



Academics Program Highlights

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Academic programs at GHS are expanding, developing resources and providing for the future of medical care in the Upstate. Your gift helps in the pursuit of our vision to transform health care for our community.

Match Day Success

For a second consecutive year, graduating students from the University of South Carolina (USC) School of Medicine Greenville celebrated a 100 percent residency placement rate—eclipsing the national match rate average by 6 percent!

Respected institutions across the country securing a USC School of Medicine Greenville resident placement include Duke University Medical Center, Ohio State University Medical Center, Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center, Emory University,

On Match Day, students learn where they will fulfill their residency programs. Historically, 94 percent of U.S. medical school graduates match on the first try—at GHS, that number is 100 percent!



Kaiser Permanente, Washington Hospital Center, Vanderbilt University Medical Center and our own Greenville Health System.

Match Day takes place annually on the third Friday in March for all allopathic (MD) medical schools in the United States. The Class of 2017—made up of 51 students—became the second class in the history of USC School of Medicine Greenville to reach this remarkable feat.



Clemson Nursing School Expansion

On January 30, Greenville Health System (GHS) and Clemson University broke ground for a collaborative \$31.5 million, 78,255-square-foot clinical learning and research building on Greenville Memorial Medical Campus. The new Clemson University Center for Nursing, Health Research and Innovation facility will expand the Clemson and GHS Bachelor of Science in nursing (BSN) degree program from 352 students to 800 enrollees over the next six years.

The goal of the school is to ease the Upstate's nursing shortage. According to the American Association of Colleges of Nursing, the nursing shortage nationwide could top one million jobs by 2022.

Clemson University Center for Nursing, Health Research and Innovation is slated to open in 2018.

Follow USC School of Medicine Greenville students as they blog their way through med school. A recent post begins: "About three months ago, I got a call that changed my world." Hooked? Visit transformingmedschool.com.



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