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FOR JPMC COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES



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The Jerudong Park Medical Centre (JPMC) is proud to announce the establishment of its scholarship program. This program is designed to support the professional development of healthcare professionals and to recognize and reward students who demonstrate a strong interest and commitment to healthcare.

## **PURPOSE**

The scholarship program has several key objectives:

- To recognize and reward students who have demonstrated a strong interest in and dedication to healthcare, as well as a commitment to excellence in their studies.
- To facilitate funding for continuing education or certification programs that support the professional development of healthcare professionals.
- This scholarship program is in alignment with Brunei's Wawasan 2035 of ensuring the people of Brunei Darussalam educated, highly skilled and accomplished.

## Eligibility Requirements for scholarship

### a. External Applicants

- i. Demonstrate a strong interest and dedication to healthcare, as well as a commitment to excellence in their studies.

<b>Entry-Level Education - Foundation for External Applicants</b>	
<b>Nationality</b>	Citizen and Permanent Resident of Negara Brunei Darussalam
<b>Age</b>	Not more than 25 years old upon admission
<b>Higher National Technical Education Certificate (Level 4)</b>	GPA $\geq$ 2.5 (in relevant field)
<b>Cambridge GCSE 'O' Level (Level 3)</b>	6 'O's (C6 and above which has to include Bahasa Melayu, Biology and Mathematics)
<b>National Technical Education Certificate (Level 3)</b>	GPA $\geq$ 2.5 (in relevant field)
<b>Others:</b>	The equivalents of all the above-mentioned to be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

## Entry-Level Education - Degree for External Applicants

<b>Nationality</b>	Citizen and Permanent Resident of Negara Brunei Darussalam
<b>Age</b>	Not more than 25 years old upon admission
<b>Foundation JCHS (Level 5)</b>	GPA $\geq$ 2.0 (in Science)
<b>Higher National Diploma / Advanced Diploma (in Sciences or Nursing) (Level 5)</b>	Credit
<b>Cambridge GCSE 'A' Level (Level 4)</b>	A minimum of 160 points for two (2) 'A' Level passes or 200 points for three (3) 'A' Level passes in relevant subjects <b>INCLUDING</b> at least one in any Science subjects (Biology, Chemistry or Physics) and one in other English-medium subjects. One of these subjects must be at a minimum of Grade C.
<b>International Baccalaureate (Level 4)</b>	International Baccalaureate Diploma or International Baccalaureate Certificate with a minimum score of 24 points, including a minimum of 5 points each in at least <b>ONE</b> Science subjects (Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics or Physics) taken at Higher Level.
<b>Diploma (in Nursing or Midwifery) (Level 4)</b>	Credit
<b>Others:</b>	The equivalents of all the above-mentioned to be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.
<b>Additional Requirements:</b>	GCE 'O' Level - English Language - <b>C6</b> OR IGCSE English - <b>Grade B</b>

## a. Internal Applicants

- i. Currently working in Jerudong Park Medical Centre.
- ii. Demonstrate a strong interest and dedication to healthcare, as well as a commitment to excellence in their studies.

<b>Entry-Level Education - Foundation for Internal Applicants</b>	
<b>Nationality</b>	Citizen and Permanent Resident of Negara Brunei Darussalam
<b>Age</b>	Preferably below 45 years old
<b>Higher National Technical Education Certificate (Level 4)</b>	GPA $\geq$ 2.5 (in relevant field)
<b>Cambridge GCSE 'O' Level (Level 3)</b>	6 'O's (C6 and above which has to include Bahasa Melayu, Biology and Mathematics)
<b>National Technical Education Certificate (Level 3)</b>	GPA $\geq$ 2.5 (in relevant field)
<b>Working Experience</b>	Applicants can also be considered based on their work experience (minimum of 2 years), work performance, and their acceptance of admission to the JPMC College of Health Sciences.
<b>Additional Requirements:</b>	Language proficiency as required by the educational institution.

## Entry-Level Education - Degree for Internal Applicants

<b>Nationality</b>	Citizen and Permanent Resident of Negara Brunei Darussalam
<b>Age</b>	Preferably below 45 years old
<b>Foundation JCHS (Level 5)</b>	GPA $\geq$ 2.0 (in Science)
<b>Higher National Diploma / Advanced Diploma (in Sciences or Nursing) (Level 5)</b>	Credit
<b>Cambridge GCSE 'A' Level (Level 4)</b>	A minimum of 160 points for two (2) 'A' Level passes or 200 points for three (3) 'A' Level passes in relevant subjects INCLUDING at least two in Biology, Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics and one of these subjects must be at a minimum of Grade C.
<b>International Baccalaureate (Level 4)</b>	International Baccalaureate Diploma or International Baccalaureate Certificate with a minimum score of 24 points, including a minimum of 5 points each in at least two Science subjects (Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics or Physics) taken at Higher Level.
<b>Diploma (in Nursing or Midwifery) (Level 4)</b>	Credit
<b>Others:</b>	Applicants can also be considered based on their work experience (minimum of 2 years), work performance, and their acceptance of admission to the JPMC College of Health Sciences
<b>Additional Requirements:</b>	Language proficiency as required by the educational institution.

## Application Process

Interested applicants must submit a completed scholarship application, including:

- i. Fill in the digital application form.



Scan QR code to download the form

or go to / click the link below

<https://forms.gle/mj6F9U9WsU2QSLpMA>

- i. Please upload the necessary documents (in PDF format) to the digital application form mentioned above:
  - a. Copy of Acceptance Letter from JPMC College of Health Sciences (JCHS)
  - b. Copy of Birth Certificate
  - c. Copy of Passport
  - d. Copy of National Identity Card
  - e. Certified true copies of Educational Transcript/Certificates
  - f. Co-Curricular Activities (CCA) reports/certificates
  - g. A personal statement detailing interest and dedication to healthcare, as well as their commitment to serving underserved or disadvantaged communities in their future careers.
  - h. Two letters of recommendation from individual familiar with the applicants' academic and professional achievements (**Recommendation letter is not required for internal applicants**).

## Scholarship Award

- The scholarship award is to provide comprehensive support to the student, covering tuition fees, registration fees, and any other costs associated with enrollment in the school.
  - For external students, the scholarship includes a monthly stipend of B\$300.00 to assist with textbook and other educational expenses.
  - For internal employees, scholarship recipients will only be receiving their current entitlement of basic salary and housing allowance during their study period. They will not be eligible for annual bonuses, travel allowances, or any other additional benefits during this period.



## Employment Bond

- The student shall be bonded with **JERUDONG PARK MEDICAL CENTRE SDN BHD** for a period of **three (3)** years for every year of study, maximum of 12 years, in which such bond shall commence on the date the student reports for work in JPMC subject to Management's discretion.
- Students who fail to commence work on the agreed upon date of reporting will be considered to be in breach of the Scholarship Agreement.
- Student breaching the Scholarship Agreement shall be liable to pay JPMC back in full lump-sum for any and all expenses incurred/funded by JPMC in relation to the Student's entire Course under the Scholarship, including but not limited to, any such administrative matters, as well as any and all training courses/programs attended by the Student during the Course under the Scholarship with an additional twenty percent (**20%**) of the total cost of such amount payable shall be charged to the Student.

## Ongoing Requirements

- Scholarship recipients will be required to maintain a minimum **GPA of 2.2** during their study period.
- Scholarship recipients may also be required to participate in any internship, work placement, community service or outreach activities organized by JPMC.
- JPMC will be requesting transcripts and reports each semester and academic year from the college.

## Examination Retakes and Repeats

- Students are permitted to retake only **one (1)** examination subject per semester, up to a maximum of **two (2)** times per academic year. In exceptional cases, such as medical conditions verified by a licensed medical practitioner, the Management reserves the right to grant permission for a student to repeat an academic year.
- Any additional cost in relation to any retake/re-sit/ repeat of any module will be borne by the recipient.

## Termination

- If a scholarship recipient fails to fulfill the ongoing requirements outlined, including but not limited to maintaining a minimum GPA or any acts of gross misconduct during their period of study, their scholarship may be revoked.
- The scholarship recipient shall not terminate, resign, or withdraw from the Scholarship Agreement unless with satisfactory reasoning to JPMC subject to management's further discretion.
- The scholarship recipient and their Guarantor shall be jointly and individually responsible for their own conduct and obligations under the Scholarship Agreement, and of their heirs, personal representatives, successors and any other permitted assignee's, to ensure JPMC is paid back in full in accordance with the Scholarship Agreement, in the event of termination.

## Code of Conduct

- The scholarship recipient are always to maintain a level of academic performance that is satisfactory to JPMC in relation to the Institution's official reports including but not limited to the student's attendance, conduct and behavior and academic progress.
- They are to comply with all rules and regulations currently in force from time to time by JPMC and the Institution pertaining to the Course.
- At all times, students are expected to maintain the Company's image and serve as a brand representative for the Company during their period of study.

## Completion of Study

- The student shall provide JPMC with a copy of the Course certificate within **fourteen (14)** days of its receipt from the Institution.



## JPMC LIFE

- JPMC LIFE is a program that is part of the scholarship to acclimatize students and to slowly prepare students for the realities of working in a hospital environment and to familiarize them with the various departments and procedures at JPMC.
- The program aims to provide students with hands-on experience and to give them a glimpse into the day-to-day operations of a hospital. This can help them to better understand the challenges and responsibilities of healthcare professionals, and to make informed decisions about their future careers in the medical field.
- Additionally, the LIFE program offers students the opportunity to build connections and network with experienced professionals in the industry, which can be valuable for their future job prospects. Overall, the JPMC LIFE program is designed to enhance students' education and provide them with a well-rounded understanding of the healthcare industry.

## CONTACT US

For any questions or concerns regarding the JPMC scholarship program, please contact the JPMC scholarship coordinator under Learning & Development Unit in Human Resource Department.



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