TAKARAZUKA UNIVERSITY of MEDICAL and HEALTH CARE(宝塚医療大学)

Evaluation summary

This university has not demonstrated satisfactory compliance with the standards of the Japan Institution for Higher Education Evaluation.

In the institutional accreditation evaluation conducted by our organization (JIHEE) in the 2024 fiscal year, TAKARAZUKA UNIVERSITY of MEDICAL and HEALTH CARE was deemed "suitable for accreditation" in March 2025.

Subsequently, in the results of the Investigations into the State of Progress in Pursuing the University Establishment Plan (2024 fiscal year) announced by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) at the end of March 2025, it was pointed out that the university's Department of Nursing, Faculty of Health Sciences in Wakayama did not have enough professors, which is a violation of MEXT regulations. In response, our institution conducted a re-evaluation of the university's "suitable for accreditation" certification.

The Self-Inspection and Evaluation Report submitted by the university stated that "for the Department of Nursing, which is currently in progress, we will ensure the implementation of the establishment plan, sincerely address the issues raised at the time of establishment, and supplement the number of professors by the end of the fiscal year." Additionally, written responses to questions from evaluators also contained similar content.

However, it was confirmed that the university had not supplemented the number of professors in the Department of Nursing by the end of the 2024 academic year. Based on our evaluation criteria, we have therefore changed the evaluation result to "not suitable for accreditation".