The University of Tokyo Rules for
the Research Students of the Institute of Medical Science

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Article 1 Purpose
The purpose of these Rules is to stipulate necessary matters regarding the treatment of research students at the Institute of Medical Science of the University of Tokyo (hereinafter referred to as the “Institute”).

Article 2 Admission of Research Students
Any persons who intend to conduct research into theories behind infectious diseases, cancer and other specified diseases and the application thereof at the Institute, may be permitted to be admitted as a research student upon screening only if the Institute acknowledges that he/she would not hinder research or education at the Institute.

Article 3 Qualification for Admission
Any persons who fall under any of the following items may be admitted to the Institute as a research student:

(1) Persons who have graduated from an undergraduate program of a university; or
(2) Persons whose academic abilities are recognized by the Institute as at least equal to persons described in the preceding item.

Article 4 Method of Application
Any persons who wish to be admitted to the Institute as a research student shall submit the designated application form together with his or her resume and the examination fee to the director of the Institute of Medical Science of the University of Tokyo (hereinafter referred to as the “director of the Institute”).

Article 5 Screening
Any person who applies for admission under the preceding Article shall be screened by the director of the Institute upon discussion with academic staff of the research field in which the person intends to conduct research.

Article 6 Approval for Admission
The director of the Institute shall approve admission of any persons who have passed the screening in the preceding Article and paid the admission fee by the designated date.

Article 7 Period of Research
The period of research for the research students is one year. However, if a research student applies for an extension to the period of research in order to continue the research, the
Institute may permit such extension by one year.

**Article 8  Method of Research**  
Research students shall conduct research under the guidance of the academic staff designated by the director of the Institute.

**Article 9  Payment of Research Fees**  
1. Research students shall pay three months’ research fees (in each quarter semester) or six months’ research fees (in each half semester) in advance according to their period of research.  
2. Research fees are non-refundable.

**Article 10  Amount of Examination, Admission and Research Fees**  
The examination fees in Article 4, admission fees in Article 6 and research fees in the preceding Article shall be prescribed separately.

**Article 11  Submission of Report**  
Research students shall compile a report on their research and the results, and submit it to the director of the Institute through an academic adviser immediately after the expiration of their period of research ends.

**Article 12  Voluntary Withdrawal**  
Any research students who intend to withdraw from the Institute during the period of research shall apply to the director of the Institute with the reason therefor and obtain the director of the Institute’s permission.

**Article 13  Expulsion**  
If the director of the Institute deems it inappropriate for any research students to continue his/her research due to sickness or any other reason, the director may expel the research student.

**Article 14  Compliance with University Rules**  
Research students shall comply with the various rules established by the University of Tokyo or the Institute.

**Article 15  Supplementary Rules**  
In addition to the provisions of these Rules, any necessary matters regarding the treatment of research students shall be determined by the director of the Institute upon discussion by the general faculty council (which refers to the council that consists of professors and associate professors).

**Supplementary Provisions**  
1. These Rules shall come into force on April 1, 2004.  
2. The University of Tokyo Rules for the Research Students of Institute of Medical Science established on September 20, 1966 shall be abolished.

**Supplementary Provisions**  
These Rules shall come into force on September 20, 2007 and shall be applicable from April 1, 2007.