

SINGAPORE MEDICAL COUNCIL

LIST OF REGISTRABLE BASIC MEDICAL QUALIFICATIONS (Till 31 Dec 2019)

IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. One of the criteria for Provisional and Conditional registration with the Singapore Medical Council (SMC) is a 'Primary Qualification' from one of the following medical schools.
2. Only the medical programme from the listed medical schools at the time of addition to the Schedule is recognised. Any subsequent significant changes to the medical curriculum of the listed medical school may not be recognised, e.g. GCE Advanced level or Baccalaureate level entry to a Graduate entry programme.
3. Only the campus that was in existence at the time of addition to the Schedule will be recognised. Any new campus that is off-site from the recognised main campus, whether in the same country or a different country and whether the same degree is granted or not, will not be recognised by the SMC.
4. For twinning programmes, doctors must have undergone the entire duration of their clinical training and final examinations in a medical school listed in the Schedule, before they can be considered for provisional or conditional registration in Singapore. Graduates from the Malaysian, US and Canadian medical schools on the schedule must have undergone the entire medical training on the main campuses of the respective medical schools – i.e. both pre-clinical and clinical for eligibility for registration with SMC.
5. Graduates from recognised medical schools listed in the Schedule must pass the relevant national licensing examinations in the listed country, e.g. in the USA medical graduates must pass the USMLE and in Canada, they must pass the MCCQE to be registered to practise in Singapore. For any country that imposes such national licensing conditions on its own medical graduates, the corresponding conditions will also be required for registration to practise in Singapore.
6. Every application for medical registration will be considered based on its own merits.
7. The Singapore Medical Council (SMC) would like to highlight that International Medical Graduates who do not hold qualifications which are recognised by the SMC, will not be eligible to apply for medical registration to practise in Singapore. This applies to all applicants.
8. SMC strongly advise all interested applicants to ensure that they fulfil all necessary criteria, including but not limited to, holding a qualification which is listed on the Second Schedule of the Medical Registration Act (Cap 174) or a registrable postgraduate medical qualification recognised by the SMC.

CONTACT US

Information on registration of medical practitioners in Singapore is available online. For any queries on universities recognised by the Council, please email SMC Secretariat at enquiries@smc.gov.sg

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Country	Body Granting Qualifications	Primary Qualifications	Year of Addition
Australia	1. Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Adelaide	MB BS	2003
	2. School of Medicine, Faculty of Health Sciences, The Flinders University of South Australia	MB BS, MD	2003 2014
	3. Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences, University of Melbourne	MB BS, MD	1971 2012
	4. Faculty of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences, Monash University	MB BS	2003
	5. School of Medicine and Public Health, University of Newcastle ¹	BMed	2003
	6. Faculty of Medicine, University of New South Wales	MB BS, BMed MD	2003 2014
	7. Faculty of Health Sciences, The University of Queensland Medical School	MB BS Doctor of Medicine AQF Level 9 Masters (Extended)	2003 2016
	8. Faculty of Medicine, University of Sydney	MB BS, MD	1971 2014
	9. Faculty of Health Science, University of Tasmania	MB BS	2003
	10. Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry, University of Western Australia	MB BS, MD	2003 2014
	11. Australian National University Medical School	MB BS MChD	2009 2016
Austria	1. Medizinische Universität Wien	Medicinae Universalis Doctor	2006
	2. Medizinische Universität Innsbruck	Medicinae Universalis Doctor	2006
Belgium	1. Faculteit Geneeskunde, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven	Arts (Physician)	2006
Canada	1. Faculty of Medicine, University of British Columbia	MD	2003
	2. Faculty of Medicine, McGill University	MD, CM	1971
	3. Faculty of Health Sciences, McMaster University	MD	2003
	4. Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Ottawa	MD	2003
	5. Faculty of Medicine, Queen's University	MD	2003
	6. Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto	MD	1971
	7. Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, University of Western Ontario	MD	2003
	8. Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry, University of Alberta	MD	2006
	9. Faculté de Médecine, Université de Montréal	MD	2006

¹ Includes the Joint Medical Program (JMP) undertaken by medical graduates exclusively at the **University of Newcastle**

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	10. College of Medicine, University of Saskatchewan	MD	2006
	11. Faculte de Medecine, Universite Laval	Docteur en medecine	2007
	12. Faculte de Medecine, Universite de Sherbrooke	Doctorat en medecine/ Medicinae Doctor	2007
	13. Faculty of Medicine, Dalhousie University	Doctor of Medicine	2007
	14. Faculty of Medicine, University of Calgary	Doctor of Medicine	2007
Denmark	1. Det Sundhedsvidenskabelige Fakultet, Aarhus Universitet	Candidatus Medicinae	2006
Finland	1. Faculty of Medicine, University of Helsinki	Licenciate in Medicine	2006
France	1. Faculté de Medeciné, Université de Louis Pasteur (ULP) Strasbourg	Docteur en Medecine	2006
	2. Faculté de Medeciné, Université Pierre et Marie Curie (UPMC)	Docteur en Medecine	2006
Germany	1. Medizinische Fakultät Heidelberg, Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg	Zweiter Abschnitt Certificate	2006
	2. Medizinische Fakultät, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München	Zweiter Abschnitt Certificate	2006
	3. Charite-Universitätsmedizin Berlin	Hochschulabschluss	2006
	4. Fachbereiche Medizin, Johann-Wolfgang-Goethe Universität (Frankfurt Am Main)	Zweiter Abschnitt Certificate	2006
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, People's Republic of China	1. Faculty of Medicine, Chinese University of Hong Kong	MB ChB	2003
	2. Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine, University of Hong Kong	MB BS	2003
India	1. All-India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi	MB BS	2006
	2. Christian Medical College, Vellore	MB BS	2006
	3. Armed Forces Medical College (AFMC), Pune	MB BS	2007
	<i>4. Deleted by S 521/2009, wef 30/10/2009.</i>		
	5. Jawaharlal Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education & Research (JIPMER), Puducherry	MB BS	2007
	6. Lady Hardinge Medical College, New Delhi	MB BS	2007
	7. Grant Medical College, Mumbai	MB BS	2007
	8. St. John's Medical College, Bangalore	MB BS	2007
	9. Madras Medical College, Chennai	MB BS	2007
Ireland	1. Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Dublin (Trinity College)	MB BCh BAO	2003
	2. Faculty of Medicine, National University of Ireland, University College Cork	MB BCh BAO	2003

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	3. Faculty of Medicine, National University of Ireland, University College Dublin	MB BCh BAO	2003
	4. Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, National University of Ireland, Galway	MB BCh BAO	2003
	5. School of Medicine, Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland (National University of Ireland)	MB BCh BAO	2003
Israel	1. Faculty of Medicine, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem	MD	2006
	2. Sackler Faculty of Medicine, Tel Aviv University	MD	2006
Italy	1. Facoltà Medicina e Chirurgia I and II, Sapienza Università di Roma	Laurea in Medicinae Chirurgia	2006
	2. Facoltà Medicina e Chirurgia , Università degli Studi di Firenze	Laurea in Medicinae Chirurgia	2006
Japan	1. Faculty of Medicine, University of Tokyo	Igakushi (Bachelor of Medicine)	2006
	2. Faculty of Medicine, Kyoto University	Igakushi (Bachelor of Medicine)	2006
	3. School of Medicine, Hokkaido University	Igaku (Bachelor of Medicine)	2006
	4. School of Medicine, Osaka University	Igaku (Bachelor of Medicine)	2006
	5. School of Medicine (Tokyo), Keio University	Igaku (Bachelor of Medicine)	2007
	6. Faculty of Medicine, Nagoya University	Igaku (Bachelor of Medicine)	2007
	7. Faculty of Medicine (Fukuoka), Kyushu University	Igaku (Bachelor of Medicine)	2007
	8. Tokyo Women's Medical University	Igaku (Bachelor of Medicine)	2007
Malaysia²	1. Faculty of Medicine, Universiti Malaya (Kuala Lumpur)	MB BS	2007
	2. Faculty of Medicine, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (Kuala Lumpur)	Doktor Perubatan	2007
The Netherlands	1. Erasmus Medisch Centrum, Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam	Arts	2006
	2. Universitair Medisch Centrum Utrecht ³	Arts	2006
	3. Academisch Medisch Centrum, Universiteit Van Amsterdam	Arts	2006

² For these two medical schools, the medical graduate must complete his medical studies in the main campus from Year 1 to final Year. Twinning programmes for these 2 universities which are done outside the main campus will not be recognised.

³ SMC only recognises the "Arts" qualification of the 6-year undergraduate medical programme.

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	4. Faculty of Medicine/Leiden University Medical Center, Universiteit Leiden	Arts	2007
New Zealand	1. Faculty of Medicine and Health Science, University of Auckland	MB ChB	2003
	2. Faculty of Medicine, University of Otago	MB ChB	2003
Norway	1. Det Medisinske Fakultet, Universitetet i Oslo	Candidatus Medicinae	2006
Pakistan	1. The Aga Khan University Medical College	MB BS	2007
People's Republic of China⁴	1. Peking University Health Science Centre (PUHSC)	Master of Medicine, Doctor of Medicine	2009
	2. Shanghai Medical College, Fudan University	Doctor of Medicine	2009
	3. Peking Union Medical College (PUMC), Tsinghua University	Doctor of Medicine	2009
	4. Shanghai Jiao Tong University School of Medicine	Doctor of Medicine	2009
	5. Sun Yat-Sen College of Medical Science (Guangdong), Sun Yat-Sen University	Doctor of Medicine	2009
	6. Zhejiang University School of Medicine	Master of Medicine, Doctor of Medicine	2009
	7. School of Medicine, Wuhan University	Master of Medicine, Doctor of Medicine	2009
	8. The West China College of Medicine, Sichuan University	Master of Medicine, Doctor of Medicine	2009
South Korea	1. College of Medicine, Seoul National University	Hak Sa	2006
	2. Yonsei University College of Medicine (Seoul)	Eui-haksa	2007
	3. College of Medicine (Seoul), Korea University	Eui-haksa	2007
Spain	1. Facultad de Medicina, Universidad de Barcelona	Licenciado en Medicina y Cirugia	2006
	2. Facultad de Medicina, Universidad Complutense de Madrid	Licenciado en Medicina y Cirugia	2006
Sri Lanka	1. Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo	MB BS	2007
Sweden	1. Karolinska Institutet	Lakarexamen	2006
	2. Medicinska Fakulteten, Uppsala Universitet	Lakarexamen	2006
	3. Medicinska Fakulteten, Lunds Universitet	Lakarexamen	2006
Switzerland	1. Medizinische Fakultät, Universität Zürich	Diplome Federal	2006
	2. Faculté de Medecine, Université de Genève	Diplome Federal	2006
	3. Medizinische Fakultät, Universität Basel	Diplome Federal	2006

⁴ SMC only recognises the **direct** 7-year Master of Medicine and 8-year Doctor of Medicine awarded by Chinese medical schools for medical registration. The two qualifications are primary (basic) medical qualifications and they differ from the postgraduate training programmes or qualifications that are awarded in conjunction to or after the (common) Bachelor of Medicine.

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	4. Medizinische Fakultät, Universität Bern	Diplome Federal	2006
	5. Faculté de Médecine, Université de Lausanne (UNIL)	Diplome Federal	2007
Taiwan	1. College of Medicine (Taipei), National Taiwan University	Doctor of Medicine	2007
	2. College of Medicine (Taoyuan), Chang Gung University	Doctor of Medicine	2007
United Kingdom	1. Faculty of Medicine and Medical Science, University of Aberdeen	MB ChB	2003
	2. College of Medicine and Health Sciences, The Queens University of Belfast	MB ChB	2003
	3. School of Medicine, University of Birmingham	MB ChB	2003
	4. Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry, University of Bristol	MB ChB	2003
	5. School of Clinical Medicine, University of Cambridge	MB BChir	1971
	6. Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry, University of Dundee	MB ChB	2003
	7. Medical School, University of Edinburgh	MB ChB	1971
	8. Faculty of Medicine, University of Glasgow	MB ChB	1971
	9. School of Medicine, University of Leeds	MB ChB	2003
	10. School of Medicine, University of Leicester	MB ChB	2003
	11. Faculty of Medicine, University of Liverpool	MB ChB	2003
	12. The University of London Medical Schools, as follows:		1971
	(a) Kings College London School of Medicine	MB BS	
	(b) Barts and The London Queen Mary's School of Medicine and Dentistry	MB BS	
	(c) University College London Medical School — formerly known as Royal Free and University College Medical School	MB BS	
	(d) St. George's University of London	MB BS	
	13. Faculty of Medicine, University of Manchester	MB ChB	2003
	14. Faculty of Medical Sciences, University of Newcastle upon Tyne	MB BS	2003
	15. Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, The University of Nottingham	BMBS	2003
	16. Oxford University Medical School	BM BCh	1971
	17. Faculty of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, University of Sheffield	MB ChB	2003
18. Faculty of Medicine, University of Southampton	BM	2003	
19. Medical School, University of St. Andrews	MB ChB	2003	
20. College of Medicine, University of Wales	MB BCh	2003	
21. School of Medicine, Imperial College London	MB BS	2009	

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	22. School of Medicine, Cardiff University	MB BCh	2009
United States of America	1. Baylor College of Medicine	MD	2003
	2. David Geffen School of Medicine, University of California at Los Angeles	MD	2003
	3. School of Medicine, University of California at San Diego	MD	2003
	4. San Francisco School of Medicine, University of California	MD	1971
	5. Pritzker School of Medicine, University of Chicago	MD	2003
	6. Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons (New York)	MD	1971
	7. Cornell University Medical College (New York)	MD	1971
	8. Duke University School of Medicine	MD	1971
	9. Emory University School of Medicine	MD	2003
	10. Harvard Medical School	MD	1971
	11. The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine	MD	1971
	12. Mayo Medical School	MD	2003
	13. University of Michigan Medical School (Ann Arbor)	MD	1971
	14. University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine	MD	1971
	15. University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine	MD	2003
	16. Stanford University School of Medicine	MD	1971
	17. University of Texas Southwestern Medical School at Dallas	MD	2003
	18. Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	MD	2003
	19. University of Washington School of Medicine (Seattle)	MD	2003
	20. Washington University School of Medicine (St. Louis)	MD	1971
	21. Yale University Medical School	MD	1971
	22. Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine	MD	2006
	23. University of Wisconsin Medical School (Madison)	MD	2006
	24. Roy J. & Lucille A. Carver College of Medicine at University of Iowa	MD	2006
	25. Feinberg School of Medicine, Northwestern University	MD	2006
	26. School of Medicine, University of Alabama	MD	2006
	27. School of Medicine, Boston University	MD	2006
	28. School of Medicine, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill	MD	2006
	29. School of Medicine, University of Virginia	MD	2006

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	30. School of Medicine, University of Colorado	MD	2006
	31. School of Medicine and Dentistry, University of Rochester	MD	2006
	32. Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York University	MD	2006
	33. Dartmouth Medical School	Doctor of Medicine	2007
	34. New York University School of Medicine	Doctor of Medicine	2007
	35. Oregon Health and Science University School of Medicine	Doctor of Medicine	2007
	36. The Ohio State University College of Medicine	Doctor of Medicine	2007
	37. Keck School of Medicine of the University of Southern California	Doctor of Medicine	2007
	38. Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University – formerly known as Brown Medical School	Doctor of Medicine	2007

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