

Questions & Answers concerning the Facility for Short Stays

Q: When can one apply from?

A: Applications are accepted from 9:00 a.m. on the *same date* as the *first day* of your intended stay one month in advance of such stay. For example, if you want to stay from June 15, you can apply from May 15. In the case when the previous month does not have such a date, acceptance starts from the last day of the previous month.

Q: How can I make a reservation for a stay of several nights?

A: You can make a reservation for a continuous stay through the reservation system one month in advance of the *final night* of your continuous stay. When the final day of your stay is less than one month in advance, you can make your reservation by phone.

Q: Is a *yukata* [a Japanese bathrobe, used after a bath and for sleeping] included in the room fee?

A: A *yukata* and other amenity fees are not included in the room fee. You can rent a *yukata* and buy amenities at the front desk.

Q: Can students from other universities stay at the facility for short stays?

A: Students, including international students, cannot stay in this facility. However, students fitting into category #2 below are eligible.

The following types of persons are eligible to stay at the facility for short stays:

1. International researchers who engage in research or education and who are unaccompanied by their family
 - a. Specially appointed international faculty
 - b. Specially appointed international researchers
 - c. International researchers
 - d. International visiting researchers
 - e. Part-time international instructors
 - f. International researchers who visit the university to participate in a symposium and/or seminar held at the university
 - g. International researchers who visit the university to tour it or meeting for research
2. Researchers from other universities or research institutes engaged in joint research with the university
3. Patients of Osaka University Hospital or Osaka University Dental Hospital and/or their family members
4. Other individuals who are deemed eligible by the President