November 2026

Position Open: Assistant Professor at
the Faculty of Health Sciences, Hokkaido University

We invite applications for the position of Professor in the Faculty of Health Sciences, Hokkaido University as follows.

1. Position
   Assistant Professor (The term of contract is 5 years)

2. Affiliation
   [Immediately after hiring] Faculty of Health Sciences (Department of Medical Laboratory Science)
   [Scope of Change] Location as determined by the University

3. Research Field
   Laboratory Medicine

4. Responsibilities
   [Immediately after hiring] Duties concerning education and research at the Faculty of Health Sciences, Graduate School of Health Sciences, and School of Health Sciences (Faculty of Medicine)
   [Scope of Change] Duties as determined by the University

5. Qualifications

1) The applicant must hold a Ph.D. degree upon appointment.
2) The applicant must have a Japanese national license as a Medical Technologist.
3) The applicant preferably has clinical experience in the field of Laboratory Medicine (Specimen testing).
4) The applicant must have an excellent record of research achievements in their area of Laboratory Medicine .
5) The applicant must be capable of delivering lectures, leading seminars, and supervising Laboratory Medicine (Specimen testing) in the graduate and undergraduate courses
6) The applicant must be able to contribute to university-wide general education courses, such as liberal arts seminars.

7) The applicant is expected to demonstrate a strong commitment to education, research, and administrative responsibilities within the Faculty of Health Sciences.

6. Desired Start Date
April 1, 2027 (JST)

7. Probation Period
Three months from the date of employment

8. Salary
Determined in accordance with the *National University Corporation Hokkaido University Salary Rules for Faculty Subject to Annual Salary System*

9. Work Hours
- Discretionary Labor System for Professional Work or Fixed Working Hour System based on agreement
- Determined in accordance with the *Hokkaido University Working Hours, Break Times, Holidays and Leave Rules*
- [For Discretionary Labor System for Professional Work]
The work hours per day are deemed as 7 hours and 45 minutes
- [For Fixed Working Hour System]
Work hours: 8:30 to 17:00
Break time: 12:15 to 13:00
Overtime work: Applicable

10. Health Insurance, Pension, and Other Insurance
The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Mutual Aid Association, Employee's Pension, Workers' Accident Compensation Insurance, and Employment Insurance

11. Name of Hiring Institution
Hokkaido University

12. Measures to Prevent Second-Hand Smoke
No smoking on campus except for the designated outside smoking areas

13. Application Materials

(1) Curriculum Vitae

*Application format with academic history, degree, qualifications, record of awards, and work history.

*Applicant employed by Hokkaido University from April 1, 2013 (any position, including TA, TF, RA, and Short-term Support Assistant, etc.) should provide full employment history details.

(2) List of publications from Apr 1, 2016, along with Impact Factor on Journal Citation Reports 2026 Release if applicable.

(3) A list of major publications (maximum five papers)

(4) Summary of past and current research with perspectives (about 1,000 words)

* Include the summary and scientific significance of major publications.

(5) Summary of perspectives on education (about 1,000 words)

(6) A list of two references (including the names, phone numbers, and e-mail addresses)

14. Application Deadline

January 7, 2027 (JST)

The deadline must be strictly observed.

15. Where to Submit Application Materials

[By web application "JREC-IN Portal"]

Convert the application documents (1) to (6) to a PDF file and combine it and the original application document 1 (Microsoft Word format) into one compressed file. Set the file name to **[Application_ 204_ Assistant Professor_Faculty_of_Health_Sciences_name].**

- Personal information will be used for screening purposes only.

16. Inquiries

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Hokkaido University strives to promote education and research activities by a diverse group of talent and through gender equity. We particularly welcome applications from women researchers. The University is

committed to supporting a work-life balance and creating an environment that empowers all members of the University to demonstrate their abilities to the fullest.