

Access to Kumamoto University

Kurokami Campus

From Bus Terminal

By **Sanko-Bus** : Take a bus for Kusunoki-danchi or Musashigaoka (via Kokaibashi) and get off at "Kumamoto Daigakumae".
By **Dentetsu-Bus** : Take a bus for Hikanomori, Kusunoki or Musashigaoka and get off at "Kumamoto Daigakumae".

From JR Kumamoto Station

By **Kumamoto-Toshi Bus** : Take a bus on the 1st loop line (via Daigaku Byoinmae and Oetoroku) and get off at "Kokaibashi". 10 minutes walk.
By **Sanko - Bus** : Take a bus for Kusunoki-danchi, Musashigaoka or Ozu (via Kokaibashi) and take off at "Kumamoto Daigakumae".

From **JR Tatsutaguchi Station (JR Houhi Line)**
By **Sanko - Bus** : Take a bus for SAKURA MACHI Kumamoto(Bus Terminal)and get off at "Kumamoto Daigakumae".

From JR Kumamoto Airport (to Bus Terminal)

By **Kumamoto Air port Limousine** : Take a bus for Kumamoto Station and get off at "SAKURA MACHI Kumamoto (Bus Terminal)".

Honjo Campus

From JR Kumamoto Station

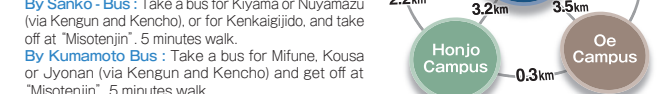
By **Kumamoto-Toshi Bus** : Take a bus on the 1st loop line (via Daigaku Byoinmae and Oetoroku) and get off at "Daigaku Byoinmae".

From Bus Terminal

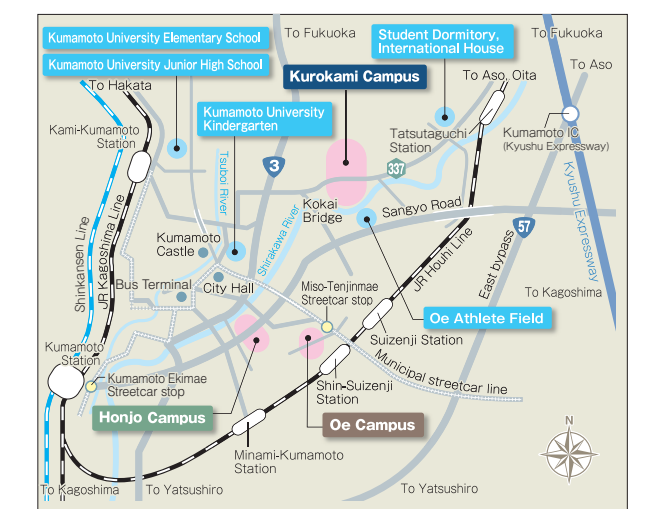
By **Kumamoto-Toshi Bus** : Take a bus on the 1st loop line (via Daigaku Byoinmae and Oetoroku) and get off at "Daigaku Byoinmae". 5 minutes walk.

From JR Shin-Suizenji Station (JR Houhi Line)

10 minutes walk.



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Honjo Campus

- Kumamoto University Hospital
- School of Medicine(School of Medicine, School of Health Sciences)
- Graduate School of Medical Sciences
- Graduate School of Health Sciences

1 Yamasaki Memorial Hall



2 Kusunoki Terrace



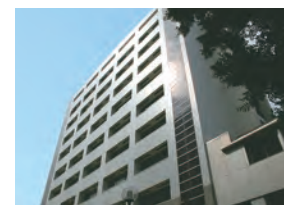
Kusunoki Terrace was built to improve amenity services for hospital users, including patients, their companions, and visitors, as well as to enhance the welfare of university members such as students, faculty and staff. It was completed in November 2024, and opened on December 2. The building includes amenities such as a convenience store, a restaurant, and a bakery, as well as a large conference room that can be used for various purposes.

3 International Research Center for Medical Sciences (IRCMS)

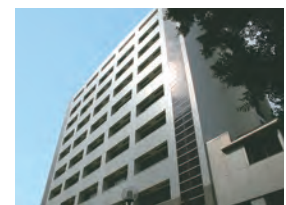


IRCMS has a strong interest with the highest priority in developing a global collaboration. At this time fundamental research is underway in the areas of Hematology, Vascular Biology and Cancer with plans to expand into basic and translational biology and medicine.

Since merging on April 1, 2019, Center for AIDS Research in Kumamoto University and Center for Chronic Viral Diseases in Kagoshima University have integrated to create the Joint Research Center for Human Retrovirus Infection.



4 Joint Research Center for Human Retrovirus Infection

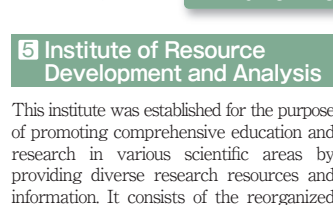


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5 Institute of Resource Development and Analysis

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6 Institute of Molecular Embryology and Genetics



The institute studies developmental processes from an egg to an entire body, and promotes integration of developmental biology and medical sciences. Our achievements are applicable to various areas including treatment of diseases and organ regeneration. The institute is selected by the government as one of the Joint Research Centers in Japan.

7 Student Union "Kaiju"



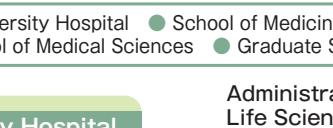
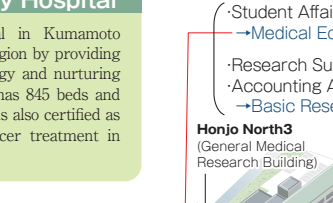
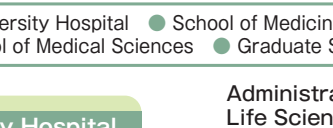
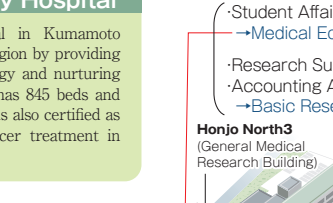
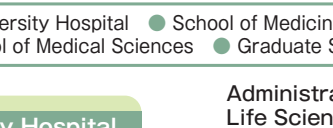
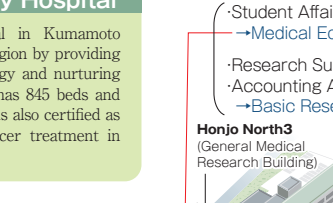
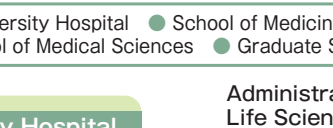
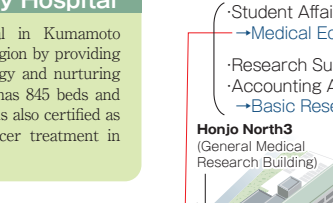
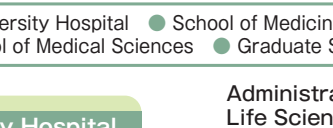
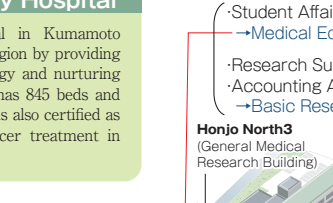
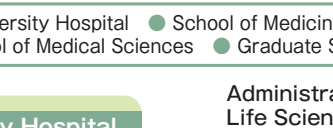
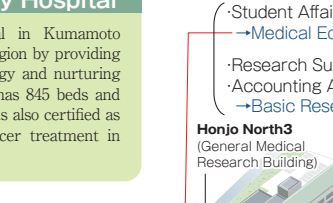
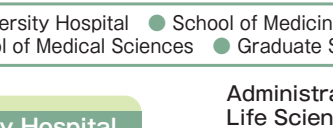
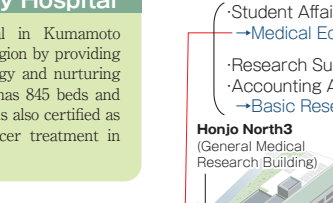
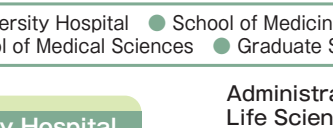
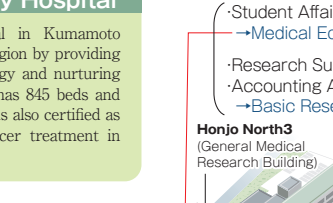
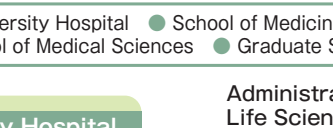
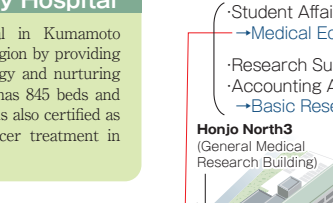
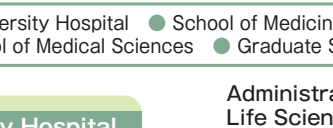
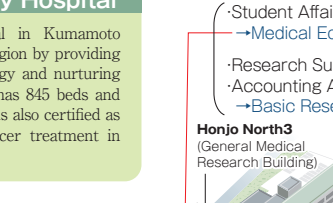
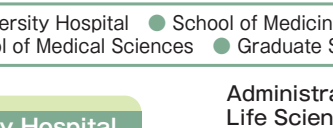
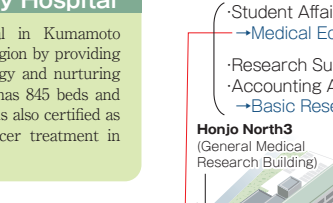
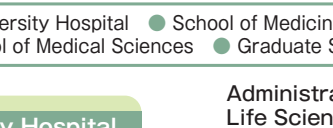
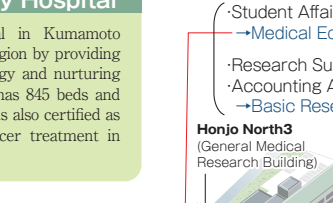
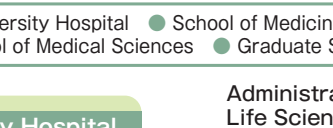
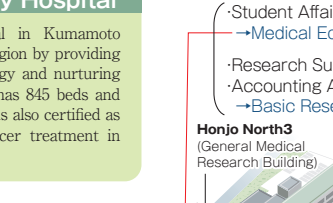
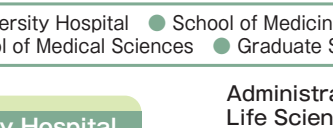
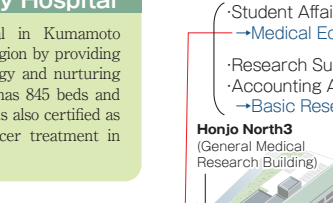
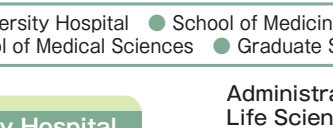
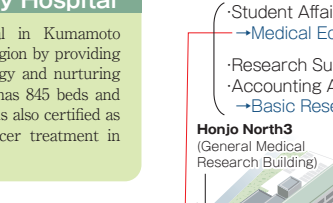
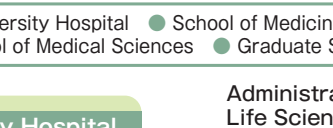
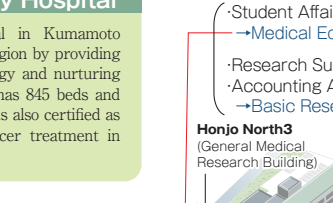
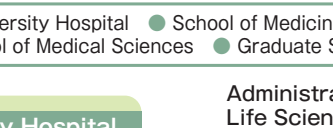
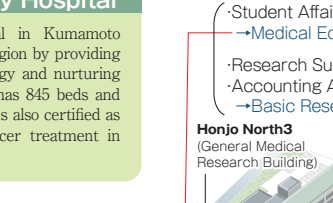
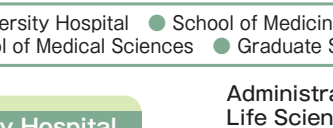
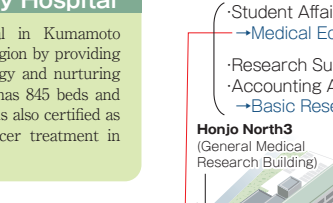
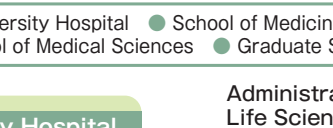
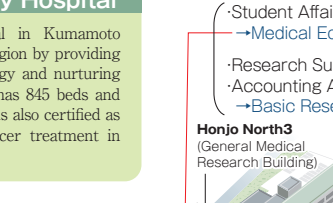
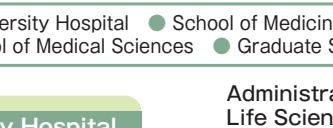
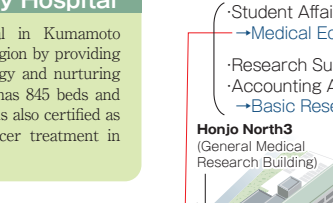
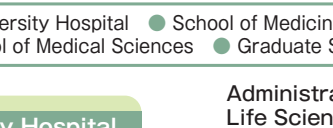
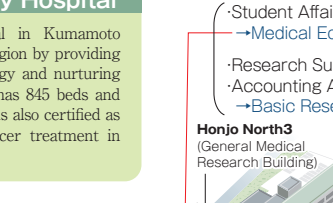
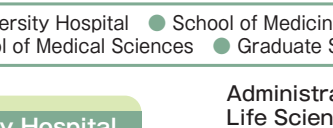
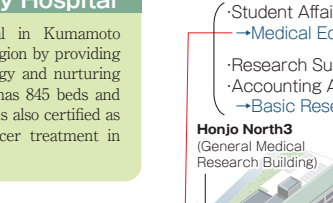
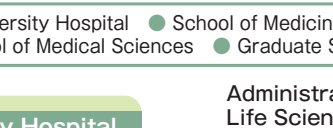
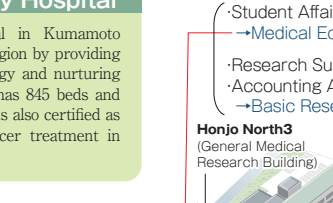
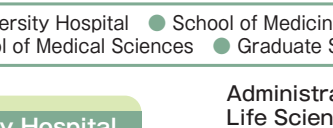
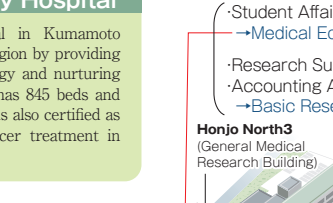
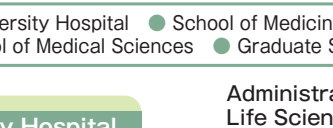
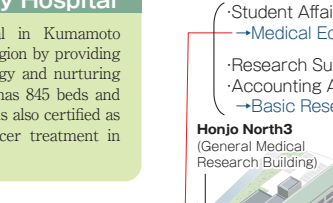
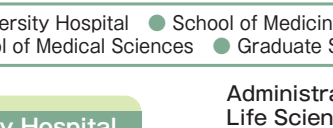
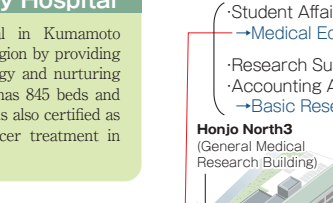
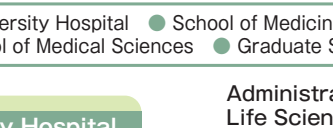
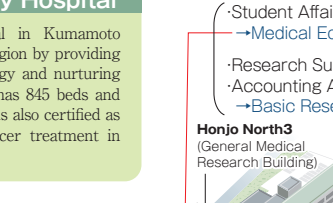
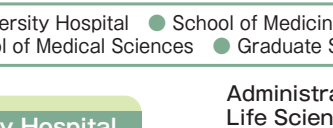
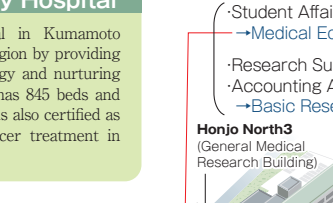
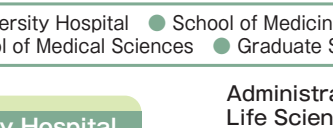
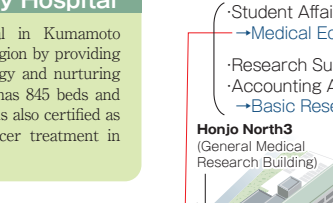
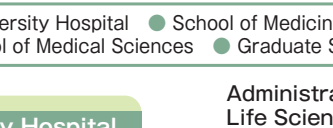
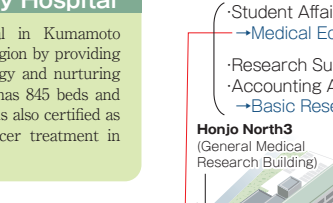
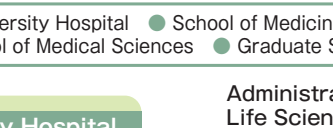
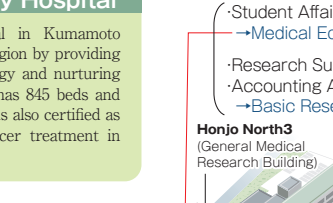
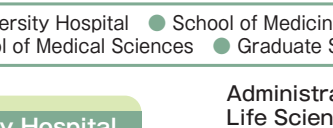
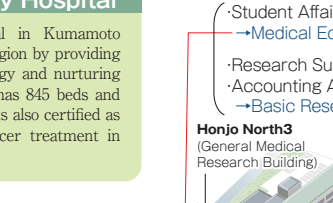
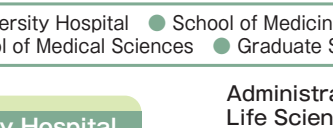
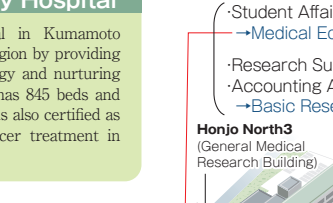
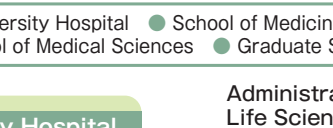
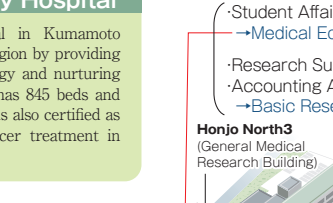
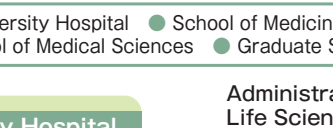
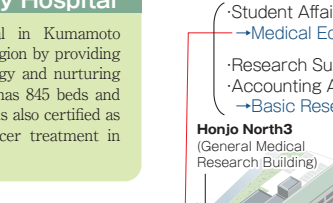
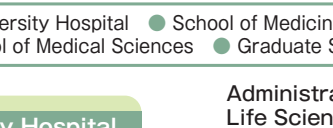
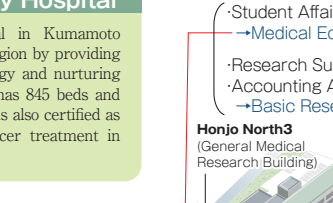
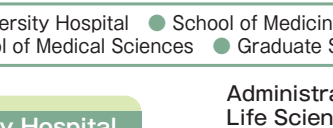
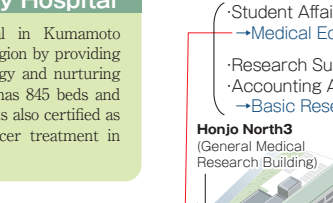
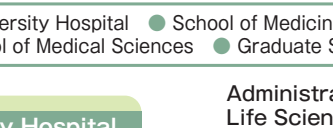
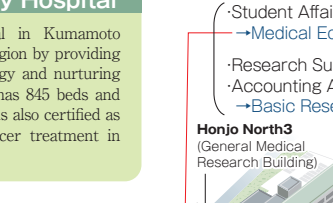
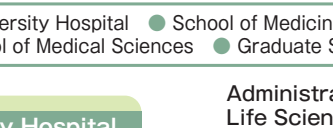
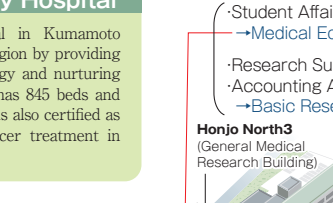
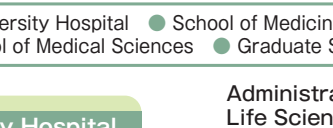
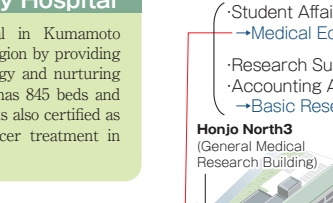
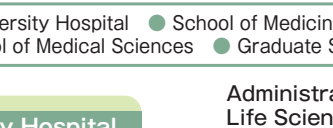
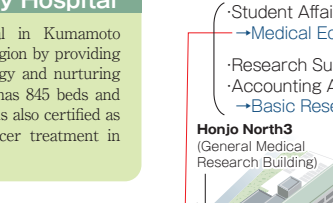
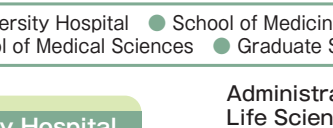
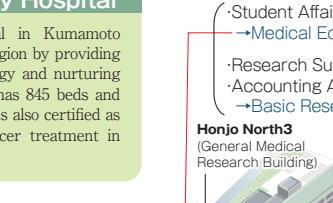
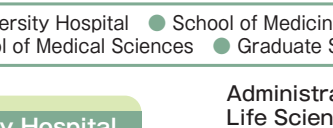
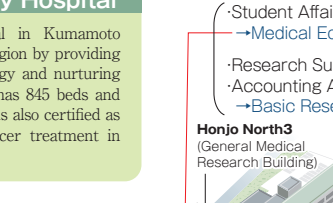
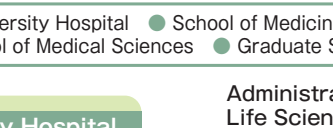
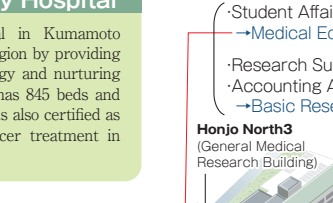
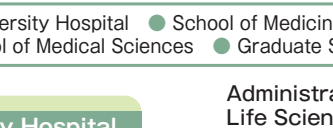
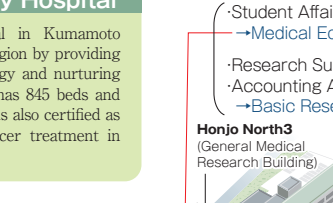
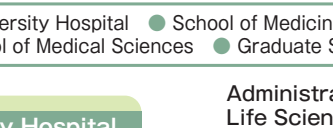
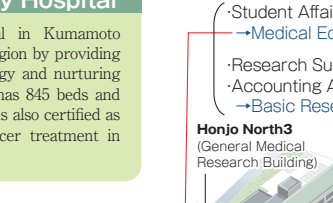
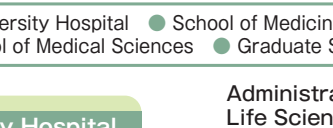
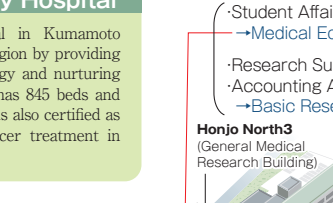
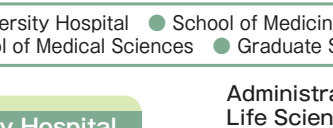
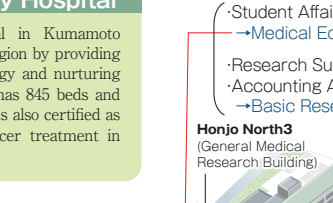
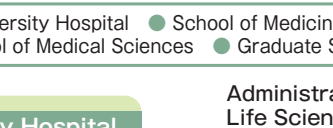
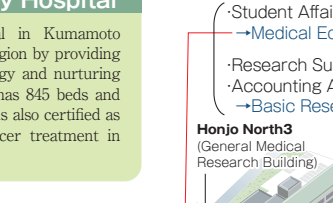
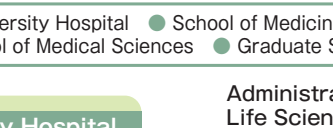
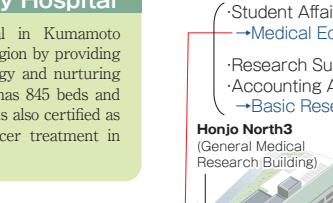
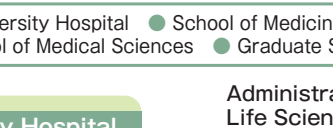
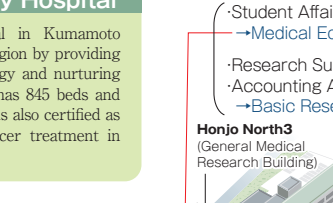
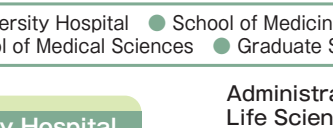
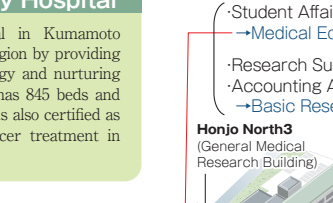
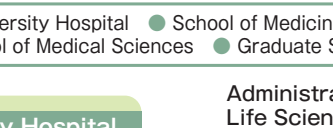
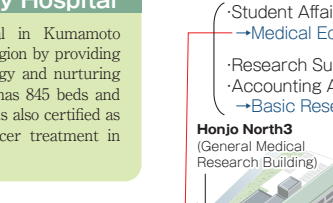
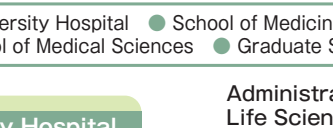
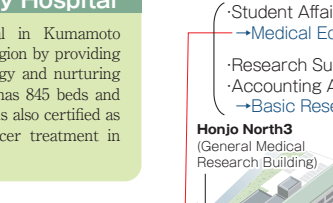
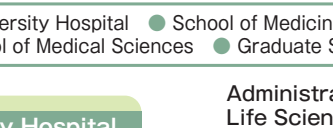
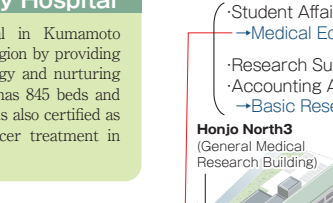
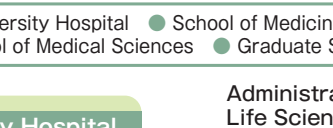
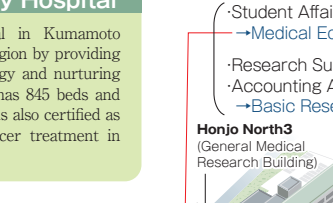
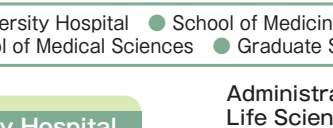
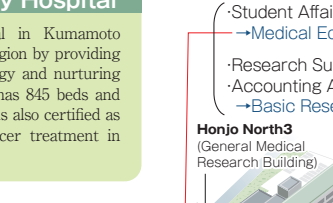
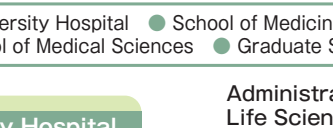
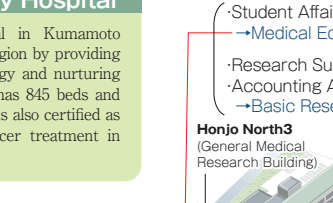
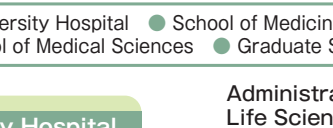
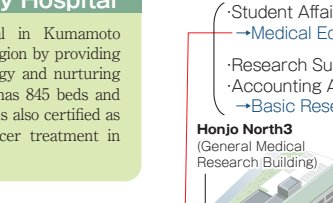
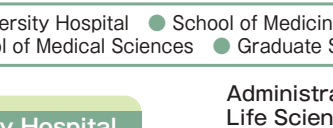
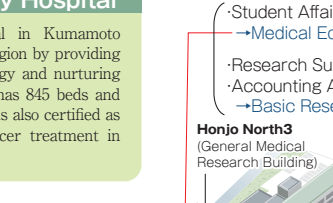
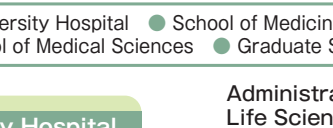
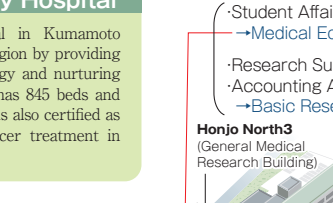
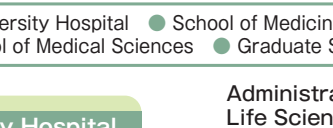
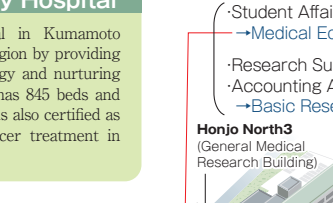
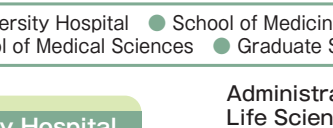
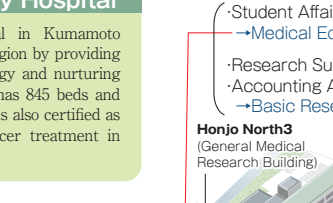
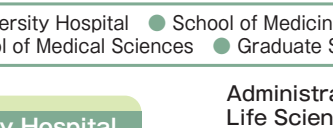
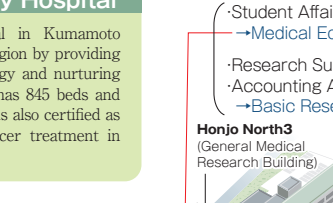
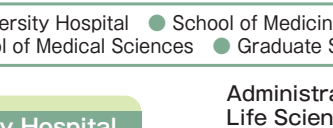
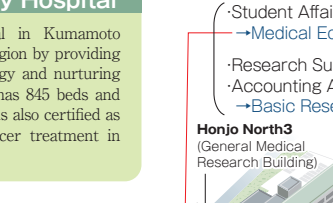
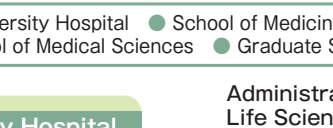
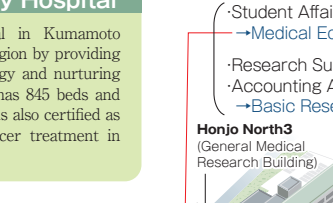
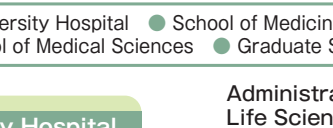
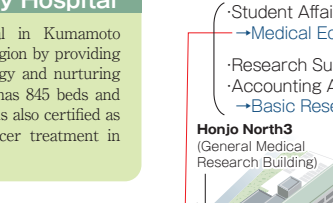
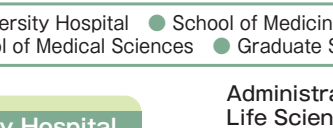
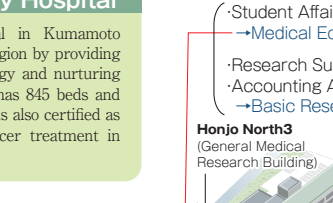
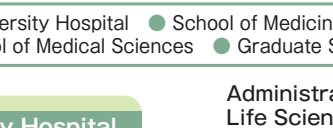
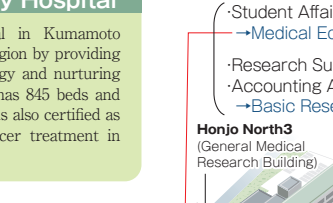
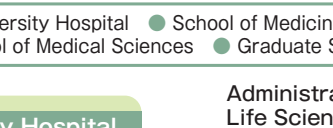
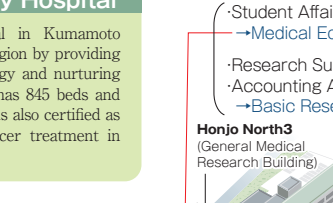
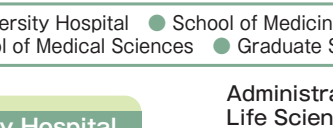
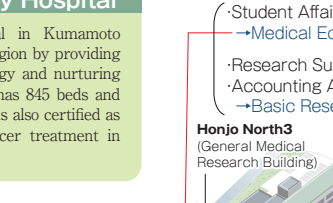
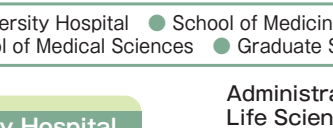
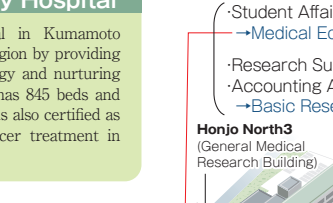
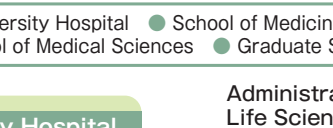
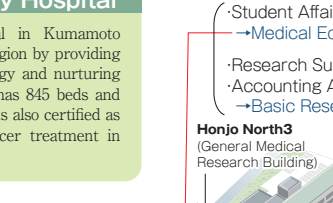
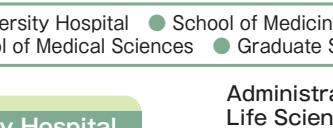
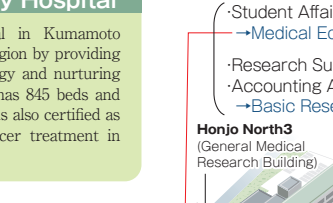
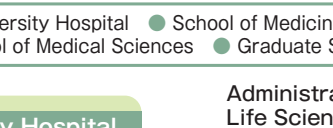
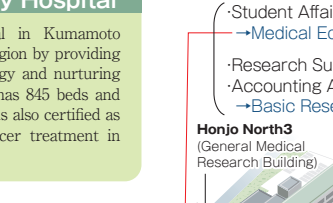
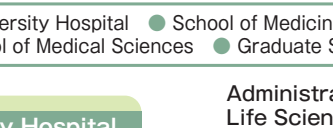
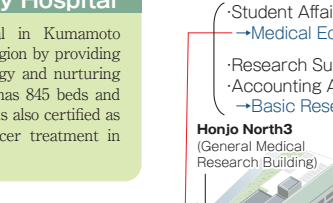
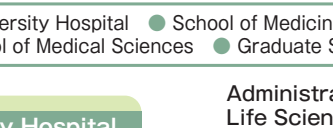
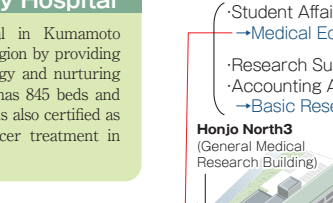
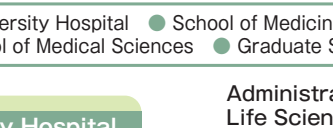
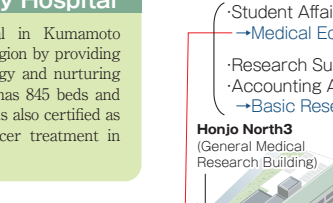
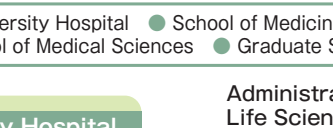
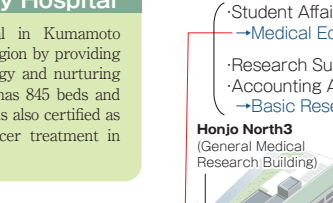
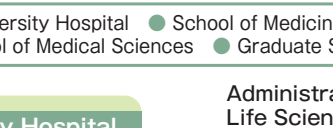
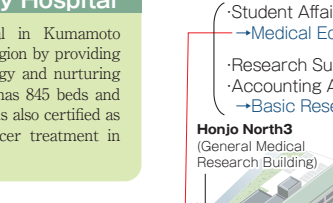
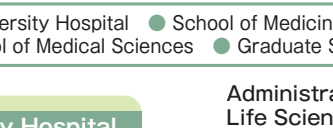
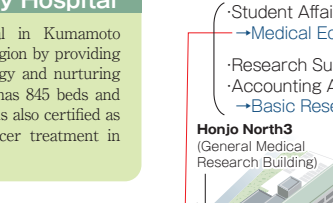
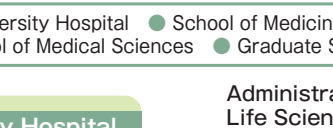
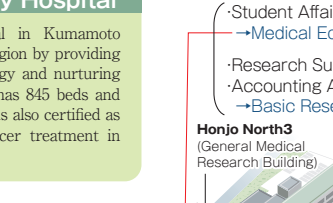
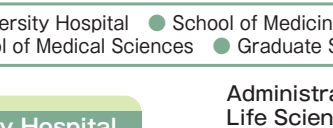
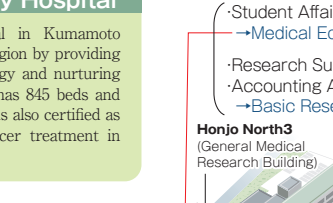
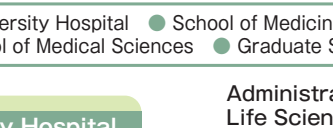
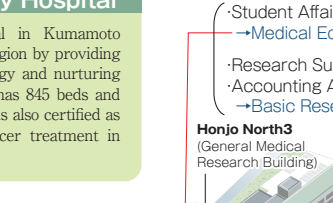
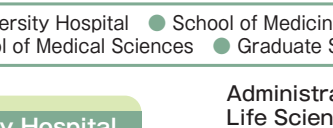
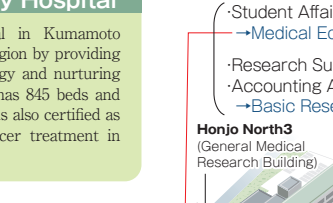
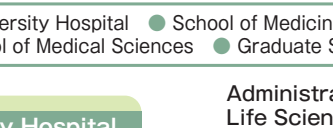
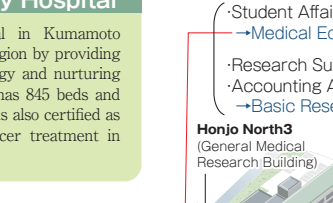
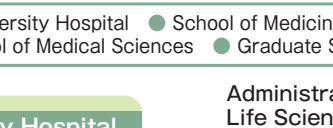
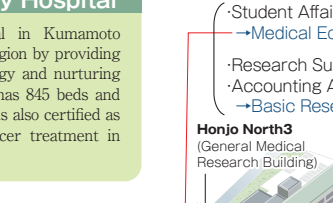
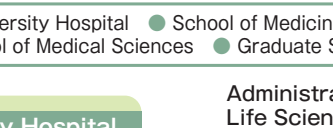
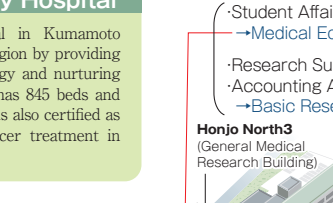
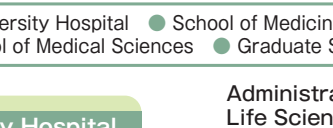
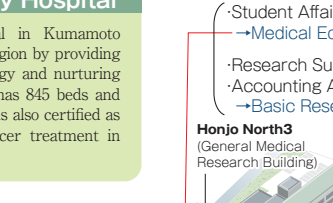
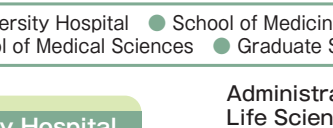
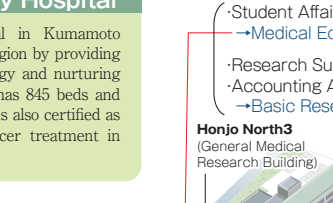
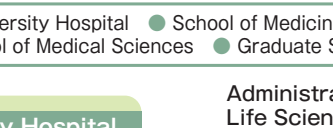
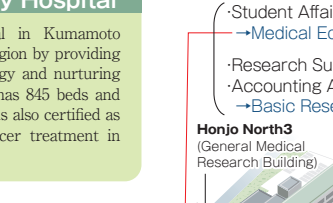
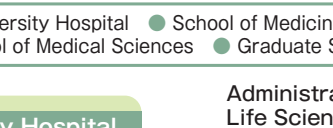
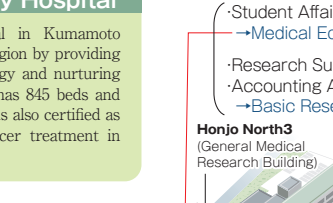
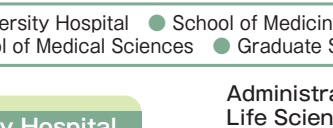
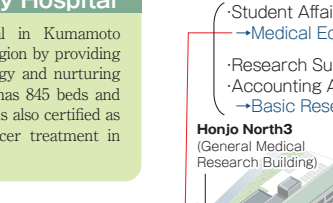
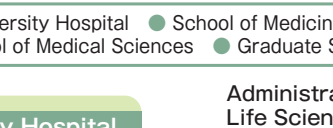
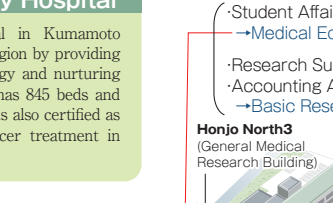
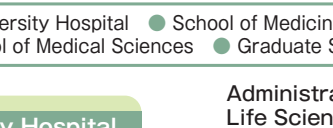
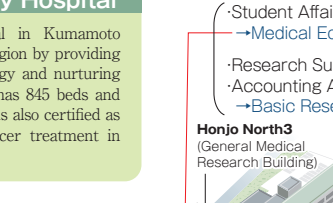
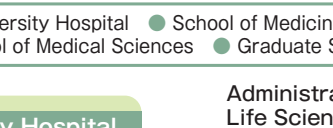
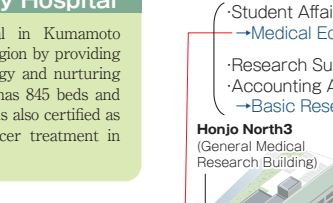
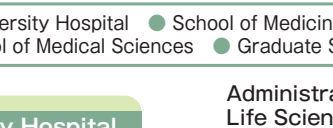
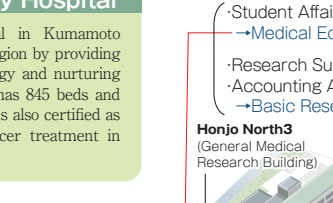
8 Kumayaku Museum and Miyamoto Memorial Hall



9 Banjikan Hall (Restaurant, Seminar Room, Liaison Office)



10 Medicinal Plant Garden



Kurokami Campus

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- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Education
- School of Social Innovation
- Graduate School of Social and Cultural Sciences
- Graduate School of Teacher Education
- Faculty of Science
- Faculty of Engineering
- School of Informatics
- Graduate School of Science and Technology

1 The Red Gate



The gate has been well known as "the Red Gate" since it was relocated as the main gate of the Fifth High School in 1889.

National Important Cultural Property

2 The Memorial Museum of the Fifth High School



The red brick building was completed in 1889 as the main building renowned literary figures for the Fifth High School, where Lafcadio Hearn and Natsume Soseki gave lectures. The museum offers historical data about higher education since the Meiji Era to the general public. Free admission. Open from 10:00 to 16:00 except Tuesdays.

National Important Cultural Property

3 The Chemical Laboratory of the Fifth High School



Like the main building, this red brick building was also completed in 1889. It includes a lecture hall and the oldest draft chamber (fume hood) in Japan.

National Important Cultural Property

4 Student Hall Cafeteria



A wide variety of nutritious meals are available. For healthcare purposes, salt and calories are indicated on the meal description. Open 8:00-19:30 on weekdays. 11:30-14:00 on Saturdays. Closed on Sundays and holidays.

5 Student Hall Shop



Books, stationery, convenience goods and the university original products are sold at the shop. It is open from 9:00 to 18:00 on weekdays.

6 University Library



The university library is open to the public and provides vast academic information to community. Services include booklending and internet access to the library's books and collection inventory. Open from 8:40 to 22:00 on weekdays (Closes at 17:00 during school holidays). 12:00 to 18:00 on Saturdays, Sundays and national holidays.

7 Kusunoki Hall

The hall holds reception rooms, Japanese-Style rooms and guest rooms. The restaurant is open from 11:30 to 13:30 on weekdays.

Administrative Division of Social and Cultural Sciences

Administrative Division of Education

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Kumamoto-u Attached Special Support School

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Strategic Management Planning Department International Strategy Team (2F)

School of Social Innovation

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Faculty of Engineering

School of Informatics

6 Center for Water Cycle, Marine Environment, and Disaster Management (CWMD)

South Area

7 FORICO (Cafeteria and Convenience Store)

Kurokami South S Area

Kurokami South S1 (Hydraulic Laboratory)

Kurokami South S2 (Instrumental Analysis Center for Engineering Research)

Kurokami South S3 (Disaster Prevention Laboratory)

Kurokami South S4 (Kurokami Radioisotope Laboratory)

Kurokami South S5 (Research Center for Buried Cultural Properties)

Kurokami South S6 (Venture Laboratory) (Shock Wave and Condensed Matter Research Building)

Kurokami South S7 (Incubation Laboratory)

Kurokami South S8 (Shock Wave Laboratory)

Kurokami South S9 (Engineering Experimental Laboratories)

Kurokami South S10 (MRC Casting Laboratory) (Magnesium Research Center(MRC))

Kurokami South S11(MRC Forming and Machining Laboratory)

Kurokami South S12 (International Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology)

8 Magnesium Research Center

1 Museum of Engineering Faculty



The building was completed in 1908 as a machine experimental factory of Kumamoto Junior College of Technology. The red-brick building and machine tools were designated as a Nationally Important Cultural Property. Also these are certified as "Machine Heritage" by the Japan Society of Mechanical Engineers. The building is open to the public every third Thursday from 13:00 to 16:00.

National Important Cultural Property

2 100th Anniversary Memorial Hall



In commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the Faculty of Engineering, the hall was completed in 2004 with donations from alumni, faculty affiliates and corporations. Events such as lectures and concerts are held in the hall.

3 Headquarters for Research and Development Strategy

It was established with the aim of centralizing the university-wide research support and management system. Its activities are aimed at enhancing the university's research capacity while contributing to addressing regional issues.

4 D-Square

An educational hub for digital transformation and semiconductors. Its goal is to foster highly skilled professionals by engaging undergraduate and graduate students in various collaborative research projects alongside researchers in the fields of data science, artificial intelligence, and semiconductors.

5 SOIL



SOIL (Semiconductor Open Innovation Laboratory) is one of the open labs managed by the Research and Development Strategy Division. As a facility for promoting joint research in the field of semiconductors, it aims to enhance research capabilities through a wide range of joint research projects, from next-generation cutting-edge research to implementation research.

6 Center for Water Cycle, Marine Environment, and Disaster Management(CWMD)

CWMD consists of four laboratories namely: Water Resource Research Laboratory; Marine Science Laboratory; Disaster Mitigation Laboratory and Urban and Regional Design Laboratory. This center leads research and education in the area of groundwater resources in Kumamoto, marine environment around the Ariake Sea and the Yatsushiro Sea, disaster mitigation, community design and participation.

7 FORICO (Cafeteria and Store)



The nickname "FORICO" was coined by a student, meaning "for students of Faculties of Science and Engineering". Shop & Bakery is open from 10:00 to 19:00 and Restaurant is open from 11:00 to 19:00 on weekdays.

8 Magnesium Research Center

The center has been extensively involved in a variety of magnesium-related research areas since its establishment in December, 2011. These include alloy design, casting metal formation, mechanical properties, corrosion, surface treatment, and recycling.

9 Institute of Industrial Nanomaterials(IINa)

The mission of the institute is to promote researches bringing into new industrial applications, such as 2-dimensional nano-sheet and others, through various interdisciplinary approaches based on nanomaterials and materials informatics as a world leading research organization in the related field.

North Area



Barrier-Free lavatory



AED

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