

NOVA MEDICAL SCHOOL INSTITUTIONAL FACT SHEET 2026–2027

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION	
NAME OF THE INSTITUTION	UNIVERSIDADE NOVA DE LISBOA
SCHOOL NAME	NOVA MEDICAL SCHOOL FACULDADE DE CIÊNCIAS MÉDICAS
ERASMUS CODE	P LISBOA03
WEBSITE	www.nms.unl.pt/en-us/nova-medical-school
ONLINE COURSE CATALOGUE	Link: Detailed Course Catalogue – Medicine Link: Course Catalogue – All Degrees
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RESPONSIBLE PERSON	Prof. Paulo Paixão, MD, PhD Mobility Programmes Coordinator
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PROCEDURES	
NOMINATION DEADLINE	APPLICATION DEADLINE
May 15th (for all semesters)	June 15th (for all semesters)
Partner Universities must submit the nominations of their students via the online form that will be made available every year.	Incoming students nominated by their home university must submit the online application form using the link sent via email directly to the student and must submit all the required documents by the specified deadline. Late applications will not be considered.
<p>All applications will be reviewed after the submission deadline (June 15th) and Learning Agreements will be signed following the analysis by the Mobility Programmes Coordinator.</p> <p>Once accepted, incoming students receive information about their NMS institutional email address. Students must check their NMS institutional mailbox regularly, as it will be the main channel of communication. Surveys and other information requests to decide on specific classes, groups or rotation schedules will be sent to the NMS institutional e-mail address.</p>	
LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS	<p>All classes are taught in Portuguese.</p> <p>All incoming students that are not Portuguese native speakers are required to present a Portuguese Language Certificate*:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B1 level for Studies Mobility • B2 level for Traineeship Mobility <p>Students who are unable to send the certificate by the deadline must send proof of enrolment in a Portuguese language course. They must then submit the certificate according to the following deadlines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September 1st (1st Semester and full year) • February 1st (2nd Semester) <p><i>* A document issued by a language school or by a private tutor may be exceptionally accepted, as long as it clearly states that the student meets the requirements to be placed in that level, based on an assessment of listening and reading comprehension and written and oral production. Students accepted for a Research Traineeship period may be exempt from the Portuguese language requirement, depending on the criteria of the laboratory/supervisor.</i></p>

<p>PORTUGUESE LANGUAGE COURSE</p>	<p>Incoming students who wish to attend a Portuguese language course while in Lisbon may contact NOVA School of Social Sciences and Humanities (FCSH). For more information, please check the website: https://ple.fcsch.unl.pt/en/semester-course/.</p>	
<p>ACADEMIC CALENDAR</p>	<p>Fall Semester Start: September 2026 End: February 2027</p>	<p>Spring Semester Start: February 2027 End: July 2027</p>
<p>LEARNING AGREEMENT</p>	<p>Learning Agreements will be signed after the application deadline, following the analysis and approval by the Mobility Programmes Coordinator, and once the number of available places in courses is communicated to the Mobility Office.</p> <p>Students must follow the instructions present on our webpage regarding the composition of the Learning Agreement and enrolment in curricular units.</p> <p>Please note that sending the Learning Agreement within the deadline does not guarantee its approval and enrolment in the proposed courses.</p>	
<p>LEARNING AGREEMENT CHANGES</p>	<p>Requests for changes to the Learning Agreement must be presented up to 5 weeks after the beginning of classes. Any changes to the Learning Agreement are only considered valid after being approved by the Erasmus Coordinator of the Sending Institution and the Mobility Programmes Coordinator at NOVA Medical School.</p>	
<p>HOUSING</p>	<p>NOVA Medical School has partnered with accommodation platforms to offer benefits to mobility students.</p> <p><u>UNIPLACES</u> Students have access to 25% off the service fee with the code UP25NOVAMED.</p> <p><u>SPOTAHOME</u> Students have access to a 30% discount on the service fee (one-time fee) with the code NOVAMS30. Students must enter the promo code at the time of the booking to benefit from the discount.</p> <p>NOVA Medical School students can contact the booking team via partners@spotahome.com or via WhatsApp message (+39 3791468503) indicating their accommodation search requirements (below), and a dedicated booking agent from the team will provide them with options that best suit their needs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • University/School • Number of people • Move-in/Move out dates • City/Country • Preferred location (which neighbourhood) • Budget (for monthly rent) 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Type of accommodation (room, studio, apartment) • Any additional info (e.g. pets? accessibility?) <p>In addition, students may contact a dedicated booking agent via the contact form.</p>
<p>INSURANCE</p>	<p>All EU/EEA incoming students are required to have a valid copy of the European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) prior to the start of the semester. This card allows EU/EEA students to benefit from services at any public healthcare entity in Portugal.</p> <p>Please note that the European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) is not an alternative to travel insurance. We recommend taking an additional private insurance plan which should fully cover the student's stay abroad.</p> <p>All students attending NMS for a studies or traineeship mobility are required to subscribe to the school insurance and pay the applicable fee for the respective academic year. This insurance provides coverage for personal accidents and civil liability.</p>
<p>VISA & ENTRY REQUIREMENTS</p>	<p>EU/EEA nationals whose stay is longer than 90 days should request the registration certificate (CRUE) at the local town hall within 3 months following their arrival.</p> <p>Non-EU/EEA nationals need an entry visa or residence permit to stay in Portugal. The type of permit depends on the length and purpose of the stay.</p> <p>Non-EU/EEA students who hold a residence permit issued by a Member State of the European Union and are covered by EU mobility programmes, or by an agreement between the two higher education institutions, are authorised to enter into national territory to study, provided that the Portuguese Agency for Integration, Migration and Asylum (AIMA) is informed until 30 days prior to the beginning of the mobility period, following the steps indicated online.</p> <p>Incoming students are advised to check the websites of the Portuguese Agency for Integration, Migration and Asylum (AIMA) or the Portuguese Government's information page for more detailed information, or to contact the Portuguese consulate in their home country.</p> <p>If you need a document issued by NMS for Visa purposes, do not hesitate to contact us (mobilidade-in@nms.unl.pt).</p>
<p>COST OF LIVING</p>	<p>The following are reference values for the average cost of living in Lisbon:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accommodation: €300 - €700 • Monthly Public Transport Card: €30 – €40 • Meal on Campus: €3,50 – €5,00 • Monthly Gym fee: €26,00 – €40,00