



Issyk-Kul State University

Karakol, Kyrgyzstan • Established 2017 • Government

NMC-Approved

WHO Listed

FAIMER

ECFMG-eligible

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

University Overview: International Higher School of Medicine (IHSM), Issyk-Kul Campus History and Establishment
The International Higher School of Medicine (IHSM), Issyk-Kul Campus, established in 2017, is a modern medical university located in Karakol, Kyrgyzstan. As part of the IHSM network, it was founded to align with Kyrgyzstan's efforts to reform higher education and meet global medical training standards. The campus is strategically situated near the scenic Issyk-Kul Lake, offering students a blend of academic rigor and natural beauty. Mission and Academic Focus IHSM Issyk-Kul prioritizes accessible, high-quality medical education for international students, particularly from India. Its curriculum is designed to meet international...

KEY FACTS

ESTABLISHED

2017

TYPE

Government

DURATION

6 years

MEDIUM

English

INTAKE

September

MBBS SEATS

150

TEACHING HOSPITAL

Yes

60%

FMGE PASS RATE

FEES

Item	Amount
Tuition (per year)	\$3,500 (~Rs 3.0 L)
Hostel (per year)	\$500 (~Rs 0.4 L)
Total programme cost	\$31,200 (~Rs 26.5 L)

Estimated all-in budget • 6 yrs

tuition + hostel + living/food + visa & travel

~Rs 43.1 L

Indicative; INR at ~Rs 85/USD. Living/food (~\$2,500/yr) and visa/travel (~\$1,500) are estimates and vary by city & lifestyle. Confirm current fees with the university.

WHY CHOOSE ISSYK-KUL STATE UNIVERSITY

- **NMC Recognition:** Issyk-Kul State University is officially recognized by the National Medical Commission, ensuring eligibility to practice in India after clearing the...
- **WHO Recognition:** The university is recognized by the World Health Organization (WHO), ensuring global recognition of your MBBS degree.
- **Affordable Fees:** MBBS at Issyk-Kul State University is more affordable compared to private medical colleges in India, reducing the financial burden on students and...
- **English Medium:** The entire MBBS curriculum is taught in English, eliminating language barriers for Indian students and facilitating easier understanding.
- **Straightforward Admission:** The admission process is relatively straightforward, primarily requiring a valid NEET score and academic eligibility in 10+2.
- **Safe Environment:** Kyrgyzstan provides a safe and welcoming environment for international students, ensuring their well-being and security throughout their studies.
- **Practical Exposure:** The program includes a one-year compulsory internship, providing invaluable practical exposure in real-world clinical settings within affiliated...

CAMPUS & FACILITIES

- Clinical Simulation Center for hands-on training with modern equipment.
- Medical Clinic 'VEDANTA' providing practical experience for students.
- 20 affiliated state hospitals for clinical rotations and patient interaction.
- Network of 10 hospitals under VEDANTA for diverse clinical exposure.
- Well-equipped classrooms and lecture halls for effective learning.
- Laboratories for practical training in various medical disciplines.
- Library with access to medical textbooks and research journals.

ELIGIBILITY

- NEET score: Must qualify in NEET (2024/2025/2026) to be eligible.
- Age: Must be 17 years or older at the time of admission.
- Academics: Completed 10+2 with Physics, Chemistry, Biology, and English.
- Minimum marks: 50% marks in PCB in 10+2 (40% for reserved categories).
- Medium of instruction: Proficiency in English as the MBBS program is taught in English.
- Passport: Valid passport is required for international travel and visa application.

HOW TO APPLY

Intake: September.

1. Step 1: Ensure you meet the basic eligibility criteria, including being 17 years or older before admission.
2. Step 2: Complete your 10+2 education with Physics, Chemistry, Biology, and English as core subjects.
3. Step 3: Secure a minimum of 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry, and Biology combined (40% for reserved categories).
4. Step 4: Qualify for the NEET (National Eligibility cum Entrance Test) exam with a valid score. NEET qualification must be in 2024, 2025, or 2026.
5. Step 5: Collect required documents: 12th mark sheets, passport scans, and NEET qualification proof.
6. Step 6: Apply to Issyk-Kul State University at least 2-3 months before the admission deadline, which typically starts in September.

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- Valid passport
- 10th & 12th marksheets
- NEET scorecard
- Birth certificate (English)
- Medical fitness & HIV test report
- Passport-size photographs (white background)
- 6-month bank statement of parent/guardian
- No-Objection Certificate

RECOGNITION & CAREER

Recognition & Accreditations of Issyk-Kul State University (Kyrgyzstan) for Indian Medical Students Issyk-Kul State University, established in 2017 in Karakol, Kyrgyzstan, is a recognized destination for Indian students pursuing MBBS abroad. Its accreditations and affiliations align with global medical education standards, ensuring graduates meet eligibility criteria for licensure in India and other countries....

Career Prospects After Graduation from Issyk-Kul State University Issyk-Kul State University, officially known as the International Higher School of Medicine (IHSM) Issyk-Kul Campus, offers Indian MBBS graduates multiple pathways for medical practice in India and abroad. Established in 2017, this NMC-recognized institution provides a globally aligned...

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