplinary studies aimed at improving health and welfare. They receive lectures and research supervision from faculty members across various disciplines.

Interdisciplinary Research Fields

- Health, Medical, and Welfare Policy Systems
- Interpersonal Care Management
- Basic Research and Applied Technology

Flexible Learning Environment for Working Professionals

- Weekend and evening classes
- Intensive summer courses
- Remote lectures via web conferencing systems

Admission Policy

Aomori University of Health and Welfare seeks to contribute to solving health, medical, and welfare issues in Aomori Prefecture through education and research, while fostering highly skilled individuals who can practice human care.

The university seeks applicants who are motivated to develop advanced research skills and to contribute to research, education, and professional practice in health sciences.

Ideal Applicants

Applicants should have:

1. A strong awareness of issues in health sciences, together with intellectual curiosity and a passion for seeking truth.
2. The ability to identify independent research topics related to health, medical, and welfare issues, and to organize and present research findings.
3. A strong desire to contribute to society as a researcher, educator, leader, or administrator.

Selection Method

To select applicants with academic ability required for graduate study and future potential, and to promote diversity among students from both Japan and abroad, the university conducts an online entrance examination.

Applicants are evaluated comprehensively through:

- Written examination
- Oral examination

Diploma Policy

In the Doctoral Program of the Graduate School of Health Sciences at Aomori University of Health and Welfare, the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Health Sciences is awarded to students who:

- complete the required credits prescribed in the Graduate School Regulations, and
- pass the final examination of the doctoral dissertation based on Special Research.

Graduates Will Be Expected To:

1. Integrate advanced expertise from interdisciplinary and comprehensive perspectives, and identify research topics that create new value.
2. Conduct independent research and practice aimed at solving issues in health, medical care, and welfare, with a sound sense of ethics and responsibility.
3. Communicate research findings to society through academic publications and other professional activities.

Introduction

Application Process: From Preparation to Admission

Step 1 — Consider Your Preferred Academic Supervisor

Refer to pages 13–14.

Step 2 — Decide on Your Academic Supervisor and Arrange a Preliminary Consultation

For details on the consultation procedure, Refer to page 4.

Step 3 — Confirm Eligibility and Selection Method

Refer to page 3 for eligibility requirements and page 8 for the selection method.

Applicants who require eligibility screening must apply in advance.

Refer to page 3 to determine whether you are subject to this requirement, and to page 5 for details of the application procedure.

Step 4 — Prepare the Application Documents

Early preparation is recommended.

For details of the required documents, refer to page 6.

Step 5 — Pay the Application Fee

Step 6 — Submit the Application Documents

Step 7 — Receive the Examination Admission Ticket

Step 8 — Take the Entrance Examination

Step 9 — Check the Results and Complete Admission Procedures

Schedule for Each Admission Period

Item	Application Period I	Application Period II
Eligibility Screening Application Period (if required)	August 17 (Mon) – August 20 (Thu), 2026	December 1 (Tue) – December 4 (Fri), 2026
Application Fee Payment Period	September 17 (Thu) – September 29 (Tue), 2026	January 7 (Thu) – January 19 (Tue), 2027
Application Period	September 24 (Thu) – September 29 (Tue), 2026	January 14 (Thu) – January 19 (Tue), 2027
Entrance Examination	October 17 (Sat), 2026	February 6 (Sat), 2027
Announcement of Results	October 23 (Fri), 2026	February 15 (Mon), 2027

1. Admission Overview

- **Program**
Doctoral Program in Health Sciences
- **Admission Capacity**
8 students
- **Degree Awarded**
Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Health Sciences
- **Standard Duration of Study**
3 years

2. Selection Schedule

Selection Period	Examination Date
Application Period I	October 17 (Sat), 2026
Application Period II	February 6 (Sat), 2027

Note: Applications for Application Period II will be accepted regardless of the results of Application Period I.

3. Eligibility for Application

Applicants must meet **one** of the following requirements:

1. Hold a **master's degree awarded by a university in Japan**, or be expected to obtain one by **March 31, 2027**.
2. Hold a degree equivalent to a **master's degree awarded outside Japan**, or be expected to obtain one by **March 31, 2027**.
3. Be recognized by the Graduate School of Aomori University of Health and Welfare as having academic ability equivalent to or higher than that of a person holding a master's degree.

Applicants who meet item 1 or 2 do not need eligibility screening and can submit an application directly.

Applicants who intend to apply under item 3 must complete the eligibility screening process before submitting an application. Please refer to **Section 6: Eligibility Screening**.

If you are unsure whether your academic background meets the eligibility requirements, please contact the university in advance.

4. Preliminary Consultation

Preliminary Consultation with Your Academic Supervisor

An **academic supervisor** is a faculty member who provides guidance for your doctoral dissertation or research project.

Before applying, all applicants must decide on their preferred academic supervisor and complete a **preliminary consultation**.

Applicants who require eligibility screening must complete the preliminary consultation before applying for eligibility screening.

How to Arrange a Preliminary Consultation

After reviewing the university website and graduate school brochure, applicants should contact their preferred academic supervisor directly by **email** to arrange a meeting and discuss their proposed research after enrollment.

For contact information, refer to **pages 12–14**.

5. Support for Working Professionals

Flexible Class Schedule

To support students who are employed full time, the Graduate School offers a flexible learning environment, including:

- **Day and evening classes**
- **Weekend classes**
- **Intensive summer courses**

Online Classes and Research Supervision

The Graduate School actively offers **online classes and research supervision** using web conferencing systems, combining classroom-based and online learning.

6. Eligibility Screening *(Required only for applicants applying under item 3 in Section 3)*

Applicants who intend to apply under item 3 of Section 3 must complete eligibility screening before submitting an application.

(1) Screening Method

Eligibility screening is conducted before application based on a review of the submitted documents.

(2) Required Documents

Applicants applying under item 3 of Section 3 must submit the following documents.

International applicants must contact the Admissions Office by email before the start of the eligibility screening application period.

Email: daigakuin_nyushi@ms.auhw.ac.jp

After contacting the Admissions Office, applicants will receive instructions from the university on how to submit electronic copies of the required documents. Documents must be submitted by the method designated by the university.

Submitted documents will not be returned.

Applicants applying under item 3 must submit the following documents:

1. **Application for Eligibility Screening [Form E]**
2. **Curriculum Vitae [Form B]**
3. **List of Research Achievements [Form D]**
4. **Research Achievement Report [Form F]**
5. **Academic Transcript** — a scanned copy of the original document issued by the applicant's most recent academic institution
6. **Certificate of Graduation (Completion) or Expected Graduation (Completion)** — a scanned copy of the original document issued by the applicant's most recent academic institution
7. **Certificate of Research Student Enrollment (if applicable)** — applicants who have previously been enrolled as research students in a graduate school must submit a scanned copy of the original certificate issued by that institution

Notes:

1. Documents prepared in a language other than Japanese or English must be accompanied by an English translation.
2. University-designated forms (Forms E, B, D, and F) can be downloaded from the university website.

(3) Application Period and Notification of Results

1) Application Period

Application Period I: August 17 (Mon) – August 20 (Thu), 2026

Application Period II: December 1 (Tue) – December 4 (Fri), 2026

Applications must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. (Japan Standard Time) on the final day of the application period.

2) Notification of Screening Results

Applicants will be notified of the results of the eligibility screening by the following dates:

Application Period I: by September 18 (Fri), 2026

Application Period II: by January 8 (Fri), 2027

Applicants who are approved must complete the application procedures within the designated application period.

7. Application Documents

(◎: Required / △: Submit if applicable)

No.	Document	Required	Notes
1	Application Form [Form A]	◎	Use the designated form provided by the university and fill in all required information completely.
2	Curriculum Vitae [Form B]	◎	
3	Research Plan [Form C]	◎	
4	Record of Research Achievements [Form D]	◎	Use the designated form provided by the university and fill in all required information completely. Submit electronic copies of two different publications from your research achievements. The file names should be “ ResearchAchievement1 ” and “ ResearchAchievement2 ”.
5	Photograph for Examination Admission Ticket	◎	Submit electronic data of a photograph suitable for personal identification. The photograph must show the applicant’s upper body facing forward, without a hat or background, and must have been taken within three months prior to application. Accepted file formats are JPEG, PNG, or PDF . The image should be in portrait orientation (<i>recommended aspect ratio: approximately 3:4</i>). The file name should be “ D_ApplicantName ”.
6	Certificate of Graduation (Completion) or Expected Graduation (Completion)	◎	Submit a certificate issued by one school that meets your application eligibility. If you are eligible based on multiple schools, submit a certificate from one of your choice.
7	Academic Transcript	◎	Submit a transcript issued by one school that meets your application eligibility. If you are eligible based on multiple schools, submit a transcript from one of your choice.
8	Proof of Payment of Application Fee (¥30,000)	◎	Submit proof of payment after transferring the application fee to the university-designated bank account below. Bank transfer fees must be paid by the applicant. For payments made via ATM, submit an image or PDF file of the transaction receipt. For payments made via internet banking, submit a screenshot or PDF file of the payment completion screen. Application Fee Payment Period I: September 17 (Thu) – September 29 (Tue), 2026 Application Fee Payment Period II: January 7 (Thu) – January 19 (Tue), 2027 Bank Account for Application Fee Payment Bank Name: Aomori Michinoku Bank SWIFT Code: AOMBJPJT Branch Name: Hamadate Branch (Branch Code: 140) Account Type: Ordinary Account Account Number: 1097912 Account Name: Public University Corporation Aomori University of Health and Welfare

No.	Document	Required	Notes
9	Official Copy of Family Register	△	Submit a scanned copy if the name on your certificates differs from your current legal name.
10	Copy of Residence Card (Both Sides) or Certificate of Residence	△	Non-Japanese nationals residing in Japan must submit either a scanned copy of both sides of their Residence Card or a scanned copy of a Certificate of Residence issued by their local municipal office (<i>must show residency status</i>).

Notes:

1. Documents prepared in a language other than Japanese or English must be accompanied by an English translation.
2. The designated university forms [**Forms A to D**] can be downloaded from our university website: <https://www.auhw.ac.jp/daigakuin/exam/seikyuu.html>
3. Applicants who have already undergone the **Eligibility Screening** are not required to resubmit items No. 2, 4, 6, and 7 (*i.e., Curriculum Vitae [Form B], Record of Research Achievements [Form D], Certificate of Graduation(Completion), and Academic Transcript*), as these were already submitted during the eligibility screening process..

8. Application Procedures

(1) Application Period

Application Period I: September 24 (Thu) – September 29 (Tue), 2026

Application Period II: January 14 (Thu) – January 19 (Tue), 2027

Applications must be submitted by **5:00 p.m. (Japan Standard Time)** on the final day of the application period.

(2) Application Method

Applicants must submit the required application documents.

International applicants must contact the Admissions Office by email before the start of the application period.

Email: daigakuin_nyushi@ms.auhw.ac.jp

After contacting the Admissions Office, applicants will receive instructions from the university on how to submit electronic copies of the required documents. Documents must be submitted by the method designated by the university.

Submitted documents will not be returned.

(3) Notes on Application

1. Applications with incomplete documents will not be accepted.
2. University-designated forms (*e.g., Application Form and Curriculum Vitae*) should, in principle, be completed using a computer.
3. No changes to the application details will be accepted after submission. However, applicants must promptly notify the Academic Affairs and Student Affairs Section of any changes to their name, address, telephone number, or other contact information.
4. Submitted application documents will not be returned under any circumstances.
5. The application fee will not be refunded except in the following cases:
 - The application fee was paid, but application documents were not submitted.
 - The application fee was paid, but the application documents were not accepted.
 - The application fee was paid twice by mistake.

If any of the above applies, contact the Academic Affairs and Student Affairs Section promptly.

6. The examination admission ticket will be emailed to applicants after the application documents have been accepted. If it has not been received by three days before the examination date, contact the Academic Affairs and Student Affairs Section.
7. Admission may be revoked even after enrollment if any material false statement is found in the application documents or if the applicant is found not to meet the eligibility requirements.

9. Selection Method

Applicants will be selected based on a comprehensive evaluation of the results of the entrance examination and the submitted application documents.

The outline of the entrance examination is as follows.

(Total score: 200 points)

Examination	Duration	Points
<p>Written Examination (English) The examination will be conducted online.</p> <p>The examination assesses the English proficiency required to read academic books and research papers. The required response time is 60 minutes.</p> <p>Applicants will read an English passage (<i>approximately 800 words</i>) related to health, medical care, or welfare and answer approximately 3 to 5 questions focusing mainly on reading comprehension and summarization.</p>	60 minutes	100 points
<p>Oral Examination The examination will be conducted online.</p> <p>After a presentation (approximately 10 minutes) on the applicant’s master’s thesis (or major paper) and future research plan, applicants will be evaluated comprehensively.</p> <p>Evaluation will be based on the presentation and the documents submitted in advance, including the curriculum vitae, research plan, and record of research achievements. Motivation for research, basic abilities required for study and research, understanding and awareness of issues related to the research topic, research ability, and specialized knowledge will be considered.</p>	30 minutes	100 points

Note: The difficulty level of the examination questions is designed to be approximately equivalent for Application Period I and Application Period II.

[Note: Regarding Sources for the Entrance Examination]

Please note that the examination questions will not be disclosed.

Academic Year	Sources (References used in exam questions)
2026	World Health Organization. "WHO Housing and health guidelines." pp.xv-xviii
	Jingwen Liu, et al. "Heat exposure and cardiovascular health outcomes: a systematic review and meta-analysis." <i>The Lancet Planetar Health</i> , 6(6), 2022, pp.e484-e495
2025	Duckki Lee. "AI-based Healthcare Chatbot." <i>International Research Journal of Engineering and Technology</i> , 10(2), 2023, pp.563-567
	Matthew J. Douma, et al. "First aid cooling techniques for heat stroke and exertional hyperthermia: A systematic review and meta-analysis." <i>Resuscitation</i> , 148, 2020, p.174
2024	Benjamin Smith, Jared W. Magnani. "New technologies, new disparities: The intersection of electronic health and digital health literacy." <i>International Journal Cardiology</i> , 2019, pp.280-282
	Arora A., et al. "The value of standards for health datasets in artificial intelligence-based applications." <i>Nature Medicine</i> , 29, 2023, pp.2929-2938.

10. Examination Schedule and Method

(1) Examination Dates and Times

[Application Period I]

Date	Examination Component	Time
October 17 (sat), 2026	Written Examination (English)	9:00 AM – 10:00 AM
	Oral Examination	From 10:30 AM

Please log in by **8:30 AM** to prepare your equipment and internet connection.

[Application Period II]

Date	Examination Component	Time
February 6 (Sat), 2027	Written Examination (English)	9:00 AM – 10:00 AM
	Oral Examination	From 10:30 AM

Please log in by **8:30 AM** to prepare your equipment and internet connection.

(2) Online Entrance Examination

The entrance examination will be conducted online. Selection will be based on a comprehensive evaluation of the written examination (*English*), oral examination, and submitted application documents.

1. Both the written examination and oral examination will be conducted online. The university does not provide equipment or devices; therefore, applicants must prepare the equipment and internet environment described in items 2 and 3 at their own expense, including communication costs.
2. During the oral examination, applicants will share presentation materials on screen. Because operation may be difficult on smartphones or tablets, the use of a personal computer is recommended.
3. Applicants must prepare any necessary equipment, including a computer, web camera, and microphone.
4. Examination questions and answer sheets will be sent by email to the email address provided on the Application Form [Form A] by the day before the examination. Applicants are responsible for preparing printed copies or other necessary arrangements. Further details will be provided in the email.
5. **The oral examination will mainly focus on the applicant's research.** The examination will be conducted individually for approximately 30 minutes, consisting of:
 - approximately 10 minutes for a presentation on the master's thesis (*or major publication*) and future research plan;
 - approximately 20 minutes for questions and answers regarding the research plan and specialized knowledge.
6. Presentation materials for the oral examination must be submitted by email by the designated deadline. Submitted materials will be printed by the university and distributed to

the interviewers. The submission deadline will be announced when the examination admission ticket is sent.

Email: daigakuin_nyushi@ms.auhw.ac.jp

(3) Notes for Examinees

1. Applicants must prepare the necessary equipment and internet environment and enter the Zoom examination room by 8:30 a.m.
2. Applicants arriving within 20 minutes after the start of the written examination may still take the examination; however, no extension of examination time will be granted.
3. Applicants who do not take either the written examination or the oral examination will be excluded from the selection process.
The scheduled starting time of the oral examination will be indicated in the schedule sent together with the examination admission ticket. Confirm the schedule in advance.
4. The examination admission ticket will be sent as a PDF file. Because smartphones and similar devices may not be used during the examination except as instructed, applicants must print the admission ticket in advance and keep it readily available during the examination.
5. The examination admission ticket will also be required for enrollment procedures. Keep either a printed copy or electronic copy after the examination.
6. Only the following items may be used during the examination:
 - equipment necessary for the online examination (computer, web camera, microphone, etc.)
 - pencils (mechanical pencils permitted)
 - erasers
 - pencil sharpeners
 - clocks or watches with timekeeping functions only
 - dictionaries between the applicant's native language and English (electronic dictionaries are not permitted)
7. Mobile phones and smartphones will be used for photographing and submitting answer sheets and for emergency communication.
During the examination, devices must be set to silent mode and must not be touched until instructed by the proctor.
8. Leaving the seat temporarily during the written examination (*e.g., for restroom use*) is generally not permitted. Complete any necessary preparations beforehand.

9. Answers to the written examination must be handwritten, photographed using a smartphone or similar device, and submitted by email to the designated address.
Detailed instructions regarding the submission method and email address will be provided in advance.
10. Any additional necessary information will be provided by email together with the examination admission ticket. Read the instructions carefully and prepare accordingly for the examination.

11. Announcement of Results

Application Period I: October 23 (Fri), 2026, 10:00 AM

Application Period II: February 15 (Mon), 2027, 10:00 AM

Examination numbers of successful applicants will be announced on the university website. Results can be confirmed at the following website:

<https://www.auhw.ac.jp/daigakuin/exam/goukakusya.html>



A notification of acceptance will also be sent to successful applicants by email. No inquiries regarding examination results will be accepted by telephone, postal mail, or email.

12. Enrollment Procedures

(1) Enrollment Procedure

1. Enrollment Period

[Application Period I]

October 26 (Mon) – November 4 (Wed), 2026
(excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays)

Hours: 9:00 AM – 11:45 AM and 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

[Application Period II]

February 16 (Tue) – February 26 (Fri), 2027
(excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays)

Hours: 9:00 AM – 11:45 AM and 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

2. Enrollment Method

Details regarding enrollment procedures and required documents will be posted on the university website.

Applicants must submit the required documents by mail (*to arrive within the designated period*) or in person at the address below.

3. Submission Address

Academic and Student Affairs Division
Aomori University of Health and Welfare
58-1 Hamadate-Mase, Aomori City, Aomori, 030-8505, JAPAN
TEL: +81-17-765-2007

(2) First-Year Fees

Note: The amounts shown are for students entering in the 2026 academic year and are subject to change.

1. Admission Fee

The following admission fee must be paid at the time of enrollment:

- Residents of Aomori Prefecture: ¥225,600
- Non-residents of Aomori Prefecture: ¥338,400

A “resident of Aomori Prefecture” is defined as an individual, or their spouse or first-degree relative, who has continuously maintained resident registration in Aomori Prefecture for at least one year prior to the date of enrollment. All others are regarded as non-residents.

Applicants advancing directly from the master’s program of the Graduate School of Aomori University of Health and Welfare to the doctoral program are exempt from the admission fee. Details regarding the exemption procedure and required documents will be sent to eligible applicants together with the admission notification.

2. Tuition Fee

- **Amount:** ¥535,800 per year
- **Payment Method:** Tuition is paid in two installments after enrollment:
 - Spring semester (*payment deadline: May*)
 - Fall semester (*payment deadline: October*)

In addition to the above fees, students are required to pay student association and alumni association fees. Additional expenses, such as fees for infectious disease antibody testing, may also apply.

(3) Supplementary Admission

If vacancies remain after the completion of enrollment procedures, additional applicants may be admitted.

(4) Preparation of Internet Access and Computer Equipment

The university actively incorporates remote learning into its educational programs. Applicants are therefore expected to prepare an internet environment and personal computer before enrollment.

15. Contact Information for Academic Advisors

(1) Health/Medical/Welfare Policy System Domain

Title	Name	Research Lab	Contact Email
Specially Appointed Professor	Motoki Ohnishi	Public Health	m-ohnishi@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Terumi Kogawa	Community Health	t_kogawa@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Hiroko Kodama	Elderly Care System	h_kodama@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Keisuke Saito	Health Promotion and Rehabilitation	k_saito@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Tomoe Sakashita	Mental Health and Psychiatric Rehabilitation	t_sakashita@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Masayuki Soma	Elderly Health Support	m_soma@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Kenzo Takahashi	Global MNCH (Maternal, Newborn and Child Health)	k_takahashi@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Toru Takizawa	Health Sociology	t_takizawa@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Atsuko Chiba	Occupational Health	atsuko_chiba@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Kenta Matsumura	Epidemiology and Nutritional Psychiatry	k_matsumura@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Miki Miyoshi	Global and Community Nutrition	m_miyoshi@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Masumi Murakami	Nursing Administration	m_murakami@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Akitomo Yasunaga	Health and Behavioral Science	a_yasunaga@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Nobuo Yoshiike	Health Promotion and Nutrition Policy	n_yoshiike@ms.uhwa.ac.jp

(2) Interpersonal Care Management Domain

Title	Name	Research Lab	Contact Email
Associate Professor	Toshiya Urushihata	Human Dynamics	t_urushihata@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Harumi Kadohama	Theory Development in Nursing Practice	h_kadohama@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Associate Professor	Shotaro Koike	Innovation in Nursing Skills	s_koike@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Megumi Sato	Women's Health Nursing	m_sato@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Associate Professor	Shoichi Shiota	Clinical Neuropsychology	s_shiota@ms.uhwa.ac.jp
Professor	Saiko Shikanai	Nutrition for School-aged Children	s_shikanai@ms.uhwa.ac.jp

Title	Name	Research Lab	Contact Email
Professor	Hiroshi Shinohara	Sports Rehabilitation	h_shinohara@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Professor	Yuko Degai	Gerontological Nursing	y_degai@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Professor	Hideyuki Nakae	Neuro and Geriatric Rehabilitation Science	h_nakae@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Professor	Hiromi Narui	Cancer Nursing	h_narui@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Distinguished Research Professor	Shigeru Yamamoto	Asian Nutrition and Food Culture	s_yamamoto@ms.uhw.ac.jp

(3) Basic Research and Practical Technology Domain

Title	Name	Research Lab	Contact Email
Professor	Akira Arai	Neurological Disorders	a_arai@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Associate Professor	Hiromi Izawa	Food Development and Safety	h_izawa@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Professor	Naoki Nanashima	Food Functional Chemistry	n_nanashima@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Associate Professor	Toshio Norikura	Basic Nutrition	t_norikura@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Associate Professor	Isato Fukushi	Rehabilitation Science	i_fukushi3@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Professor	Sangun Lee	Biological Functions	leesu@ms.uhw.ac.jp
Professor	Tatsunori Watanabe	Cognitive Motor Neuroscience	t_watanabe3@ms.uhw.ac.jp

If you are unable to contact a prospective academic advisor, please inquire with the Academic Affairs and Student Services Division at: daigakuin_nyushi@ms.uhw.ac.jp

For more information about academic advisors and research topics, please refer to our university website using the URL or QR code below:

<https://www.uhw.ac.jp/daigakuin/health/laboratory.html>



14. Disclosure of Examination Results

(1) Information to Be Disclosed

Individual entrance examination results (*scores of the selection examination*)

(2) Period for Requesting Disclosure

[Application Period I] October 26 (Mon) – November 26 (Thu), 2026

[Application Period II] February 17 (Wed) – March 17 (Wed), 2027

(3) Method of Disclosure

Requests for disclosure will be accepted by email, and examination results will also be disclosed by email.

Individual examination results (*the applicant's own results*) will be made available electronically, such as through notification of a viewing URL.

Details regarding the disclosure request procedure will be provided to applicants at a later date.

Application Document Forms

- Application Form [Form A]
- Curriculum Vitae [Form B]
- Research Plan [Form C]
- Record of Research Achievements [Form D]

Forms for Eligibility Screening Application.

- Application Form for Eligibility Screening [Form E]
- Record of Professional Achievements [Form F]

The above forms can be downloaded from the university's website.

<https://www.uhw.ac.jp/daigakuin/exam/seikyuu.htm>

Form A

Academic Year 2027

Your name, date of birth, and other information entered in Form A will be automatically transferred to Form B and subsequent forms. Please make sure to complete Form A first.

Application Form

Application Period	Period II	Examination No.**	
Applicant's Name	Anna Li	Gender	Female
		Date of Birth	1993/8/8
Academic Supervisor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ← Check this box if you have already had a prior consultation.		
Name	Taro Tsugaru	Research Domain	Health/Medical/Welfare Policy System Domain
Address	58-1, Aza-Mase, Hamadate, Aomori City, Aomori 030-8505, Japan		
Email Address	****@**.*.***	Phone Number	#09-5555-998-95-210
Employer (for current employees only)			
Company/Organization Name	Saint River International University		
Department/Division	Faculty of Nursing, Department of Global Public Health Nursing	Job Title	Assistant Professor
Eligibility for Application	Name of Institution (Graduate School / University / Junior College, etc.)	Harmony Medical University Graduate School	
	Graduate School / Program, Faculty / Department Name	International Nursing Studies	
	School Address / Location	Unit ***, ***, Harmony Street, Brgy. Commonwealth, Quezon City, Metro Manila, 1111, Philippines	
	Status of Graduation / Completion	Graduated / Completed	
	Graduation Date (Year/Month)	2024/3	
Preferred Language for Entrance Examination	English		
Preferred Language for Courses and Research Supervision	English		

Note 1) Do not write in the sections marked with (**).

Note 2) Please fill in the required information for each item or select from the drop-down menu.

We kindly ask you to complete the following questionnaire.

Please check all that apply regarding how you learned about our graduate school (multiple answers allowed):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1 Website, graduate school brochure, or other promotional materials |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 2 Recommendation from a current student or graduate of our graduate school |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 Recommendation from a supervisor or colleague |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 4 Recommendation from a family member or friend |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 Other (If you select "Other," please specify in the box below.) |

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Curriculum Vitae

Application Period	Period II	Examination No.**	
Address	58-1, Aza-Mase, Hamadate, Aomori City, Aomori 030-8505, Japan		
Applicant's Name	Anna Li	Date of Birth	1993/8/8
Educational Background			
Year	Month	Details	
2000	6	Entered Greenfield Elementary School (Philippines)	
2006	3	Graduated from Greenfield Elementary School	
2006	6	Entered Sunrise Secondary School (Philippines)	
2012	3	Graduated from Sunrise Secondary School	
2012	6	Entered Oceanview University, Faculty of Nursing (Philippines)	
2016	3	Graduated from Oceanview University	
2017	9	Entered Harmony Medical University Graduate School, Department of International Nursing Studies (Philippines)	
2019	8	Completed Master's Program at Harmony Medical University Graduate School	
Work Experience			
Year	Month	Details	
2016	6	Joined Sunrise General Hospital, Department of Internal Medicine (Philippines), as a Registered Nurse	
2019	8	Left Sunrise General Hospital	
2019	9	Appointed as Assistant Professor, Department of Global Public Health Nursing, Faculty of Nursing, Saint River International University (Canada)	
Present	-	Currently employed at Saint River International University	
Licenses and Certifications			
Type	Registered Nurse (Philippines)		
Date of Issue	2016/8		
License Number	RN-****-PH		
Disciplinary Actions			

Note 1) Do not write in the sections marked with (**).

Note 2) Regarding Academic Background.

① For education in Japan, please fill in from high school graduation (or its equivalent) onward.

② For education abroad, please list all schools attended during elementary education (primary school), secondary education (middle and high school), and higher education (university and graduate school).

Note 3) Regarding the Employment History section.

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Doctoral Program in Health Sciences

Application Form for Eligibility Screening

Application Period	Period II	Examination No.**	
<p>To the President of Aomori University of Health and Welfare,</p> <p>I wish to apply for the entrance examination of the Graduate School of Health Sciences, Department of Health Sciences (Doctoral Program).</p> <p>Therefore, I hereby submit this application along with the required documents to obtain certification of eligibility for application.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2025/9/12</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Name: <u>Anna Li</u></p>			
Research Domain	Health/Medical/Welfare Policy System Domain		
Address	58-1, Aza-Mase, Hamadate, Aomori City, Aomori 030-8505, Japan		
Phone Number	#09-5555-998-95-210		
Email Address	****@**.*.*.*		
Highest Education	Name of School	Harmony Medical University Graduate School	
	Status of Graduation / Completion	Graduated / Completed	
	Graduation Date (Year/Month)	2024/3	

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Form F

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Record of Professional Achievements

[for Eligibility Screening]

Application Period	Period II	Examination No.**	
Applicant's Name	Anna Li	Date of Birth	1993/8/8
Research Domain	Health/Medical/Welfare Policy System Domain		

Professional Achievements (Publications, Conference Presentations, and Other Academic Activities)

Date (Year/Month)	Professional Achievements
2021/11	Presented a paper titled "Community-Based Nursing Practices in Post-Disaster Areas" at the 18th International Conference on Global Health (Bangkok, Thailand).
2022/3	Published a research article: "Cultural Competence in Cross-Border Nursing Care", Journal of International Nursing Studies, Vol. 27, No. 1.
2022/9	Served as session chair for the panel on "Global Health Equity and Nursing" at the Asia-Pacific Nursing Education Forum (Seoul).
2023/2	Delivered a guest lecture titled "Ethics and Empathy in International Nursing" at Harmony Medical University.
2023/7	Participated in the WHO Global Workshop on Migrant Health Nursing as a delegate from Japan.
2024/1	Co-authored a chapter in "Handbook of Intercultural Nursing Practice" (Spring Medical Press), focused on comparative policy systems in community health.

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Applicants who are applying for eligibility screening under categories 5, 6, or 7 of the Eligibility Requirements must submit copies of their professional achievements, such as published papers, research reports, and abstracts of conference presentations.