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Tokyo Medical and Dental University Graduate School Rules of Study

Rule No. 42, Enacted on March 30, 2010

Article 1 Aims

Matters relating to the study of classes at Tokyo Medical and Dental University ("**TMDU**") shall be governed by the TMDU Graduate School Rules (No. 5 of 2004; hereinafter referred to as the "**School Rules**"), and these rules.

Article 2 Class Courses and Undertaking of Study

- 2.1 The class courses offered, and credits required at TMDU graduate schools, are set forth in Appendix 1.
- 2.2 The President shall decide the class courses and required credits referred to in the preceding paragraph after receiving the opinion of the graduate course in question.

Article 3

Classes shall consist of lectures, seminars, experiments, and practical training, and can be either compulsory or elective.

Article 4 Class Hours per Credit

- 4.1 (1) Graduate School of Medical and Dental Sciences
 - a. Between 15 and 30 hours of lectures and seminars
 - b. Between 30 and 45 hours of experiments and practical training
 - (2) Graduate School of Health Care Sciences
 - a. Between 15 and 30 hours of lectures and seminars
 - b. Between 30 and 45 hours of experiments and practical training
- 4.2 The following must be taken into account when determining the class hours in the preceding paragraph:
 - (1) The full achievement of the aims of study
 - (2) Allocation of time for study and independent study

Article 5 Exams and Credits

- 5.1 Exams shall be conducted for courses taken; it is provided, however, that for courses which are difficult to be assessed through exams, and the like, exams can be replaced with study results or a report on a designated topic.
- 5.2 Those who pass the exams referred to in the preceding paragraph shall be awarded the prescribed number of credits.
- 5.3 Those who pass an exam for a class course that does not include practical exercises shall be awarded the prescribed number of credits; it is provided, however, that those enrolled in

- courses whose assessment is distributed amongst multiple exams must pass all the exams in order to receive credits.
- 5.4 One cannot obtain the prescribed number of credits in a course that includes practical exercises without passing the exam and being verified as having completed the practical exercises in that course.

Article 6 Miscellaneous Rules

Other necessary matters pertaining to study shall be stipulated separately.

Supplementary Rule

These rules will take effect on April 1, 2010.

Supplementary Rule (No. 61 of April 28, 2011)

These rules will take effect on April 28, 2011 and apply from April 1, 2011.

Supplementary Rule (No. 33 of March 12, 2012)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2012.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were already enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2012 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.

Supplementary Rule (No. 24 of March 12, 2013)

These rules will take effect on April 1, 2013.

Supplementary Rule (No. 15 of March 31, 2014)

These rules will take effect on April 1, 2014.

Supplementary Rule (No. 24 of March 31, 2014)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2014.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were already enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2014 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.
- 3. Notwithstanding the amendment of Article 2, the class courses and study undertaken by those specializing in General Health and Nursing Science in phase 2 doctoral courses in the Graduate School of Health Care Sciences in the 2014 and 2015 academic years are as follows:

Name of Class Course	Credits
Community and Home Care Nursing	4
Special Lecture on Community Health Nursing	4
Special Lecture on Home Care Nursing	4
Special Lecture on Reproductive Health Nursing	4
Special Lecture on Mental Health Nursing	
Development of Nursing Functions and Care Management	
Special Lecture on Biological and Social Functionality	4
Special Lecture on Child and Family Nursing	4
Special Lecture on Critical and Invasive Palliative Care	4
Special Lecture on Developing Systems for Geriatric Nursing	4
Care	
Special Lecture on Management of Nursing Systems	4
Health Care Education and Development	
Special Lecture on Health Information Analysis	4
Special Lecture on Health Care Education	4
Special Lecture on International Nursing Development	4
Special Research	8

Students must obtain all the prerequisites for completion listed below, and pass the thesis examination and the final exam:

- (1) 4 credits of special lectures from the education and research department in which the student is enrolled;
- (2) 8 credits of special research

Supplementary Rule (No. 11 of February 17, 2015)

These rules will take effect on April 1, 2015.

Supplementary Rule (No. 127 of May 18, 2015)

These rules will take effect on May 18, 2015 and apply from October 1, 2014.

Supplementary Rule (No. 128 of May 18, 2015)

- 1. These rules will take effect on May 18, 2015 and apply from April 1, 2015.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were already enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2015 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.

Supplementary Rule (No. 208 of November 16, 2015)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2016.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were already enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2016 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.

Supplementary Rule (No. 5 of March 4, 2016)

These rules will take effect on April 1, 2016.

Supplementary Rule (No. 62 of March 31, 2016)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2016.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were already enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on April 1, 2016 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.

Supplementary Rule (No. 9 of November 11, 2017)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2017.
- 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of Appendix 1(1) (as amended), persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2017 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.

Supplementary Rule (No. 49 of March 30, 2017)

These rules will take effect on April 1, 2017.

Supplementary Rule (No. 55 of March 31, 2017)

These rules will take effect on April 1, 2017.

Supplementary Rule (No. 97 of June 21, 2017)

- 1. These rules will take effect on June 21, 2017 and apply from April 1, 2017.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2017 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.

Supplementary Rule (No. 97 of June 21, 2017)

- 1. These rules will take effect on June 21, 2017 and apply from April 1, 2017.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2017 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.

Supplementary Rule (No. 25 of March 30, 2018)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2018.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2018 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.

Supplementary Rule (No. 36 of March 31, 2019)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2019.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2019 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules, except for those enrolled in courses included in the Training Plan for Future Oncology Professionals.

Supplementary Rule (No. 25 of March 31, 2020)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2020.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2019 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules. However, Appendix 1(3)-1 and (3)-2, prescribed in amended Item 1 of Article 2, will take effect on April 1, 2019.

Supplementary Rule (No. 65 of May 18, 2021)

- 1. These rules will take effect on May 18, 2021 and apply from April 1, 2021.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2019 and persons who re-enter or transfer to which students belong from April 1, 2021 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules, except the following subjects in Appendix 1(6):

Cancer Pathology and Treatment Lecture, Palliative Care Nursing Lecture I, Cancer Chemotherapy Nursing Lecture I, Cancer Chemotherapy Nursing Seminar I, Palliative care nursing Seminar I, Disaster Nursing Lecture I, Disaster Nursing Seminar I, Critical Care Nursing Lecture I, Critical Care Nursing Seminar IA, Critical Care Nursing Seminar IB, Physical Assessment of Acute and Critically Ill Patients, Treatment and Management of Acute and Critically Ill Patients, Disaster Nursing Internship, Consultation, Physical Assessment, Clinical Pharmacology, Pathophysiology

Supplementary Rule (No. 61 of March 28, 2022)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2022.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2022 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules, except the following matters:
 - (1) Note1 in Appendix 1(2), Note 1(2) in Appendix 1(5) and Note 1 in Appendix 1(6)
 - (2) The following subjects in Appendix 1(1), (2) and (8):
 Infectious disease control in the post-Covid-19 society in Appendix 1(1) and 1(8)
 Essential Expertise for Clinical Dentistry (EECD) in Appendix 1(2)

Supplementary Rule (No. 42 of March 28, 2023)

- 1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2023.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2023 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules, except the following matters:
 - (1) The following subjects in Appendix 1(1), (2), (5) and (6): Epidemiology: Basic, Biostatistics: Basic, Biostatistics: Advanced I, Biostatistics: Advanced II, Clinical Trial Methodology: Basic, Clinical Trial Methodology: Advanced, Oral epidemiology: Basic, Epidemiology: Adcanced in Appendix 1(1), (2), (5) and (6)

Statistical Analysis of Clinical Data in Appendix 1(1), (2) and (5) Special Lectures for Advanced Oral Healthcare Sciences, Advanced Oral Health Engineering, Advanced Bone Histomorphometry in the Hard Tissue Research in Appendix 1(2) and (5) Oral Health Sciences Seminar in Appendix 1(5)

- (2) Note 13 in Appendix 1(1), Note 5 in Appendix 1(2) and Note 4 in Appendix 1(5)
- 3. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2023 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules. However, Common courses except Nursing in Appendix 1(6) can be taken that is not included in prerequisites.

*Please check the Japanese version of the Regulations for the Appendices