



働く人の健康と環境を 医学の目で見守ります。

We keep a close eye on worker's health and their working environment from a medical perspective.

「産業医」「産業保健専門職」を養成する唯一の医科大学

*We are the only medical university that is a training institution for
"Occupational Health Physicians" and "Occupational Healthcare Professionals".*

学校法人産業医科大学は、労働安全衛生法の制定(昭和47年)により、一定規模以上の事業場に労働者の健康管理を担当する産業医の選任が義務付けられ、労働衛生管理に精通した産業医の確保が緊急の課題となったことから、昭和53年(1978年)に産業医学の振興や資質の高い産業医を養成する大学として設立されました。

本学は、「教育基本法及び学校教育法に基づき、医学及び看護学その他の医療保健技術に関する学問の教育及び研究を行い、労働環境と健康に関する分野におけるこれらの学問の振興と人材の育成に寄与すること」を目的及び使命としています。

本学は、医学一般についての教育・研究・診療を基に、産業医学及び産業保健に関する特色ある教育・研究を実施し、優れた産業医及び産業保健専門職を数多く社会に輩出するとともに、関連分野に関する研究を進め、また地域において医療に関する中核的役割を担っています。

現在、わが国が本格的な少子高齢化時代を迎えている中、働く人々の就業形態が多様化し、労働条件、職場環境も著しく変化しており、「社会の活力の基盤である働く人々の健康確保」は益々重要になり、本学に対する期待や果たすべき役割は一段と大きくなっています。

The University of Occupational and Environmental Health, Japan, as an educational institution for the training of qualified occupational physicians and the promotion of occupational health, was established in 1978 under the enactment of the Industrial Safety and Health Act of 1972 for the securement of occupational physicians experienced in occupational health management. By this act, every company over a certain scale is obliged to appoint a physician for managing the healthcare of its workers.

The purpose for which the university was established is two-fold. One is to provide education and to conduct research related to medical science, nursing science and other healthcare sciences, on the basis of the Fundamental Act of Education and School Education Act. The other is to contribute to the promotion of the medical, nursing and healthcare sciences that are relevant to the working environment and workers' health, and to develop medical professionals in these fields.

Based on the education, research and medical examinations relating to general medicine, our university promotes education and research that especially pertains to occupational medicine and occupational healthcare, and produces many excellent occupational health physicians and related healthcare professionals who are active in society. At the same time, we advance research in related fields and assume a central role in the healthcare of the local people.

As Japan is moving into a full-fledged era of falling birthrate and aging society, employment formats have become diversified, and working conditions and environments are experiencing dramatic changes. In such situations, it is becoming more important than ever "to ensure worker's health as the lifeblood of the social infrastructure". As a result, our university is expected to play a markedly increasing leadership role.