



LA CONSOLACION UNIVERSITY PHILIPPINES  
COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

Study **MBBS / MD**  
in the **PHILIPPINES**

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## LA CONSOLACION UNIVERSITY PHILIPPINES

### VISION

La Consolacion University Philippines (LCUP) envisions the College of Medicine to be a medical school that is known for the excellence of teaching, research and service. We will train our students to be competent, empathetic physicians or health professionals for the medically underserved communities and populations. In addition, the College of Medicine will be an exemplar in eliminating health disparities and in finding solutions through research and public health programs for medical problems found especially in marginalized communities of the indigenous people of Luzon.

### MISSION

The College of Medicine will provide students of high academic potential with a medical education of exceptional quality and will prepare physicians and other health care professionals to serve the underprivileged. Particular focus is on the education of disadvantaged students for careers in medicine. Special attention is directed to teaching and research activities that address tropical diseases in Asia.

The College also seeks to improve the health of Filipinos and the global community through public health training programs and initiatives. Our mission also includes the discovery of new knowledge through research. Furthermore, the College supports the education and training of postgraduate physicians, other health care providers, and graduate students in the biochemical sciences.





## BRIEF HISTORY

The La Consolacion University Philippines College of Medicine was established in June 2017 after granted a permit to operate by CHED. Headed by Dean Ma. Cristina E. Zulueta, faculty from different established medical schools from Manila taught the pioneer batch for academic year 2017-2018. Upon its establishment, facilities and laboratory equipment have been ensured to be at par with other established medical schools. It is also a member of the Association of Philippine Medical Colleges Foundation Incorporated. With a strong collaborative support from the local government, students have their clinical exposure at Bulacan Medical Center, a Department of Health Level III Accredited Hospital Facility. Consistent on its offering of quality medical education, the College is now on its fourth year with a stronger faculty roster who are highly qualified and known with their respective fields of specialties. The curriculum follows that of the Outcome Based Education Strategy as mandated by CHED. While ensuring clinical competence and unique to the curriculum of LCUP COM, the students are developed holistically to be "doctors with a heart" on a course called: Applied Augustinian Philosophy in the Practice of Medicine. An LCUP COM graduate is envisioned to be competent, empathetic, holistically trained to manage patients both in the community and hospital setting rendering humble and generous service.

## ABOUT THE PHILIPPINES

### ASIAN CULTURE AND LIFESTYLE:

The Philippines, is a sovereign island country in South East Asia situated in the Western Pacific Ocean. Philippine culture is a combination of Eastern and Western cultures. With a population of 100 million people, Philippines is the 7th most populated country in Asia and 12th most populated country in the world. Philippines has a literacy rate of 96%. Philippines is the biggest supplier of nurses to the world.

### DIALECT:

English & Filipino are the official languages of the country. English is used in Government, Education, Print, Broadcast Media & Business. Filipino, spoken mainly Manila & other urban in regions.

### CLIMATE:

The Philippines has a tropical maritime climate that is usually hot & humid. There are 3 seasons. Summer from March to May, Rainy season from June to November, the cool dry season from December to February. The average yearly temperature is around 27°C.

### TRANSPORTATION:

Malolos City & Manila are very accessible and several daily flights are available from different cities in India. Manila is the capital city of the Philippines. Malolos is the center for Education and Agriculture.



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**College of Medicine**





## UNIVERSITY

In January 8, 2011, by virtue of a congregational decision that school being run by the Augustinian Sisters of Our Lady of Consolacion would be under one name, "La Consolacion School/College/University", as the case maybe, management applied to the Securities and Exchange Commission for the change of name from URC to LCUP. On March 2, 2011, the commission approved amended articles of incorporation and by-laws of SEC-CR Reg. No. 7797 officially converting University of Regina Carmeli to La Consolacion University Philippines. With this new name, LCUP commits itself even more to be a provider of world class professionally competent human resource who can ensure the sustainability of a Christo-Centric Stewardship of his/her community.



- CHED Recognised Institution.
- To generate and diffuse knowledge in the broad range of disciplines relevant and receptive to the dynamically changing domestic and international environment.
- To broaden the access of deserving and qualified students to medical education opportunities.
- To optimize the social, institutional and individual returns and benefits derived from the utilization of medical education resources.
- To develop and maintain the integrity of the professions or disciplines that will provide steward doctors for the society.
- The College of Medicine (COM) is committed to provide world class medical.
- Practitioners and experts imbued with professional and human values. The School of Medicine flourishes as a formidable institution in the formation of Medical Doctors geared towards the provision and delivery of optimum and affordable health care.
- In the School of Medicine, knowledge and experience are perfectly.



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## CERTIFICATES & ACCREDITATION



CHED Recognised Institution



Certified by TUV



Accredited by the Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges and Universities (PAASCU)



Certified by PACUCOA



Technical Education and Skills Development Authority



CHED Recognised Institution



Listed University in WHO



Listed University in MCI  
(National Medical Commission)



Listed University in FAIMER

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## ABOUT COURSE & FACILITIES

### COURSE AND COURSE AIM:

- Bachelor of Science and Doctor of Medicine (BS and MD)
- To equipped the student with a sound knowledge and understanding of a broad range of topics in medicine, practical experience and the best clinical exposure
- To prepare students for graduate training leading to careers as practicing physicians

### MODE OF STUDY AND COURSE DURATION:

- This program starts in August/September and January/February every academic year and is five year and six months full time study.
- Outcome Based Education Strategy as mandated by CHED.

**DOCTOR AS GOD**

ONLY A DOCTOR CAN TEACH HOW TO LOVE LIFE

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

- Students should have SSC (10th standard) and 10+2 (Intermediate) in Sciences (BI-PC) with minimum percentage of 60 and you must also satisfy the University's rules, regulations and requirements.
- NEET Qualified Certificate
- Birth Certificate
- Valid Passport
- Police Clearance Certificate (PCC) from passport office.
- Good conduct certificate from last school/college attended
- Medical Examination including laboratory results: CBC, Urinalysis, Fecalalysis , Anti-HBs, HBsAG, Chest X-ray

### SUPPORT FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS:

- The University is committed to providing extensive support to international students to both before and during the program of study.
- Our international office and Foreign/students Office are there to provide help and support including advice and assistance with visas and accommodation.



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#### TEACHING FACULTY:

University has an excellent reputation for teaching and learning. The Faculty consistently ranks among the top performing medical schools in the country and has also produced a number of competent, compassionate and committed medical doctors in the Philippines and abroad.

#### LIBRARY SERVICES:

An excellent learning environment compliments the universities strong reputation for teaching and research. University provides high quality resources, facilities and support services to help you learn and study.

University library has high quality electronic and printed resources in all subjects' fields included in the University's research and teaching program.

In addition to more than 1 million printed volumes, students have network access to key electronic source of information in each subject. Our library team is committed to helping students find out more about our resources and use them effectively.

#### LABORATORIES:

University laboratories are furnished with up-to-date equipments.

Also available specialized equipments for safety, good working practice, presentation skills and research.

#### HOSPITALS AND CLINICAL EXPOSURE:

University has own teaching hospital and two (2) government hospitals for best clinical rotations and exposure.

The university ensures that there is a range of quality hospitals well maintained and equipped with all modern facilities available to you to best enhance and develop your clinical skills and knowledge.

Excellent hands on practice in final year of medical education.

#### HOSTEL FACILITY:

On Campus air conditioned accommodation and Indian Food available.

ABOUT COURSE  
& FACILITIES

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THE BEST DOCTOR GIVES THE  
LEAST MEDICINES



The good physician  
treats the disease;  
The great physician treats the  
patient who has the disease.





## WHY ONLY THE PHILIPPINES & LCUP

### English Speaking Country

According to Philippine Constitution, both Filipino and English are official languages; approximately 92.58% of the Philippine population speaks English which makes it third largest English speaking country.

India- 11.38% | U.S- 95.19% | U.K- 97.74% | China- 0.83% | Russia- 4.9%  
Kazakhstan- 15.4%

### Tropical Climatic Conditions and disease spectrum

The Philippines is a tropical country like India, so the disease spectrum matches with that of India. So the FMG's from Philippines do not have the drawback of not being exposed to cases related to tropical diseases when they practice in India.

### Asian Culture & Lifestyle

The Philippines, officially known as the Republic of the Philippines is a sovereign country in Southeast Asia in the western Pacific Ocean. Philippine culture is a combination of Eastern and Western cultures. The Philippines exhibits aspects found in other Asian countries with a Malay heritage, yet its culture also displays a significant amount of Spanish and American influences. Philippine cuisine have evolved over several centuries from its Malayo-Polynesian origins to become mixed cuisine with many Hispanic, Chinese, American and other Asian influences that have been

adopted to local ingredients and the Filipino palate to create distinctively Filipino dishes.

### Close proximity and easy accessibility

The Philippines is just around 6 to 8 hours flight from India. Philippines is well connected with countries like India, Singapore, Malaysia, United States, Australia through both air routes and sea routes. There are daily flights to Philippines from various cities of India like Hyderabad, Chennai, New Delhi, Mumbai and Kolkata.

### MCI listed University

The Medical graduation granted is recognized by the Medical Council of India. The name which is listed in Schedule -III (as per section 13) Part II of Indian Medical Council.

### Strictly allopathic form of medical teaching

Teaching approach is science-based modern medicine.

### Excellent clinical exposure and hands-on practice

The students of Philippine Universities have handful clinical exposure during their clerkship in 3800 bedded own hospitals for their clinical rotations in the third and fourth year of their studies.





#### Excellent Faculty and Facilities

The facilities provided by the College of Medicine are comparable to the best in the Philippines and even globally. Its information technology infrastructure and laboratory equipment prepare its students for global competitiveness. The university has 300 Faculty members drawn from a wide range of medical specialties and the total student population of all four years of students is usually around 800. So the student faculty ratio is low which is ideal for student's success. Its faculty and staff are dedicated and highly competent. The laboratories and library of the university are well equipped with ultra modern equipment and books respectively. The anatomy lab of the school has handful cadavers (dead bodies) and the student cadaver ratio is only around 1:10.

#### Worldwide Recognition

This institution and the medical qualification offered (M.D. - Doctor of Medicine) is recognized by WHO (World Health Organization), ECFMG (Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates), FAIMER (Foundation for Advancement of International Medical Education and Research) and National Medical Commission(NMC).

#### Proven track record of satisfied students in Philippines

Some of the students who have already graduated from Philippine Colleges and these doctors are well recognized by various hospitals and clinics all over India. These FMG's graduated from Philippines are more successfully working in corporate hospitals and private clinics all over India compared with those graduated from other nations like China, Russia.

#### High MCI pass percentage

The MCI pass percentage of FMG's from Philippines is usually 5-7 times higher than those from other nations. In the MCI screening test conducted in the recent years the passing percentage of FMG's from Philippine universities in the first attempt is 53% whereas national passing rate is only 9%.

#### Excellent Hostel Facilities

On campus accommodation is provided for both boys and girls.

#### Scientific and Intellectual Teaching method

The faculty inspires the students to think out of the box and form their own opinion about the world unlike purely examination based education in India. The teaching methods and group activities create interest to the students. The students are not graded just according to the marks they get in exams but they are graded according to the different criteria that include class standing, group activities, case studies. More emphasis is given on the understanding of the student rather than the knowledge of the student.

#### Research Oriented Teaching Methods

Unlike in India, the education over here gives emphasis on research. Research is mandatory. The student can choose the topic of his choice in the subject and do an extensive research in that topic. All the laboratories are equipped with ultra-modern equipment that the students can use during their researches. In this way the mind of the student broadens and is widely exposed.





## BENEFITS OF DOING MEDICAL EDUCATION IN THE PHILIPPINES

Why study MD (MBBS) in the Philippines.

### Medium for Learning English

- The world's third largest English-speaking country
- Highest English literacy rate in Asia
- Mode of instruction in all levels of education
- Widely used language for business, education, communication and trade

### Center for Higher Education

- US system of Education
- Quality medical education as recognized by World Health Organization (WHO), IMED of Education council for Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG-USA), Recognized by National Medical Commission (NMC) and similar bodies
- Top universities renowned worldwide
- Integrated problem-based learning approach
- Modern teaching methods with first rate facilities

### Affordability

- Affordable overseas degrees and tuition fees
- Economical accommodation and living expenses
- Excellent and comfortable boarding facilities
- Affordable medical and dental expenses
- Inexpensive travel cost
- Student assisted visa application
- Conducive and safe environment
- Warmth, graciousness and hospitality of the Filipinos
- Open and stimulating classroom environment
- Solidarity between students and professors
- Dedicated and friendly school staff and faculty members
- Cultural diversity in the society
- Close proximity to other Asian countries
- Improved shipping facilities and services
- Expanded business centers
- Advanced information technology



THE BEST DOCTOR IS  
THE ONE YOU RUN TO  
AND CAN'T FIND.

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## OPPORTUNITIES FOR GLOBAL GROWTH

- Better opportunities to secure employment and permanent residency in their developed countries.
- Good opportunity to travel around the world.
- Opportunities to make significant contributions to your society and to your country after graduation.
- Education gateway to other countries like the United States of America, the United Kingdom, Canada and many others.
- Other important factors.
- India and Philippines has same climate thus shares similar health conditions.
- Medical schools has its own hospitals for teaching and internship.
- Possibility of transfer to the last one clinical years in US.
- Philippines have a lot of competent doctors who were locally trained or trained in United States of first world countries. Medical schools have tougher Curriculum, hospitals in the US and European countries are visibly staffed by the Filipino nurses, and Filipinos had a competitive command of the English language.
- 1 out of 10 physicians practising in the USA are graduates of Philippines, second only to India.
- Considering India's questionable sanitary conditions, there is no comparison when it comes to Philippine clinic set up.
- No radical discrimination.
- Hundreds of Indians and International students are now studying in Universities in the Philippines.

MEDICAL

Health Care  
Doctor  
Hospital  
Pharmacist  
Nurse  
Dental  
First Aid  
Surgeon  
Emergency

IN UNIVERSE DOCTOR & GOD ARE  
BEST FRIENDS. ONE IS IN FRONT OF US,  
ANOTHER ONE BEHIND TO US.

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR  
GLOBAL GROWTH

## FAQ (FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS)

1. What are the advantages of studying medicine in Philippines?
  - English speaking country
  - English is medium of instruction
  - Asian country with close proximity to India
  - Easy accessibility with several daily flights
  - Tropical climate with disease pattern similar to India
  - Syllabus and curriculum same as in India
  - Affordable cost of education
  - Excellent hands on practice
  - Ideal student-patient ratio
2. What is the degree offered?
  - Doctor of Medicine (MD).
3. How is it different from MBBS?
  - MBBS and MD are both primary medical qualifications. The degrees are equal (ECFMG list of degrees recognized from different countries). MBBS is British system of Education where as MD is American system of Education.
4. What is the total duration of the course?
  - Approximately five years and six months
5. What is the eligibility for admission?
  - 12th Grade with minimum 60% in Physics, Chemistry and Biology subjects and pass in English.
  - NEET Qualified
6. Can I do my Internship in India?

Yes. After completion of screening test and procuring Provisional Registration of MCI.
7. Can I practice in India on my return?
  - Yes, after successful completion of Screening Test and Internship, the student is eligible to register with MCI (NMC) and State Medical Councils and can practice in India.
8. Are there any extra fees for the Screening Test?
  - The nominal exam fee is to be borne by the student.
9. What happens if the student fails to clear the Screening test?
  - A student can appear number of times for the Screening Test. However, generally students who pass the MD degree of an American System of Education is expected to clear this exam in the first attempt.
10. Can I get a job in Govt. hospitals or allied Medical institutions in India?
  - Yes, upon registration with MCI/State Councils, the student is eligible for any Government job
11. Can a student avail educational loan? If Yes, what are the Procedures?
  - Yes, education loans are available from all the nationalized and scheduled banks. The student has to apply directly to the bank at the place of permanent residence. SPUP offices will assist student in procuring the loan by providing all necessary documents required from the University.
12. Can a student take USMLE?
  - Yes. Graduates from all associates Universities are eligible for appearing in USMLE.
13. Are there hostel facilities available in these Universities?
  - Yes, hostel facilities are available for both boys and girls and Indian food.

# FAQS

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QUESTIONS

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## SYLLABUS (SUBJECT AREAS)

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY

#### MD - DOCTOR OF MEDICINE

##### MD-I

Human Physiology  
Human Anatomy  
Biochemistry  
Histology  
Preventive Medicine

##### MD-II

Pathology  
Pharmacology  
Microbiology  
Parasitology  
Pediatrics 1  
Psychiatry 1  
Physical  
Diagnosis 1  
Bio Ethics  
Principles of  
Surgery 1  
Neurology

##### MD-III

Medicine 2  
Pediatrics 2  
Neuroscience  
Surgery 2  
Psychiatry 2  
Obstetrics  
Gynaecology  
Clinical  
Pathology  
Ophthalmology  
Legal Medicine  
Community  
Medicine

#### MD-FINAL YEAR (CLINICAL ROTATIONS)

Surgery  
Medicine  
Pediatrics  
OB Gynaecology  
Community Medicine  
ENT  
Ophthalmology  
Neurology  
Psychiatry



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Hostel Building

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## STEP BY STEP ADMISSION PROCESS

### Step 1: Counselling & Assessment

Interested applicants will receive a counselling and assessment from our program consultants. This is for them to get an in-depth understanding of the program offered.

### Step 2: Registration

- Fill-up University Application Form
- Submission of photocopies of all required documents
- Payment of registration fee

### Step 3: Letter of Probationary Acceptance (LOPA)

Upon receipt of Letter of Probationary Acceptance (LOPA), payment of the tuition fee has to be wire transferred directly to the University Account.

### Step 4: Original Receipts & Official Letter of Acceptance (LOA)

Upon receipt of Original Receipts and Official Letter of Acceptance from the university, submit all ORIGINAL documents for Ministry of External Affairs Authentication.

### Step 5: Visa Processing

- Need personal appearance for Interviews
- Bring all Original Documents

### Step 6: Pre-Departure Induction

Prior to departure, the applicants are required to attend the pre-departure orientation seminar highlighting important information first-time travellers need to know relating to the Philippine immigration rules and do's and don'ts in travelling.

### Step 7: Departure

Regional office will assign personnel to accompany travelling applicants to the Philippines. All travel arrangements will be taken care of by us.

### Step 8: Arrival

University personnel will be present in the airport to assist arrival procedures, transport to university and all other formalities related to accommodation.

- Students will be required to appear for Quarantine
- Completion of all medical tests necessary for the Student Visa Processing

### Step 9: Enrollment

All formalities for getting enrolled are will be assisted by university personnel.

### Step 10: Tourist Visa Conversion into Student Visa

Upon submission of all required documents to the Bureau of Immigration, the tourist visa will be converted into student visa within a span of 2-3 months.



## DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION

1. University Application Form filled by the student
2. NEET Hall Ticket & Qualified Certificate
3. PHS (Personal History Statements 10 sets) filled by the student
4. SSC & Intermediate (Colour 5 photo copies attested by Principal or Gazetted Officer)
5. Two Recommendation Letters from last School or College
6. Passport (Colour 5 photo copies attested by Principal or Gazetted Officer)
7. Photos with white background 50 photos (5 cmX5 cm), 50 photos (3.5 cmX4.5 cm)

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1. SSC or 10th Standard (Original)
2. Intermediate or 10+2 (Original)
3. Passport (Original)
4. Police Clearance Certificate from Passport Office (Original)
5. 3 Months Bank Statement (Original) with the Balance of 5 Lakhs
6. IT returns or Affidavit
7. Parents PAN Card
8. Parents passports photocopies or Affidavit
9. Financial Undertaking
10. Medical Examination including laboratory results: CBC, Urinalysis, Fecalysis, Anti-HBs, HBsAG, Chest X-Ray

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