MUSC Health Overview

Since its founding in 1824, the Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC) has grown into one of the nation’s preeminent academic health science centers, with a nationally recognized clinical enterprise, MUSC Health, and six colleges that train approximately 2,600 health care professionals each year. As a leader in biomedical research, health education and clinical innovation, MUSC is at the forefront of the latest advances in medicine, resulting in improved care and better outcomes. Through our translation of discoveries into evidence-based practice, MUSC is changing what’s possible in enhancing health globally, regionally and locally.

MUSC Health
- MUSC Health represents the clinical enterprise, serving nearly one million patients annually throughout the state, nation and world. MUSC Health is comprised of:
  - MUSC Medical Center
  - MUSC Physicians
  - MUSC College of Medicine
- Leading medical research institution — $232 million in total external funding (FY 2013)
- $93.5 million in NIH (National Institutes of Health) funds
- Offers patients access to more clinical trials than any other institution in the state
- Serves the state of South Carolina through clinical outreach and Telehealth initiatives

MUSC Medical Center
As part of South Carolina’s most comprehensive clinical care delivery system, the MUSC Medical Center serves over 170,000 patients annually through four inpatient facilities, multiple centers of excellence and a vast network of hospital-based services.
- 709 beds in four inpatient facilities (plus 66 neonatal care beds)
- Medical University Hospital
- Ashley River Tower (Voted one of the 25 Most Beautiful Hospitals in the World)
- MUSC Children’s Hospital
- Institute of Psychiatry

MUSC Physicians
A statewide network of more than 750 primary and specialty care providers, MUSC Physicians represent the most comprehensive group of specialists and sub-specialists in South Carolina. Operating as the MUSC faculty practice plan, MUSC Physicians includes some of the most renowned clinicians in the world.

MUSC College of Medicine
In preparing medical students, residents and fellows for careers that exemplify the highest standards of clinical excellence, the MUSC College of Medicine plays an integral role in the research and clinical outreach that is changing what’s possible in the future of medicine.

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Awards and Recognition


Pediatric programs ranked top 50 in the nation
- Pediatric cardiology & heart surgery
- Pediatric nephrology

Adult programs ranked top 25% in the nation
- Cancer
- Ear, nose & throat
- Nephrology
- Neurology and neurosurgery
- Orthopaedics
- Pulmonology
- Urology

Most Wired Hospitals – 2014
- Recognized for innovation with health information technology by Hospitals and Health Networks

Most Connected – 2013
- Ranked by U.S. News & World Report as a Most Connected Hospital for meeting high standards for care and being in the forefront of electronic medical records

National Cancer Institute – 2014
- Hollings Cancer Center received a five-year extension of its NCI designation – one of only 68 cancer centers in the U.S.

100 Great Hospitals in America – 2014
- Named one of the 100 great hospitals in America by Becker’s Hospital Review

Top 12 Supply Chain Hospital – 2014
- Selected in the top 12 among 2800 hospitals by nonprofit ECRI Institute

Hospital Safety Score, Leap Frog – Spring 2014
- MUSC received an “A” rating for patient safety

Baby-Friendly Hospital – 2014
- Designated Baby-Friendly by the World Health Organization (WHO) and UNICEF for implementing a rigorous 10-step program

University Health Consortium
- Ranked 15th out of 116 academic medical centers in the nation for quality and accountability

Hospital of Choice
- Voted Charleston’s hospital of choice 17 years in a row by the National Research Corporation

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