

DENTAL SCHOOL

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The distinguished history of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery is filled with prominent names in the dental profession, most notably Drs. Horace H. Hayden and Chapin A. Harris. Both men led the effort to establish formal dental education in the United States. The University of Maryland was the first institution in history to offer a course in dental education, creating a prototype for dental schools in other American cities.

Founded in 1840, the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery merged with the Dental Department of the Baltimore Medical College in 1923. During the past 166 years, the Dental School has maintained its position of leadership in dental education and oral health care. The School offers comprehensive and innovative professional and graduate programs: baccalaureate and master's degrees in dental hygiene; the doctor of dental surgery degree; advanced specialty education in seven disciplines, including an oral-maxillofacial surgery and MD program; two advanced general dentistry programs; and professional development courses.

In 2006, the Dental School moved into a new, state-of-the-art, digital facility, making it the first school in the United States equipped with this level of modern, innovative technology. Based on research funding, the Dental School is ranked among the top 10 U.S. dental schools by the National Institutes of Health.

Allied Health Program

Dental Hygiene

www.dental.umaryland.edu/dentalprograms/hygiene

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GRADUATE SCHOOL

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Graduate studies began at the Baltimore campus of the University of Maryland (UMB) in 1917. Today, the Graduate School in partnership with UMB's professional schools of dentistry, medicine, nursing, pharmacy, and social work offers 23 Master of Science (MS) and Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) degree programs in health, biomedical, social, and population sciences.

All doctoral students are actively engaged in research with faculty members to address some of society's most pressing problems and biomedical research's most challenging questions in basic and translational research. These efforts, supported by almost \$450 million in research grants and contracts in Fiscal Year 2008, are undertaken collaboratively with the National Institutes of Health, the National Science Foundation, the University of Maryland Medical Center, the Baltimore Veterans Affairs Medical Center, the University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute, and others.

The Graduate School offers joint degrees with the University's professional schools including MD/PhD, PharmD/PhD, and DDS/PhD degree programs. It also coordinates interinstitutional studies in biochemistry, gerontology, toxicology, and other University System of Maryland graduate programs.

SCHOOL OF LAW

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For nearly two centuries, the School of Law has educated many leaders of the practicing bar and bench as well as leaders of the business and political communities. The physical building and its surroundings provide a superb venue for instruction and learning. The School of Law's interior courtyard, with its waterfall fountain, provides an area of tranquility and respite for the School of Law community. The Ceremonial Courtroom has provided a venue for a number of courts including the Court of Special Appeals of Maryland and the United States Court of Appeals for the 4th Circuit.

The School's emphasis on "real world" programs includes a strong commitment to interdisciplinary education and scholarship. A multitude of dual-degree opportunities and experience-based learning also encourage exploration of the intersection of theory and practice. Nationally recognized programs in Law and Health Care and in Environmental Law reach across professional boundaries and offer students the opportunity to specialize in cutting-edge areas of legal practice. Programs in International Law and in Business and Intellectual Property feature both traditional classroom instruction and supervised externships and field placements.

In recent decades, the greatest change in legal education has been the advent of clinical education, where law students—under faculty supervision—represent clients in actual cases in much the same way that medical residents and interns are educated. A leader in this area with more than 35 years of experience, the School has been continually recognized as having one of the very best clinical programs in the country. Clinical students and faculty members represent groups as diverse as AIDS patients, local governmental units in environmental compliance matters, and emerging entrepreneurs in the biotechnology area.

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SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

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The foundation was laid for the School of Medicine in 1789 when three Baltimore physicians organized themselves into the Medical Society of Baltimore. They began lecturing on anatomy, surgery, and chemistry in an effort to train young physicians, whose numbers had greatly diminished after the Revolutionary War. Soon the three doctors petitioned the state legislature to establish a college of medicine under the protection of the law. The request was approved Dec. 18, 1807, as was a lottery to raise money for the fledgling College of Medicine. In 1810, the first degrees of Doctor of Medicine were awarded to five men.

Determined that the School have its own facility, Baltimore physician John Beale Davidge and two friends, James Shaw and James Cocke, purchased a parcel of land from Baltimore landowner John Eager Howard. The current site was chosen after buildings previously occupied by the School were destroyed.

Davidge Hall, the first building of what was to become the University System of Maryland, was built in 1812, and it remains the most tangible evidence of the way medicine was taught in the early 19th century. In 1823, the Baltimore Infirmary was built on the corner of Lombard and Greene streets. It was the first hospital founded by a medical school for the purpose of clinical instruction. The School of Medicine was the first in the nation to open its hospital wards for bedside teaching, a major advance in medical education. The hospital also was the site of the first intramural residency training program in the United States. Senior medical students lived in the hospital while helping to care for patients.

Today, the School of Medicine is a hub of biomedical research activity. The School is in the top 10 percent of public medical schools in National Institutes of Health research funding and has been ranked in the top 25 percent of the nation's medical schools for program quality.

Allied Health Programs

Genetic Counseling

www.medschool.umaryland.edu/genetics/

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Medical and Research Technology

www.medschool.umaryland.edu/dmrt

Location: Allied Health Building, 340

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Physical Therapy

www.pt.umaryland.edu

Location: Allied Health Building, 115

Phone: 6-7720

Combined Degree Programs

MD/PhD

<http://mdphd.umaryland.edu/default.asp>

Location: 20 Penn St., S012

Phone: 6-3990

MD/MS Program in Preventive Medicine

<http://medschool.umaryland.edu/Epidemiology>

Location: Howard Hall, 109

Phone: 6-3553

MD/MPH Program

http://medschool.umaryland.edu/MD_MPH/default.asp

Location: Medical School Teaching Facility, 300

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Graduate Program in Life Sciences

<http://lifesciences.umaryland.edu/Pages/default.aspx>

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Founded in 1889, the School of Nursing is one of the leading research institutions in the nation. Currently ranked among the top seven schools in the nation by *U.S. News & World Report*, the School enrolls more than 1,700 students in its baccalaureate, master's, and doctoral programs. The School emphasizes the integration of research, teaching, and clinical practice, and serves regional, national, and international audiences.

The School has pioneered a variety of innovative educational programs, including the world's first Nursing Informatics program and Maryland's first Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) program.

A variety of flexible and combined programs are offered to accelerate degree completion. These include the RN to MS program, the Clinical Nurse Leader master's program, post-baccalaureate entry option into the PhD program, and the MS/MBA and MBA/PhD programs offered in cooperation with the Robert G. Merrick School of Business at the University of Baltimore, the College of Business at Frostburg State University, and the Robert H. Smith School of Business at the University of Maryland, College Park.

The School has expanded access to nursing education by extending its programs to several outreach sites within the state of Maryland. The School continues to expand its use of telecommunications and other distance-learning technology for off-campus, continuing education, and international programs. The RN to BSN degree option, post-master's program in informatics, and many individual courses are available online.

SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

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The School of Pharmacy, founded in 1841, is the fourth oldest school of pharmacy in the nation. Its mission is to enhance health through innovative pharmaceutical education, research, practice, and public service. It is ranked ninth in the nation by *U.S. News & World Report*. In fall 2007, the School's PharmD program expanded to the Universities of Shady Grove with 40 students.

The School of Pharmacy is comprised of three departments: Pharmacy Practice and Science (PPS), Pharmaceutical Sciences (PSC), and Pharmaceutical Health Services Research (PHSR). PPS promotes the health and well-being of the public by advancing the practice of pharmacy and generating and disseminating new knowledge related to pharmacy practice and drug use. PSC conducts state-of-the-art research and discovery in the areas of cellular biology, neuroscience, pharmacology, and biopharmaceutical drug delivery. PHSR provides teaching, service, and scholarly activities related to the behavioral sciences, pharmacoepidemiology, and regulatory issues. In addition to cutting-edge research in drug delivery mechanisms, cost impact studies, basic drug discovery and development, and disease management, the School engages in a wide variety of professional practice activities, partnering with more than 200 community pharmacies, hospitals, nursing homes, and other agencies to provide services to citizens and practitioners around the state and nation.

The School of Pharmacy is a comprehensive institution, offering not only the Doctor of Pharmacy degree, but also post-PharmD residency and fellowship opportunities, two Doctor of Philosophy programs training independent scientists, and a variety of dual degree programs with business, law, public health, and the pharmaceutical sciences. The School also reaches out to the community every day, and engages in scholarship that will contribute enormously to the health and well-being of society. A wide range of clinical service programs provide excellent pharmaceutical care to

patients, including community outreach programs that touch thousands of individuals through the Maryland Poison Center and the Peter Lamy Center for Drug Therapy and Aging. The School's research program in pharmaceutical health services and pharmaceutical sciences is at the forefront of scholarly advances through the Center on Drugs and Public Policy, the Computer-Aided Drug Design Center, the Center for Nanomedicine and Cellular Delivery, the Pharmaceutical Research Computing Center, and the Center for Drug Safety.

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

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The School of Social Work, established in 1961, is the largest graduate school of social work in the state. The School was born on the verge of the enormous social upheaval of the 1960s, consolidated its programs during the cultural reversals of the 1970s and 1980s, and marked its 40th anniversary in 2001 as one of the nation's largest and best schools.

It was founded to prepare Master of Social Work practitioners for service in Maryland, and to provide an alternative for Marylanders who had historically commuted out of state to study for the master's degree. The School was deliberately situated in the shadow of housing projects and vacant lots, in a city whose celebrated renaissance was then but a glimmer.

The School is part of an important chapter in Baltimore's remarkable tradition of social service, a tradition matched by only a few American cities.

Faculty are known for their innovative work with child and family welfare, community practice, welfare reform, HIV and AIDS, and other critical issues.

The School offers four dual-degree programs: the MSW/MBA with the University of Maryland, College Park; the MSW/JD with the School of Law; the MSW/MA (Jewish Communal Services) with Towson University; and the MSW/MPH with the University of Maryland School of Medicine or the Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health. The School also offers a strong continuing education program.