University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus is the largest academic health center in the Rocky Mountain region. The campus includes the University of Colorado health professional schools, multiple centers and institutes, and two nationally ranked teaching hospitals that treat 1.7 million patients each year. All interconnected, these organizations collaboratively improve the quality of patient care they deliver, research they conduct, and health professionals they train.
Our clinical, research, education and service missions complement each other, resulting in the whole being greater than the sum of its parts.

A NATIONAL LEADER

11.3 MILLION GROSS SQUARE FEET of newly built training facilities for future health professionals

230 ACRES of land for patient care, research and education facilities

1.7 MILLION patient visits annually

21,000 employees

739 courses offered
43 fields of study / degree programs
6 schools and colleges
2 on-campus hospitals
60 centers and institutes

More than 90% of graduates recruited/placed each year
544 students directly involved in research

RANKED #5 for online graduate nursing
RANKED #5 for pediatrics
RANKED #7 for family medicine
RANKED #8 for primary care
RANKED #9 for rural medicine

1ST LIVER TRANSPLANT in the world
Created the VACCINE FOR SHINGLES
1ST TO USE HUMAN CELL CLONING to study genetics and cancer
1ST NURSE PRACTITIONER and SCHOOL NURSE programs in the U.S.

Discovered that naturally occurring blood proteins PREVENT THE AIDS VIRUS FROM REPRODUCING and spreading to healthy cells
At CU Anschutz, our professors are practicing clinicians and researchers who, along with their students, translate advances in the lab to improved patient care in the clinic. The research and innovation on our campus fuels the Colorado economy, leading to new companies, more jobs and medical treatments that improve lives.

- **$420 MILLION** in annual research grant awards (FY15)
- **1,936 PATENT applications filed** (FY02-15)
- **53 COMPANIES** formed (since 2002)
- **RANKED #4** in NIH funding for schools of pharmacy ($/PhD)
- **RANKED #9** in NIH awards for public university schools of medicine
- **CU CANCER CENTER:** highest cancer survival rates in the state, one of 45 “Comprehensive Centers” in U.S. designated by National Cancer Institute
University of Colorado Hospital ranked a Top 10 Academic Hospital in the U.S. by the University Health System Consortium (twice #1 in the last five years), and #1 in Colorado by U.S. News & World Report (2015).

More than half of the physicians named in 5280’s Survey of Denver Top Docs are CU faculty or volunteers who teach our students (2015).

Children’s Hospital Colorado consistently ranks among Top 5 Children’s Hospitals in the Country by U.S. News & World Report.

Formed in 2008, the collaborative Colorado School of Public Health has already risen to rank #31 Nationally by U.S. News & World Report (2015).

$1.6 Billion university budget (FY16)

Direct economic impact of $3.6 Billion, Greater than that of Colorado Ski Industry

Total Campus Economic Impact on Colorado (direct + indirect expenses): $5.6 Billion

More than $4 Billion in renovation and new construction since 1998

Startup companies based on technology from CU Anschutz attracted more than $914 Million in Venture Capital and other investment.
CU Anschutz is working for healthier communities throughout the Rocky Mountain region with local clinics, public health initiatives and education programs for students of all ages.

University faculty physicians and nurses treat patients in 500 CLINICS THROUGHOUT THE STATE, with 150 IN THE DENVER METRO AREA.

The School of Dental Medicine provides nearly 100,000 CLINICAL DENTAL VISITS each year, including care to many who live in Colorado’s rural and underserved counties.

The Colorado School of Public Health is a unique COLLABORATION among CU Anschutz, Colorado State University and the University of Northern Colorado to ADDRESS PUBLIC HEALTH NEEDS in the Rocky Mountain region.

The Community-Campus Partnership SUPPORTS THE COMMUNITY OF AURORA through educational pipeline programs, campus job opportunities, health care programs and community wealth building.

$52 MILLION IN CARE DONATED to charity and indigent patients (School of Medicine, FY2014).

CU Anschutz is developing ECHO (EXTENSION FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH OUTCOMES) COLORADO, which will use video teleconferencing to support the clinical capabilities of rural primary care providers.

The physicians at University of Colorado Hospital and Children's Hospital Colorado are also faculty members at the CU School of Medicine. Not just great doctors, they are scientists leading research projects and teachers who, to instruct the next generation of caregivers, embrace the latest in research and best ways to treat and prevent diseases.

FALL 2015 ENROLLMENT
4,275 total degree-seeking students—a 36% increase from FY2009

EACH YEAR, CU Anschutz graduates approximately:

- 664 Medical Students
- 572 Nurses
- 449 Dental Medicine
- 765 Pharmacy
- 455 Public Health
- 355 Physical Therapy
- 1015 Master’s & PhD
- 90 Physician Assistants
- 75 Physical Therapists
- 90 Dentists
- 131 Public Health Practitioners
- 160 Doctors
- 200 Pharmacists
- 360 Nurses

24% Students of Color
20% Out-of-State
“CU Anschutz is an amazing institution. We deliver the finest health care in the Rocky Mountain region, our research enterprise is nationally recognized and we are training the health care workforce of tomorrow. The secret is our faculty, who not only teach, but are among the very best practicing health care providers and researchers.”

– Don Elliman
Chancellor, CU Anschutz Medical Campus

In FY2014-15, a record 21 patents were granted, 98 invention disclosures were made and four more start-up companies were formed from CU Anschutz research and innovation.

Of the more than 32,000 reported CU Anschutz alumni, 54% reside in Colorado, improving health throughout the state.

The salary of health care occupations associated with degree programs offered by CU Anschutz is nearly twice the average of all occupations.

As of 2014, over half of technology licenses for CU Anschutz technology were granted to companies in Colorado.

More than 13 “Little Clinics” operate along Colorado’s Front Range. A collaboration between CU Anschutz, University Physicians, Inc., and King Soopers, they promote and deliver affordable health care while offering valuable clinical training to CU Anschutz nursing students.

The Barbara Davis Center for Diabetes is one of the largest programs specializing in type 1 diabetes research and care in the world.