

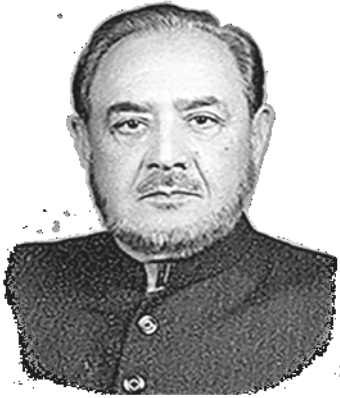


## Islamic International Medical & Dental College



# International Students Guide

Study Medicine & Dentistry  
in Pakistan



## THE FOUNDER

Late Maj. Gen. Muhammad Zulfiqar Ali Khan TI (M), TBt (R)

An internationally renowned Cardiologist and a medical personality of unquestionable integrity with exceptional caliber. He was founding Chairman of the Islamic International Medical College Trust, a not for Profit educational trust established in 1995. He has to his credit the establishment and smooth running of Armed Forces Institute of Cardiology (AFIC) / National Institute of Heart Diseases (NIHD), Islamic International Medical College Trust, Hearts International Hospital and Pakistan National Heart Association (PANAHA).

These Institutions are living tribute to his professional capabilities and administrative skills. His invaluable services for the people of Pakistan, for Armed Forces of Pakistan and for mankind as a whole, particularly in health and education sector, will serve as Beacon of Light for the coming generation.

## VISION

To be a premier institute in training & grooming doctors of impeccable professional ability with exacting standards of moral & ethical values, who exercise excellence in providing healthcare & practicing medical sciences and are acclaimed nationally as well as internationally.



Provided healthcare subsidy for 2022-23

**PKR 462 MILLION**



**910+**

Students are Enrolled in IIMC & IIDC



**27,000+**  
Students Enrolled



Students Graduated

**20,000+**



**MBBS 28**  
**BDS 24**



Batches Graduated



Organized  
**7** International  
Conferences  
**Medical Education**



**1,050+**

Full Time Faculty Members

# LIFE IN PAKISTAN

## THE COUNTRY

When you view Pakistan on the map, you'll see China to the northeast, old Russia to the north, Afghanistan and Iran to the west and India to the southeast. Imagine high mountain passes and the history of caravans moving back and forth between ancient cultures and the sights and smells of market trading. Pakistan is a land of contrasts with the old and the modern side by side. Pakistan is also a country of spectacular beauty, culture, and diversity.

## ISLAMABAD

It is a modern and carefully planned city with wide tree lined streets, large houses, prominent public buildings and well-organized bazaars. The walk ways are shaded, safe, and separated from the traffic by rows of flame trees, jacaranda and hibiscus. Roses, jasmine and bougainvillea fill the parks, and scenic viewpoints show the city to its advantage." In other words, we think you will thoroughly enjoy living in Islamabad.

## ENTERTAINMENT & LEISURE

Islamabad residents enjoy a comfortable and active lifestyle which can include dining out, entertainment, diplomatic functions, tennis, golf, horseback riding, cooking and photography classes, visiting museums and art galleries, participating in charitable organizations and a host of additional opportunities.

## CLIMATE

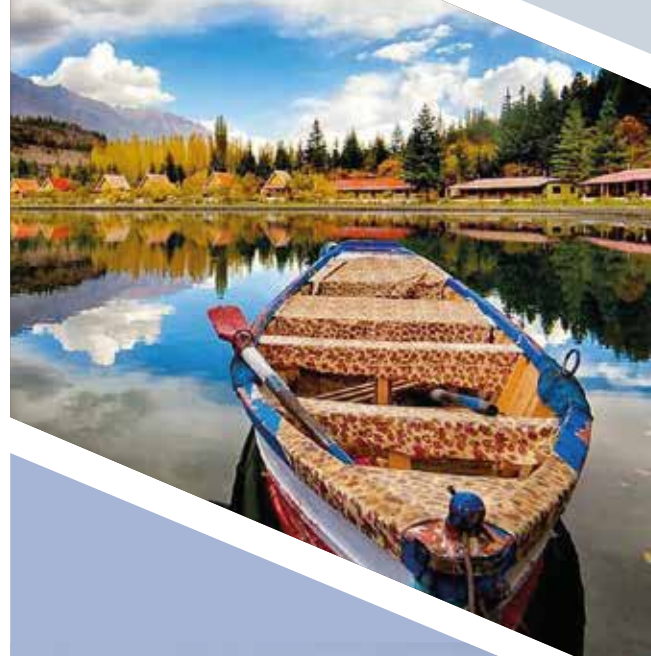
From mid-September to mid-May, the weather in Islamabad is absolutely perfect. December and January are even a little chilly, and there are even mornings white with a hard frost. The monsoon season starts in June. Rains are heavy and the air becomes very hot and humid.

## SAFETY

The local military and police have worked diligently to increase security in the city. Movement into and within the city has come under greater scrutiny. The school with the guidance of the Regional Security officers of army and police has detailed security plans to ensure safety.

## SHOPPING

Shopping is an eclectic mix of North American, European and Asian goods. Residents are able to find most of their favorite brands or acceptable substitutes in the area. The adventurous may explore a treasure trove of exotic foods, spices and local products. Pakistan is home to artisans who can produce a wide variety of tailored clothing or world class furniture from a photograph. The city has a rich culture, which is reflected in the markets, events, art galleries and museums.





## FAMILY VISITS

Tourist visas can be obtained and students are encouraged to invite parents, family members and friends to visit Pakistan. Many people have guests during the winter and spring holidays when the weather is ideal. It is always wise to check the visa restrictions when travelling to Pakistan.

## PLACES TO VISIT

There are many famous places to visit in Islamabad. It is the first planned city of Pakistan. Islamabad has also been a centre of tourism for years. Islamabad offers the tourist quality rental services, Hotels Facilities, beautiful gardens, elegant handicrafts, colorful shopping malls and most important of all is the Peaceful atmosphere and culture of the people living in Islamabad.

Below is the list of famous places in Islamabad:

- National Art Gallery
- National Monument
- Murree Hills
- ShakarParian
- Islamabad Zoo
- Simli Dam Lake
- National Herbarium
- Peer Sohawa
- Margalla Hills
- Daman-e-Koh
- Rawal Lake
- Khanpur Dam Lake

## Museums

- Pakistan Museum of Natural History
- Pakistan Army Museum (Rawalpindi)
- Islamabad Museum
- Museum of Pakistan
- Lok Virsa Museum
- Taxila Museum

## Mosques and Shrines

- Shah Faisal Mosque
- Bari Imaam
- Golra Sharif

## Parks

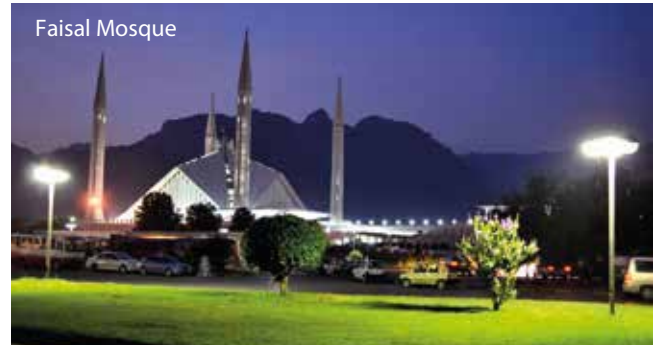
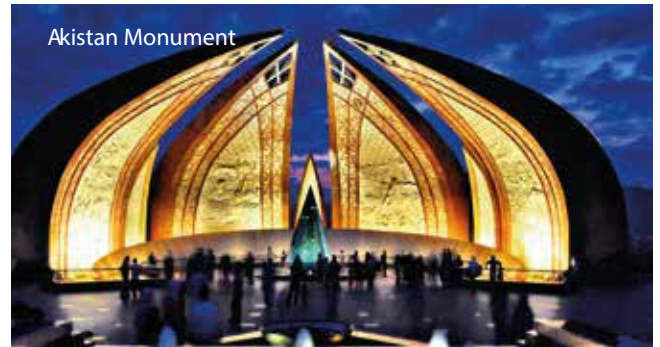
- Ayub National Park
- Rose and Jasmine Garden
- Chattar Park
- Fatima Jinnah Park
- Japanese Park
- Riphah Knowledge Park

## Main Markets

- The Centaurus Mall
- Sitara Market (G-7 Markaz)
- Aabpara
- Ayyub Market
- Safa Gold Mall
- Jinnah Super Market
- Blue Area
- Super Market
- Karachi Company

## Sporting Facilities

- Jinnah Sports Stadium
- Paragliding at Margalla hills
- Margalla Cricket Ground
- Liaquat Gymnasium



- Rawalpindi Cricket Stadium
- Islamabad Golf Club
- Yachting Facility at Rawal Lake
- Mushaf Squash Complex

## RECREATION

If you like to bicycle and hike, Islamabad will probably meet your recreational needs, but there is much more. Both Islamabad and Rawalpindi have better-than average golf courses. There is tennis at the American Club, Canadian Club, British Club, French Club. Expatriates may join the Canadian Club, British Club, French Club and the American Club. Slow pitch softball, horseback riding, and yoga are popular weekend activities.

## ABOUT RIPHAH INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Riphah International University, chartered in 2002 by the Federal Government, stands as one of the finest private universities in Pakistan. Renowned globally, it ranks among the nation's top 4 universities per Times Higher Education and holds top 200 positions in Asia and top 200-250 spots among young global universities. Notably, it is Pakistan's first ISO 9001:2015 certified educational institution. One of the remarkable components that further enhance Riphah's diverse academic offerings is under the Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences including IIMC and IIDC. Islamic International Medical College (IIMC), established in 1996, is a respected private medical institute in Pakistan offering a comprehensive five-year MBBS program.

## MEDICAL COLLEGE

Islamic International Medical College (IIMC) is a private sector Medical institute in Pakistan established in 1996. It offers five years basic and clinical training leading to the degree of MBBS (Bachelor of Medicine & Bachelor of Surgery). The college is affiliated with Riphah International University, Islamabad and is recognized by the Pakistan Medical & Dental Council (PM&DC) Islamabad. The college imparts quality education and necessary skills with integration of Islamic values and norms. It makes effort to provide a conducive atmosphere needed for an ethical career and profession.

## DENTAL COLLEGE

Islamic International Dental College (IIDC) was established in 2001, it offers 4 years BDS (Bachelors of Dental Surgeon). The college is affiliated from Riphah International University, Islamabad. The college is accredited and recognized by Pakistan Medical and Dental Council. IIDC has always placed strong emphasis on clinical and teaching excellence. It also stresses on the importance of basic and clinical research and offers opportunities and facilities for training in a variety of disciplines relevant to the biological, material, clinical and epidemiological sciences. In addition to the undergraduate courses, the Faculty offers postgraduate courses within the departments of Orthodontics and Operative dentistry. We have recently launched MDS program in Orthodontist, Oral & Maxillofacial surgery and M. Phil Dental material recognized by HEC and PM & DC.

## TEACHING HOSPITALS

IIMC provides its students with rich clinical teaching through its modern teaching hospitals in Rawalpindi and Islamabad.

420 beds IIMCT Pakistan Railways Hospital (in collaboration with Pakistan Railways) is being run by IIMCT since 1998.

These hospitals offer specialized services like Urology/Nephrology, Maxillofacial Surgery, Mother and Child, Neurology along with all general Surgical and Medical Services, implants and transplants.

In addition to Islamabad and Rawalpindi these hospitals are also serving a wide community extending to Abbottabad, Kashmir, Kundian, Jhelum and Peshawar. This rich patient base provides excellent teaching opportunities for our students.





## Bachelors of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)

**Duration:** 5 Years

### Campus Location:

Al-Mizan IIMCT Complex, Peshawar Road, Rawalpindi

## Bachelors of Dental Surgery (BDS)

**Duration :** 4 Years

### Campus Location:

IIDC, 7th Avenue, G-7/4, Islamabad



### Eligibility Criteria Previous Degree

- 60% marks in FSc Pre-medical / A-levels with Biology, Chemistry, and Physics / Mathematics.
- Foreign or overseas Pakistani students having completed last two years of schooling from abroad.
- A Levels candidate should have equivalency from IBCC.
- IBCC Equivalence is mandatory for admission to medical programs.
- Foreign Students can also apply on the basis of either MCAT, UCAT or SAT-II.

### Formula for Merit Creation

#### Defined Weightages:

MDCAT	50%
F.Sc pre Medical) / HSSC/ Euivalent	40%
SSC/Matriculation/Equivalent	10%

### Eligibility Criteria for Foreign/Overseas Students

- MDCAT shall not apply to students seeking admission on a special program seat predefined exclusively for foreign students and on the seats reserved for overseas Pakistanis. Such students shall qualify SAT-II with minimum score of 550 in each subject or a foreign MCAT examination or UCAT examination with 50% marks in the subjects as prescribed in PMDC Regulations.



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TEACHING HOSPITALS



**1050+**

FACULTY MEMBERS

## How to Apply

**01**

**Go to the Portal:** <https://www.riphah.edu.pk/admissions/>

**02**

Follow instruction select seat for which you want to apply

- Open Merit Seat
- Foreign Seat

**03**

Enter your personal information, academic qualification and test scores.

**04**

For **MBBS** Select "**Islamic International Medical College**" and for **BDS** Select "**Islamic International Dental College**" from the list of colleges in the form, Submit application form & download fee challan & deposit it in the relevant bank.

## IBCC Equivalence Criteria

Government of Pakistan through the Memorandum No. IBCC/2-1/2000 (16)/ 3300/6018 has set up an independent authority by the name of Inter Board Committee of Chairmen [IBCC] that establishes the equivalence of a certificate granted by an overseas institute. A university in Pakistan is supposed to base admission on this equivalent status.

IBCC evaluates a certificate on two counts; 1) subjects studied and 2) marks/grade scored at the examination.

For admission to medical program a candidate beside the other subjects, must have studied chemistry & biology to a level acceptable to IBCC and that the overall marks/grade after assessment of equivalence should be 60% or more. A university must receive this equivalence-verified certificate before it can process the application for admission. It is responsibility of a candidate to directly apply to IBCC.

You may go to link below to download application form for Equivalence of your qualifications. [www.ibcc.edu.pk/attestation.asp](http://www.ibcc.edu.pk/attestation.asp)

## IBCC Address

### Inter Board Committee of Chairman

Government of Pakistan,  
Ministry of Education # 342  
Street 97, G-9/4, Islamabad  
Fax: (92 51) 228 0665  
Ph: (92 51) 285 2041, Fax: (92 51) 228 0665

## Visas and Immigration

Foreign nationals will need a student visa to enter Pakistan for studies, once their admission is confirmed. An overseas applicant cannot seek admission in any educational institution in Pakistan with a Tourist or Visit Visa and is liable to be deported by the Government of Pakistan as per regulations, in which case College will not bear any responsibility.

## International Conferences on Medical Education

IIMC has organized five international conferences in the field of health and medical sciences at home and abroad to promote innovations in curriculum and development of new methodologies. They are also meant to modernize knowledge and publicize latest advances as discovered from subject experts and to help bridge the gap between the developed and the developing nations. These conferences bring together individuals and organizations / institutions involved in medical and health professions education to share experiences and challenges. Delegates from around 50 countries participated in these conferences.

IIMC organized its 5th International Conference on Medical Education in Abu Dhabi 10th - 14th March, 2018. The main focus of the conference was the Future challenges in Health Professions Education.

IIMC has organized its 6th International Conference on Medical Education in Islamabad, Pakistan from 19th - 22nd October, 2019. The main focus of the conference was on the Future challenges in Health Professions Education.



 **ICME**  
International Conference  
On Medical Education



**07-10**  
**October 2023**  
Fairmont Hotel  
Baku, Azerbaijan

## International Conference on Medical Education

Transforming Health Professions Education:  
Trends, Challenges & Solutions



**Baku**  
Azerbaijan

# WHY RIPHAH?



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