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## Admission Procedure for Ph.D. Program

1. Please send your credential documents for pre-screening purpose of your eligibility to the e-mail at [igaku-kyoumu@kurume-u.ac.jp](mailto:igaku-kyoumu@kurume-u.ac.jp) (see section 3. Prescreening Process regarding the required documents)
2. A result of your eligibility will be noticed via e-mail as soon as we have it.
3. Please submit formal application documents (see the section 4 Formal Application Procedure for the required documents) via postal mail or courier service to the address below:  
Graduate School of Medicine, Kurume University, Admission Office, Academic Affairs Section, 67  
Asahi-machi, Kurume, Fukuoka, 830-0011, Japan
4. Application fee (¥30,000yen) should be paid when the administration fee is paid (see the section 8 Enrollment Procedure for the detail).
5. Our administration officer will contact you to ask the name of your desired supervisor (see p14-25 to select your supervisor).
6. Our administration officer will then e-mail you the contact information of potential supervisor you have selected.
7. Please contact the potential supervisor through e-mail to indicate the reason why you selected the supervisor and your major goal during Ph.D. course as well as your career plan.
8. The potential supervisor will then contact you to arrange an interview.  
For applicants outside Japan, an interview via internet such as SKYPE will be arranged.
9. English examination will be held at the campus of Kurume University School of Medicine. However, the following applicants will be exempted from the English examination.  
(Exemption of English examination): Native English speaker, Applicants whose language at university or graduate school was English, TOEFL score is more than PBT 580 / iBT 85.
10. For the successful applicant, final decision with the instruction for enrollment procedure will be sent by a postal mail (see the section 8 Enrollment Procedure for the detail).