

GUIDE FOR CANDIDATES

# Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University



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## Dear Friends!

*As the acting rector of the Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University, I would like to welcome you to study at our public institution of higher education. Maintaining an academic tradition of more than 60 years, the University aims to provide students with high-quality learning and research. These high standards also extend to its different services as well as to its social and environmental needs. From Ukraine, our university is projected to the European medical and scientific development. Thus, its main aim is to play a relevant role in the framework of European Higher Learning Space, which is made in agreement with the Bologna Declaration. The IFNMU is directly committed to the quality of learning, research and services, as stated in its Strategic Plan, by means of which it aims to project itself to the future in order to transform its present and to solve the different demands of medicine.*

*In essence, our University puts its knowledge and leadership in the service of the demands of our society.*

*Professor Lyubomyr V. Glushko*

*MD, PhD, DSci,*

*Acting Rector of the Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University*

## General Information

The Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University, founded in 1945, is one of the oldest and leading Medical University in Ukraine and in the former USSR. It is one of the few Medical Universities to be granted the prestigious status of "National Medical University" in Ukraine. This makes it equivalent to the status of the "All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi" in India. The University has become the major hub of training medical specialists for Ukraine and foreign countries. Over 20,000 medical doctors have been trained in the University in the last 66 years. Many of these have been international students from countries based in Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America. Training of students and interns is carried out in compliance with recent achievements in the world of medical science and technology.

The University is situated in the city of Ivano-Frankivsk the administrative center of Precarpathia (West Ukraine). Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University is a National level Institution holding the IVth level (the top most level) of Accreditation, conferred by the State Accreditation Committee of Ukraine. It is owned by the Government of Ukraine. The University trains specialist along the following education qualification levels: Junior specialist, Specialists and Master for the following majors:

The Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University comprises 5 basic Departments – General Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Pharmacy and Post Graduate. There are 57 chairs, a medical school, research/science divisions and a preparatory Department for Foreign Citizens. At the Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University the strength of teaching staff is 443. Of which 77 are Doctors of Science (D.Sc), 264 are PhD's and 19 are Academicians.

The education system is as follows: Classes take place in one shift beginning at 8.00 am. Initially the students are taught at the theoretical chairs in the buildings situated in the center of the city. Subsequently the students are taught in various hospitals and clinics situated in various parts of the city. There are daily class tests and students are expected to maintain an attendance level of 100%. The University maintains a Faculty to student ratio of 1:9 which results in personal attention to students.

The University has student hostels with accommodation for local and international students. These have dining rooms and coffee houses. Students have at their disposal good facilities for sports. The University has a unique Sports complex which consists of stadium, three sports halls, a swimming pool, track and field, athletics hall, tennis courts, table tennis, basketball courts etc. The University has a house of culture and a ceremonies hall. In addition the University has its own rest camps in the Carpathian Mountains and on the banks of the Black Sea.





## Ivano- Frankivsk The Center of Precarpathian

Ukraine is located in Eastern Europe. It neighbors are Poland, Russia, Belarus, Slovakia, Hungary, Moldavia and Romania. The south of Ukraine is washed by the Sea of Azov and the Black Sea. Ukraine is one of the largest countries in Europe. The climate is moderate continental. Majority of the population is Christian. Ukraine is an Industrial and agricultural country, holding 30% of the worlds black soil resources.

Higher education in Ukraine is defined by high quality. It has nearly 1000 higher educational institutions. Degrees and diplomas from Ukraine enjoy global recognition and prestige. Students graduating from our Universities have become Presidents, head of Parliaments, great doctors and engineers in the country of their origin. Today Ukraine is where one can study, work and see thousand year old monuments. The Ukrainian cuisine is one of the best in Europe. Today 40,000 foreign students from 131 countries study in Ukraine. More than 3,000 Indians are currently studying medicine in Ukraine.

Welcome to Ukraine!!

## Foreign Students Department

The International activity of the University is directed to integrate into European and world medical structures. It is intended to apply the leading experience in the field of higher medical education, to develop research and to promote University achievement in the World.

Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University has been training foreign medical students from 1992. In 2008-9 academic year 796 students from 24 countries of the world were studying at the General Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmacy, Preparatory, Post Graduate and Nursing Departments.

Admission to the Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University is in accordance with the existing Ukrainian legislation. Foreign students are admitted to the English language course in the available fields of General Medicine and Post Graduate Courses.

Those international students who are wishing to enroll in the Ukrainian or Russian medium courses are first admitted to the Preparatory Department. After graduation from the Preparatory Department, students can enroll in this or any other University in Ukraine.

## Deans Office Staff

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**Subordination:** Ministry of Public Health of Ukraine  
**Accreditation level:** IVth level. Highest in Ukraine.

## Salient Features of IFNMU Ukraine, Europe

1. Premier Government University, ranked Top 3 in Ukraine.
2. International Degree: Recognized by WHO, Medical Council of India, FAIMER, International Association of Universities, European University Association & Medical Council of over 180 countries.
3. Follows European Credit Transfer Scheme (ECTS) & Bologna process. Degree equivalent throughout Europe. Entire education in English Medium.
4. Laparoscopy, Heart & other complex surgeries performed since 1990.
5. 12 affiliated hospitals, 2500+ patient beds.
6. High Quality Education. Class size of 8-10 students. Individual attention. Daily Class Test. 100% Attendance needed.
7. Over 3000 Indian students studying in Ukraine.
8. MCI Recognised: Students get 'MCI Eligibility certificate' for MBBS in IFNMU. Eligible for Govt. Jobs and PG Courses in India
9. Ukraine is the 2nd largest country in Europe.
10. Washing Machine & Very High Speed internet in Hostel (10 Mbps).
11. LOW FEES
12. NO DONATION



## Admissions

Admissions are on first come first serve basis. Seats are limited and students are advised to apply early in order to avoid disappointment. Rolling admission is followed. IFNMU is a Govt. University. Fees are Reasonable. There are NO DONATIONS. Students passed / appearing in class 12 board examinations are eligible to apply. Candidates from India should pass in each subject of PCB examination with minimum 50% average in PCB. (40% for SC/ST/OBC) in class 12th Board Examination. There is additional cost for Visa, Medical Test, Legalization, Translation, Documentation, Processing etc

Contact our representative in India for advise on admission and visa processing, or visit our website [www.ifnmu.com](http://www.ifnmu.com)

## Useful Information

### Visa Arrangement

To enter Ukraine for Higher Education, students have to submit complete documents to the Embassy of Ukraine in their country for issue of a visa. The University will issue a "Letter of Invitation" registered with the Ministry of Education, Ukraine. The "Letter of Invitation" includes the full name of the student, his/her date of birth and passport number. The Embassy of Ukraine will issue a visa in the home country between 15th of August to the 15th of October. The student has to enter Ukraine before the 15th of October. Complete documents have to be carried to Ukraine and have to be presented once again at the passport control office in the port of Entry.

### How to get to Ivano-Frankivsk

By Plane - Ivano-Frankivsk has a domestic and international airport which is served by flight from Moscow (Russia), Warsaw (Poland), Istanbul (Turkey) and several airports in Ukraine.

By Train & Bus - Ivano-Frankivsk is well connected by train and bus by most major cities in Ukraine and Poland, Bulgaria, Romania and Slovakia.

### Climate

Moderate Continental.

### Time Difference

Ukraine is in one time zone, which is 2 hours ahead of GMT and 3½ hours after India.

### Currency

The Ukrainian National Currency is Hryvnia (UAH). Foreign currency can be exchanged at many points in Ukraine in Banks and local currency dealers. Approx 1 UAH = 6 Indian Rupees.



## Documents that the Applicants have to submit to the University:

- » Application in the name of the Rector
- » Certificate of school graduation with names of subjects and marks, translated into Ukrainian and attested by the Embassy of Ukraine.
- » Birth Certificate translated into Ukrainian and attested by Embassy of Ukraine.
- » Certificate of Absence of HIV infection
- » Medical Certificate on the Health Status of the student and issued within 2 months from the date of entering Ukraine for education.
- » 30 passport photos of 6x4 cms
- » Valid Passport
- » Valid Policy of Medical Insurance for the foreign citizen

Hostel Room



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