SLOVAK MEDICAL UNIVERSITY IN BRATISLAVA
Faculty of Medicine
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INFORMATION ON ADMISSION PROCEDURES
for the academic year 2026/2027 – English Programme

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ACCREDITED DOCTORAL STUDY PROGRAMME (education in the English language) for which the Faculty of Medicine of the Slovak Medical University in Bratislava will admit students for the academic year 2026/2027:

Study programme (joined 1st and 2nd level)	**Form of study**	**Academic degree acquired**	**Duration of study**	**Planned number of admitted applicants**
General Medicine	full-time	„MUDr.“ doctor of general medicine	6 years	15

Date of the entrance examination	**Place of the entrance examination**	**Deadline to submit the applications**
1st July 2026	Bratislava	**31st May 2026**

ADMINISTRATIVE FEE for the admission procedures: **70 €**

TUITION FEE for one academic year (education in the English language): 10.000,- €

SUBJECTS OF ENTRANCE EXAMINATION:
BIOLOGY (80 questions), CHEMISTRY (80 questions) – within secondary grammar school curriculum scope.
The entrance examination is written in the form of a test in English, with the total of 160 questions. The time provided for elaboration is 150 minutes. The maximum score is 640 points.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR FULL TIME STUDY
(education in the English language):
- successful completion of entire secondary education or entire secondary vocational education,
- meeting the prescribed health criteria related to practice the medical profession as a doctor by submitting a certificate from a general practitioner,
- successful completion of the entrance examination.

Only applicant who has registered online (e-application), submitted a properly filled and signed application form together with the required documents and paid the fee for the admission procedures by the set deadline is invited to the entrance examination.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION RESULTS EVALUATION:
Each applicant draws his/her own code under which the tests are evaluated. The computer allocates numbers of points and ranking of applicants. The results are published on the university and faculty website. The criterion for admission is the number of points obtained in the written test.

GENERAL INFORMATION ON ADMISSION PROCEDURES:
The application must be registered online (e-application) via the MAIS system (academic information system) at: https://szumais.sk/eprihlaska- "EN" version (please, use the Mozilla Firefox web browser) and then the signed and printed application must be sent to the address:

PEDAGOGICKÝ ODBOR
SLOVENSKÁ ZDRAVOTNÍCKA UNIVERZITA
Limbová 12
833 03 Bratislava
SLOVAKIA

The fee of 70 € for the admission procedures must be paid **exclusively by bank transfer** to the SMU account in Bratislava:

Name of the account – beneficiary:	Slovenská zdravotnícka univerzita v Bratislave
Name of the bank:	ŠTÁTNA POKLADNICA
Account number in the format IBAN:	SK87 8180 0000 0070 0020 0522
SWIFT/BIC:	SPSRSKBA
Variable symbol:	1001008411
Information for the recipient:	GM application fee 2026/2027 – name and SURNAME of the applicant

The admission fee can only be refunded if the Faculty does not open the programme due to a low number of applicants.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS - each applicant must attach the following materials and documents **to their printed and signed application**:

- verified secondary school leaving certificate with Apostille (official certificate on a successful completion of entire secondary education accompanied with an authorized translation into the Slovak language),
- applicants who complete their secondary school in the current academic year must submit the verified secondary school leaving certificate on the day of entrance examination at the latest (together with the authorized translation into the Slovak language),

Applicants who have completed their secondary education abroad

- applicants who have completed their secondary education abroad (in EU member states or in Norway, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Ukraine, Russia, China or in Iceland) must also submit a **recognition statement** on the recognition of a foreign secondary education qualification for the purpose of continuing studies at a higher education institution in Slovakia.
  The recognition statement can be downloaded at: https://uznavanie.minedu.sk/en/navigator/2
- applicants who have completed secondary education in a country that does not have a recognition statement (countries that are not listed above)are required to submit together with the verified secondary school leaving certificate a verified copy of the **Decision on the recognition of their educational document** obtained outside the territory of the Slovak Republic The decision on the recognition of a foreign secondary education document is issued by the regional school administration office in the seat of the region where the applicant has permanent residence, or by the Regional School Administration Office in Bratislava:
  https://uznavanie.minedu.sk/en/category/recognition-of-secondary-education
  Address of the Regional School Administration Office in Bratislava:
  Regionálny úrad školskej správy v Bratislave, **Tomášikova street 46, 832 05 Bratislava**
  Contact: alla.kovacova@russ-ba.sk + 421 2 322 26 210

- copy of payment made for the admission procedures - 70 €,
- a doctor´s certificate of medical fitness for university studies in the study programme General Medicine and the exercise of the medical profession as a doctor including the certificate of vaccination against Hepatitis B,
- Curriculum vitae (in English),
- birth certificate (together with the authorized translation into the Slovak language),
- copy of passport / ID card,
- one passport-sized photo (3.5 x 4.5 cm).

Only applicants who submit a completed and signed application form by the set deadline, attach all required documents, and pay the fee for the admission procedure will be invited to the entrance examination.

If the documents are not submitted by the set deadline, the applicant will be considered as not having met the conditions for admission to the study program. Diplomas, certificates shall not be sent with the application form, as they will not be taken into account in the admission procedure.

ORGANIZATION OF STUDIES

The organization of studies is based on a credit system. Students must earn 360 ECTS credits to successfully complete their studies.

ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS

Accommodation: The Slovak Medical University in Bratislava does not provide accommodation for students in the English-language General Medicine study program.
Meals: SMU cafeteria.

Conditions for admission to the doctoral study program : General Medicine (in English language)
for the 2026/2027 academic year were approved by:
- The Program Council for the General Medicine study program on November 6, 2025
- The collective body of the SMU Faculty of Medicine: The SMU Faculty of Medicine Quality Council on November 13, 2025