

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT SAN ANTONIO

# WE MAKE LIVES BETTER.®

Our mission is to make lives better through excellence in education, research, health care and community engagement.



## OUR VISION

To be a world-class academic health center transforming health and health care for a diverse society.

## SIGNIFICANT ECONOMIC IMPACT ON THE COMMUNITY'S FISCAL HEALTH

UT Health San Antonio is a dedicated community partner, and it is through our academic, research and health care initiatives that we serve San Antonio and south Texas residents. Playing a vital role in the fiscal health of the region, UT Health San Antonio is an important engine of growth for our local and state economy with direct impact on the labor market, research and development, as well as investment in the local market related to expansion of services.



UT Health San Antonio is recognized on Forbes magazine's list of Best-in-State Employers in 2021 and 2022.

### \$3.2 BILLION GENERATED IN ECONOMIC IMPACT

While we prepare students for careers in health care, we provide environments for scientists to investigate and contribute solutions to the biosciences communities locally, nationally and internationally. We also serve the complex health care needs of patients in a 32-county service area, most of which are treated in San Antonio, with advanced services available nowhere else in South Texas. The purposes that drive the educational and research missions of our academic health center are all directed toward the advancement of health care for South Texans. In this way, the intertwined efforts of our education, research and patient care missions unite to create a strong economic engine for San Antonio's and the region's economies. (FY21)

### \$296 MILLION IN CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

UT Health San Antonio is investing in the health of Bexar County and regional residents with the development of a multispecialty and research hospital. Within this \$430 million best-in-class hospital, the first of its kind in our region, research and patient care will set a precedent for being seamlessly connected. Expected to open in 2024, this hospital will be powered by the best minds in medicine — more than 1,000 of the foremost experts in complex diseases related to cancer, neurology, orthopaedics, ENT, urology, spine, thoracic surgery and bariatrics. (FY21)

### \$360 MILLION IN TOTAL SPONSORED PROGRAM AWARD AND RESEARCH ACTIVITY (FY22); ON TRACK FOR \$400 MILLION (FY23)

UT Health San Antonio's research initiatives fuel San Antonio's health care and bioscience economy. Our partnership network includes centers and institutes of UT Health San Antonio, other health care systems, regional key enterprises of the life sciences industry and military organizations involved in basic and applied research.

### \$633.1 MILLION (FY22) FOR UNCOMPENSATED CARE

Our mission is to care of all those who seek our care, especially our most vulnerable — those who do not have the resources to pay for health care services. [Based on gross charges.]

### 17,710 JOBS CREATED AND SUSTAINED (FY21)

UT Health San Antonio supports a combined total of 17,710 created or sustained jobs (employees plus contractors/construction workers/interns).

We contribute to local and state economies through our expenditures on operations, capital projects and wages, the spending of students off campus and the spending of patient visitors (who reside outside of Bexar County) seeking medical and dental care at UT Health San Antonio.

UT Health San Antonio's FY21 Economic Impact Study prepared by Steven R. Nivin, PhD, LLC of Steven R. Nivin Economic Research & Consulting.



# EDUCATION

We are one of 13 UT System institutions. Our Fall 2022 student enrollment is 3,527, with an additional 921 medical residents and 154 post-graduate trainees. Each year, we graduate approximately 200 physicians, 400 nurses, 100 dentists, another 560 health professionals and 130 scientists.



**In 2021, The University of Texas System Board of Regents recognized that the region's persistent disparities in key health outcomes require a public health approach and voted to authorize UT Health San Antonio and UTSA to develop a new school focused on public health policy, The UT School of Public Health San Antonio. A student census of almost 400 is planned within the school's first five years, with a Master of Public Health degree to be offered beginning in 2024 and a Doctor of Public Health degree program to be developed.**

- Designated as a Hispanic-Serving Institution (HSI) by the U.S. Department of Education, UT Health San Antonio consistently ranks among the top schools in the nation for graduating Hispanic health care providers. U.S. News & World Report again ranked the Long School of Medicine as the best medical school in the state for diversity for 2023.
- UT Health San Antonio is one of only 11 institutions with National Institutes of Health-funded D.D.S./Ph.D. and M.D./Ph.D. programs.
- UT Health San Antonio was named a 2022 Fulbright Hispanic-Serving Institution (HSI) Leader by the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. This designation recognizes noteworthy engagement that the selected HSIs have achieved with the Fulbright Scholar Program, the U.S. government's leading international educational exchange program.

- The Long School of Medicine matched 99% of its graduating class of 2022 to a residency program of choice, exceeding the national match rate. Among residency applicants, 20% matched at UT Health San Antonio programs, 22% will stay in San Antonio and 57% will remain in Texas.
- The Long School of Medicine was ranked 47th in research, and 36th in primary care, among all medical schools in the country by U.S. News & World Report for 2023.
- Exam pass rates for UT Health San Antonio students are among the nation's highest. Students in the School of Health Professions have an average pass rate of 99% for licensing exams in all programs. Also in 2022, in the School of Dentistry, both dental students and dental hygiene students have a pass rate of 100% on the Western Regional Examining Board exams. School of Nursing students have attained first-time pass rates of 96% on the National Council Licensure Examination.
- The School of Health Professions is 1 of only 7 institutions in the U.S. to offer an entry-level Master of Science in Respiratory Care degree.
- The School of Health Professions will launch a new Master of Science in Imaging Sciences program to train

imaging technologists in radiography, computed tomography (CT) and magnetic resonance imaging (MRI). This new program, coming in August 2023, will be the only one of its kind in the country.

- The School of Nursing's Bachelor of Science in Nursing program ranks in the top 5% of all BSN programs nationally.
- The School of Dentistry has been ranked 16th among all U.S. dental schools by two organizations — National Institutes of Health (NIH) funding (2021) and the Global Ranking of Academic Subjects, also called ShanghaiRanking (2022).
- To meet the dental health care needs of the community, the School of Dentistry trains its pre-doctoral students in 200 operating suites throughout its 198,000-square-foot Center for Oral Health Care and Research.
- On average, 1,500 students contribute more than 19,000 service hours annually in San Antonio, South Texas and abroad through an interdisciplinary Community Service Learning program. Students provide free health care, screenings and education through free clinics, global health experiences and more.

**60**  
**ACADEMIC**  
**PROGRAMS**

With the Master of Science in Imaging Sciences program beginning in August of 2023, our schools will offer more than 60 professional, graduate and undergraduate degree and certificate programs.



## RESEARCH & DISCOVERY

UT Health San Antonio is the largest academic research institution in San Antonio and South Texas. From our notable research findings published in leading journals around the world, to our revolutionary advancements in the treatment of Alzheimer's and other age-related diseases, cancer and diabetes, our experts pursue powerful scientific solutions for society.

**\$44.1**  
BILLION

UT Health San Antonio is a chief catalyst for the \$44.1 billion health care and biosciences sector of the San Antonio economy, the city's largest economic sector.

- UT Health San Antonio is ranked in the top 3% worldwide for all organizations that receive National Institutes of Health funding.
- The Glenn Biggs Institute for Alzheimer's and Neurodegenerative Diseases is one of 33 centers in the nation — and the only one in Texas — recognized as a National Institute on Aging (NIA)- designated Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. It is dedicated to transforming the treatment of dementia through patient care, resources, innovative research and clinical trials for patients and their families affected by Alzheimer's and related dementias.
- UT Health San Antonio leads the world's largest research group focused on PTSD and other psychological health conditions affecting military personnel, veterans and first responders, with over 80 projects that have garnered more than \$200 million primarily in federal funding. Research findings are impacting clinical practice guidelines and, importantly, improving lives.
- The Sam and Ann Barshop Institute for Longevity and Aging Studies is one of the world's premier institutes dedicated to the study of age-related diseases and is the only aging-intensive research institute in the country to have four designations: two National Institute on Aging-funded centers (Nathan Shock and Claude D. Pepper), a testing site of the NIA-sponsored Interventions Testing Program and a U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Geriatric Research, Education and Clinical Center.
- The Office of Technology Commercialization works with life science partners from more than 18 countries, spanning three continents, to bring impactful new patient treatments to fruition.
- UT Health San Antonio has more than 1,700 ongoing research studies that involve humans, including 450 clinical trials. These clinical trials range from endodontics and respiratory care to diabetes treatments and cancer therapies.
- The Greehey Children's Cancer Research Institute is one of only two institutes in the U.S. dedicated solely to pediatric cancer research. It has 18 laboratories that focus on cancer genomics, DNA repair, RNA biology and lung development in order to find new and less toxic treatments for childhood cancers.
- The School of Nursing has received \$98 million in national, state and local funding over the past eight years for its designed and implemented programs and research focused on harm reduction and substance abuse disorder recovery.



# PATIENT CARE

Our comprehensive network of medical, dental and nursing specialists provides every patient the most complete care available using the latest in medical treatments. Our research translates from the bench to the bedside as our faculty offer clinical treatment based on the latest laboratory findings.

**2.6**  
MILLION  
PATIENT VISITS  
PER YEAR

UT Health San Antonio has hundreds of doctors, nurses, dentists, physician assistants and other health professionals offering care at dozens of locations across the community.

## PHYSICIAN PRACTICE

UT Health Physicians, the medical practice of the Joe R. and Teresa Lozano Long School of Medicine, offers convenient, comprehensive patient care visits, in live video and in-person formats, through more than 1,400 providers in over 100 specialties and subspecialties. Our physicians comprise the largest medical practice in Central and South Texas, with dozens of locations throughout San Antonio, the Hill Country and Laredo.

[UTHealthCare.org](http://UTHealthCare.org)



UT Health San Antonio offers MyChart for 24/7 secure and confidential access to medical records right from a smartphone or computer. MyChart users can get timely test results, schedule appointments, view previous lab results, pay bills and copays and exchange messages with their health care providers from anywhere.



Our commitment to providing excellent care has earned national recognition with every primary care location being awarded the Patient-Centered Medical Home rating from the National Committee for Quality Assurance. The patient-centered medical home model is proven to build better relationships between providers and patients, improve patients' experience and reduce overall health care costs.



Consumers rank UT Health Physicians an average of 4.8 out of 5 stars in more than 137,000 patient care satisfaction ratings.





## MAYS CANCER CENTER

The Mays Cancer Center, home to UT Health San Antonio MD Anderson, is transforming cancer care to better serve our unique community in San Antonio and South Texas. As the only National Cancer Institute-designated cancer center in South Texas, our multidisciplinary care teams and scientists are working together to find better ways to prevent, diagnose and treat cancer through life-changing discoveries that lead to more treatment options. Through our partnership with MD Anderson Cancer Center, patients in our region have local access to MD Anderson's world-renowned cancer protocols and treatment innovations.

[MaysCancerCenter.org](https://MaysCancerCenter.org)



## DENTAL PRACTICE

UT Dentistry offers superb dental care in nine specialty clinics staffed by more than 100 faculty experts and 600 residents and students. Comprehensive patient care is provided with the backing of our top-ranked School of Dentistry.

[UTDentistry.org](https://UTDentistry.org)



## NURSING PRACTICE

Wellness 360 is a nurse-led program of UT Health San Antonio, providing comprehensive primary care for adults and pediatrics — including specialized care such as behavioral health, nutrition counseling and occupational health — for employees, students and families.

[Wellness360.uthealthsa.org](https://Wellness360.uthealthsa.org)



## MULTISPECIALTY AND RESEARCH HOSPITAL

In 2021, UT Health San Antonio broke ground on a 144-bed hospital. The UT Health San Antonio Multispecialty and Research Hospital is expected to open in 2024 and will offer specialty care in cancer, orthopaedics, urology and thoracic and bariatric surgery.

[UTHealthSAHospital.org](https://UTHealthSAHospital.org)

## BE WELL TEXAS

Be Well Texas at UT Health San Antonio is working to transform how people living with substance use disorder and non-severe mental illness throughout Texas are cared for and treated. The program provides high-quality, evidence-based treatment to people with or without insurance or the ability to pay. Interprofessional teams of scientists and practitioners, including 133 community-based organizations and hospital partners, are improving quality and access to treatment and recovery support services. The newest endeavor is the Be Well Texas Clinic, offering virtual visits to people anywhere in Texas and in-person visits in San Antonio.

[BeWellTexas.org](https://BeWellTexas.org)





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**ESTABLISHED 1959;  
DOORS OPENED 1968**

William L. Henrich, M.D.,  
MACP, President

**\$360  
MILLION**

**TOTAL SPONSORED  
PROGRAM AWARD AND  
RESEARCH ACTIVITY  
(FY22), ON TRACK  
FOR \$400M (FY23)**

**7,930**

**TOTAL  
WORKFORCE**

**2,324**

**TOTAL  
FACULTY**

**3,527**

**ENROLLMENT  
FALL 2022**

**1,075**

**MEDICAL RESIDENTS  
& POST-GRADUATE  
TRAINEES**

**EIGHT**

**NATIONAL  
ACADEMY  
OF MEDICINE  
MEMBERS**

**41,100+**

**TOTAL NUMBER  
OF GRADUATES**

**500**

**INTERNATIONAL  
STUDENTS &  
SCHOLARS**



**A CHIEF CATALYST FOR THE**

**\$44.1  
BILLION**

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sector of the San Antonio  
economy



Among the

**TOP-RANKED**

institutions in Texas for

**AGING RESEARCH**

funding from the National  
Institute on Aging

**\$1.23  
BILLION**

**EXPENSE BUDGET  
FY23**

**\$778  
MILLION**

**ENDOWMENTS  
FY22**



**\$633.1  
MILLION**

In uncompensated health care  
services provided annually by  
UT Health San Antonio FY22



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