

# 東京医科歯科大学大学院学位論文審査基準

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## Tokyo Medical and Dental University Thesis Examination Criteria

Established on February 17, 2015

### 1. Aims

In accordance with Article 20 of the TDMU Degree Rules (No. 56 of 2004), the masters and doctoral thesis examination criteria for the Graduate School of Medical and Detail Sciences and Graduate School of Health Care Sciences of Tokyo Medical and Dental University (the “**University**”) are stipulated as follows.

### 2. Masters Programs

Masters theses shall be examined from the point of view of whether the content of the thesis satisfies the criteria below and whether the candidate has acquired sufficient research skills in the area in question, on the basis of the University’s diploma policy, etc.

#### 1) Appropriateness of Research Goals

Whether the candidate possesses sufficient basic knowledge of the area of research and whether meaningful research goals have been appropriately set on the basis of thorough review of prior research.

#### 2) Research Methods/Ethics

Whether the research plan and research methods can be appropriately substantiated and whether research and experiments have been performed in a highly ethical manner.

#### 3) Discussion

Whether the research data and results obtained have been correctly evaluated, appropriately considered, and reported in a logically consistent manner.

### 3. Doctoral Programs

Doctoral theses shall be examined from the point of view of whether, in reference to the University’s diploma policy, etc., the content of the thesis satisfies the criteria below and whether the candidate has acquired sophisticated research skills as an independent researcher based on a rich foundation of knowledge in the area in question.

#### 1) Pioneering Nature and Originality of Research Goals

Whether the candidate possesses a multifaceted, specialized knowledge of the area of research and has set research goals on the basis of a pioneering or original idea

#### 2) Social Significance

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Whether the research contributes to the development of the research area and will lead to improvements in the health and welfare of humankind

## 3) Research Methods/Ethics

Whether the research plan and research methods have been formulated with a broad perspective and possess a high degree of demonstrability; whether research and experiments have been performed in a highly ethical manner

## 4) Discussion and Potential for Future Development

Whether the research data and results obtained have been correctly evaluated, appropriately considered, and reported in a logically consistent manner; whether there is potential for future academic development

## Supplementary Rule

These rules will take effect on February 17, 2015.

## Supplementary Rule (enacted on March 31, 2020)

1. These rules will take effect on April 1, 2020.
2. Notwithstanding the amendment, persons who were already enrolled in the TMDU graduate school on March 31, 2020 shall continue to be governed by the previous rules.