



Guidelines for Non-Scholarship Applicants Admitted to the Tabriz University of Medical Sciences (TUOMS)

In order to facilitate official and educational affairs, all admitted applicants may consider the following guidelines when entering Iran:

1. Carry out registration affairs in Education Deputy of TUOMS* (Address: Education Deputy, former building of the faculty of pharmacy, campus of Tabriz University, University St., Tabriz, East Azerbaijan province, Tel: +984131772048 - Mr. Farshidi).

*If you arrive in Tabriz before the announced registration date for any reason, you may contact Mr. Aslani at +984133355950 or +989148646497 to get help for accommodation in the dormitory. Please kindly be noted that there are 2 separate dormitories for males and females. The dormitory of male students is located outside the university campus (Address: Nik dormitory, across from the former building of Russian consulate general, Shahid Montazeri (Maralan) St.) and the dormitory of female students is located in the Tabriz University campus (Address: Ghods dormitory, Tabriz University campus, Chemistry entrance, University St., Tabriz).

2. Complete the related affairs in Students Deputy (Address: second floor, central building number 2 (Red building), Tabriz University campus, University St., Tabriz, Tel: +984133355950 - Mr. Aslani).

Tuition fee: The tuition fee for each semester is paid at the beginning of the semester.

Internet: All students will enjoy a free internet package (5GB) accessible in dormitories and university campus. If the students fail to access the internet after 2 working days of registration and submitting their phone numbers, they might contact Mr. Aslani (+984133355950).

Library: All international students can benefit from the services of all TUOMS libraries. Digital library is also accessible at <https://diglib.tbzmed.ac.ir>.

Sporting facilities: All international students can benefit from sporting facilities such as: wrestling ring, tennis court, artificial turf, volleyball and basketball fields, and swimming pool (Address: across from Ghods dormitory, next to the cultural building of TUOMS, Tabriz University campus for sport affairs).

SIM Card: The applicants can purchase a SIM card at borders upon entering the country or they may buy it from the telecommunication agencies inside the cities. It should be noted that students can have up to 3 SIM cards from available operators (Hamrah-e-Avval, Irancell, RighTel, etc.). The agency requires you to give a passport copy and also provide a valid address.

Bank account: All international students can open a bank account in Iran after completing the registration process, getting a residence permit, and receiving a letter from the university.

A brief introduction to Tabriz: Tabriz is the capital of East Azerbaijan province with the population of about 2 million people. It is known as the city of the Firsts and is the major economical center of the region. The main sightseeing places are Elgoli, Blue Mosque, Municipality Palace, Maqbaratoshoara, etc.

Intra-city transportation systems are taxi, subway, and BRT (Bus Rapid Transit) and inter-city transportation systems are airplane, train, and bus. Its major handicrafts include pottery, needlework, toretics, shoemaking, carpet weaving, silver making, etc. Its local foods are Koofte Tabrizi and Dolme and its sweets are Ghorabiye, Noga, Rees and Baslogh.

There are numerous traditional and modern shopping centers in the city. Traditional Bazaar, a UNESCO world heritage site, is the largest roofed bazar in the world. This bazar is a commercial and historical place popular for purchasing gold, carpet, shoes, clothing items and home appliances. Tarbiyat Street, as a part of Silk Road, is also known as a traditional shopping center with the major products of shoe and bag. Besides the traditional centers, there are some modern shopping centers like Lale Park, which offers Turkish brands, Atlas and Setare Baran.