



Odessa National Medical University

Odesa, Ukraine • Established 1900 • Government

NMC-Approved

WHO Listed

FAIMER

ECFMG-eligible

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

Historical Foundation and Evolution Odessa National Medical University traces its origins to September 1900, when it began as the medical faculty of Novorossiysk University in Odessa. During its early years, this institution gained recognition as one of the most established and well-equipped medical schools in Russia. Following disruptions during wartime, the institution regained its footing and evolved into an independent medical institution around 1922, eventually becoming the prominent Odessa National Medical University. In 1977, the university acquired National accreditation status, and in 1996, it became the first university in Ukraine to introduce medical education in English—a significant milestone that opened doors for international...

KEY FACTS

ESTABLISHED

1900

TYPE

Government

DURATION

6 years

MEDIUM

English

INTAKE

September

MBBS SEATS

120

INDIAN STUDENTS

1,000

TEACHING HOSPITAL

9,500 beds

20%

FMGE PASS RATE

(2023)

165 of 812 candidates cleared FMGE in 2023. FMGE/Next is required to practise in India.

FEES

Item	Amount
Tuition (per year)	\$5,000 (~Rs 4.3 L)
Hostel (per year)	\$1,000 (~Rs 0.8 L)
Total programme cost	\$30,000 (~Rs 25.5 L)

Estimated all-in budget · 6 yrs

tuition + hostel + living/food + visa & travel

~Rs 44.6 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 ODESSA NATIONAL MEDICAL UNIVERSITY

- Established in 1900: Odessa National Medical University boasts a rich history spanning over a century, providing a strong foundation for medical education.
- NMC and WHO Recognition: An MBBS degree from ONMU is recognized by the National Medical Commission (NMC) and the World Health Organization (WHO), ensuring global...
- English Medium: ONMU pioneered English-medium medical education in Ukraine in 1996, eliminating language barriers for Indian students.
- Affordable Fees: The annual tuition fee for the MBBS program ranges from \$5000 to \$6000 (approximately INR 4,15,000 to INR 4,98,000), making it a cost-effective option.
- Low Hostel Fees: Annual hostel fees are approximately \$1000 (approximately INR 83,000), contributing to lower overall expenses.
- Practical Training: The university has clinical centers with around 9500 beds, offering extensive practical training opportunities.
- Large Infrastructure: ONMU features a large infrastructure spanning 20,000 sq.m., providing a conducive learning environment.

CAMPUS & FACILITIES

- Clinical centers with approximately 9500 beds for practical training.
- Library with extensive medical-scientific periodical editions.
- Each department has its own website with methodological materials in multiple languages.
- Sports and health complex on the Black Sea shore for student recreation.
- Indian mess providing affordable Indian food prepared by Indian cooks.
- Hostel facilities available for international students.
- Classrooms equipped for practical training.

ELIGIBILITY

- NEET score: Must qualify NEET with a valid score as per NMC guidelines.
- Age: Must be 17 years or older by December 31, 2026.
- Academics: Completed 12th standard with 50% marks in PCB (Physics, Chemistry, Biology).
- Subjects: Must have studied Physics, Chemistry, and Biology as core subjects in 12th standard.
- Qualifying Exam: Successful completion of 12th standard from a recognized board.
- Nationality: Must be an Indian national or meet the university's international student criteria.

HOW TO APPLY

Intake: September.

1. Step 1: Ensure you meet the eligibility criteria, including NEET qualification as required by the National Medical Commission (NMC).
2. Step 2: Complete your 12th standard with a minimum of 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry, and Biology from a recognized board.
3. Step 3: Fill out the online application form available on the Odessa National Medical University (ONMU) website.
4. Step 4: Submit all required documents, which may include your 10th and 12th mark sheets, NEET scorecard, passport copy, and other relevant...
5. Step 5: Await the invitation letter from the university after your application is reviewed and accepted.
6. Step 6: Once you receive the invitation letter, proceed with the visa application process at the Ukrainian embassy or consulate in India.

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

National Medical Commission (NMC) Recognition Odessa National Medical University holds active approval from the National Medical Commission (NMC), formerly known as the Medical Council of India (MCI). This accreditation is fundamental for Indian medical aspirants: it validates the six-year MBBS program (72 months duration) for the Foreign Medical Graduate Examination (FMGE) or the National Exit Test (NEXT) 2026....

Graduating from Odessa National Medical University (ONMU) provides Indian medical students with diverse career opportunities across India and international markets. Established in 1900, this government institution has built a reputation for producing medical professionals who secure positions in healthcare systems worldwide, including Europe and North...

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