



Undergraduate Program of Acupuncture and Tuina (5 Years)

1. Orientation

This program will enable students to understand the essential theory of Chinese medicine, grasp the knowledge and techniques of acupuncture and tuina and improve their self-learning ability.

2. Main Courses

- Essential theory of Chinese medicine
- Diagnosis in Chinese medicine
- Chinese materia medica
- Chinese herbal formulae
- Normal human anatomy
- Physiology
- Pathology
- Biochemistry
- Meridians and points
- Needling and moxibustion technique
- Tuina manipulation
- Experimental acupuncture & tuina
- Acupuncture therapeutics
- Tuina treatment
- Guided reading of Chinese medical classics

3. Teaching Methods

These include classroom lectures, group discussions, bedside teaching, simulated demonstration, practical training, social practice and problem-based learning (PBL). The teaching will highlight the training on skills of needling, moxibustion and tuina. Most lectures will take place in the Zhangjiang Campus, most clinical internship and probation will take place in the affiliated hospitals.

4. Graduation and Academic Degree

A Bachelor of Medical Science will be awarded upon completion of

- Required credits of all courses in the teaching scheme
- General points average (GPA)
- Pass of all examinations
- New HSK-5 \geq 180 (excluding those of Chinese origin)

5. Future Career Development

After graduation, students may conduct medical practice, teaching and research in departments of acupuncture, tuina and Chinese medicine in medical institutions. Alternatively, they may conduct education, research, international exchange and management of Chinese medicine.

6. Eligibilities

- High school diploma, General Certificate of Education Advanced Level
- New HSK4 \geq 180
- Applicants emigrating from mainland China, Hong Kong, Macao or Taiwan



must hold a valid foreign citizenship for no less than 4 years and a record of residency in the country for no less than 2 years in the most recent 4 years.

7. Fee

- Application fee: 450 RMB
- Tuition fee: 28000RMB per year
- Purchase fee for textbooks
(Students can purchase textbooks according to their needs)

8. Application Documents

- High school diploma, A-Level transcripts
- HSK certificate
- Copy of the passport
- Invoice of the application fee
- Certificate of Non-Criminal Record
- Statement of Financial Support
- ID Photo:
Rename: Passport Name (English)
Background Color: Blue or White
Pixel: ≥ 300 pixels/inch
Other Requirement: Bareheaded

9. Scholarships

- Chinese Government Scholarship
- Shanghai Municipal Government Scholarship
- University Scholarships