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## Overview of the UAMS Academic Enterprise

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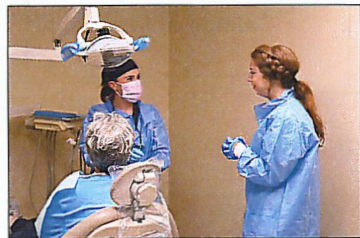


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## Academic Enterprise



*Our cutting-edge Simulation Education program teaches using high-tech manikins.*



*A dental hygiene student and a nursing student prepare to conduct an oral exam at the 12<sup>th</sup> Street Health and Wellness Center.*



*In our culinary medicine teaching kitchen, students learn about cooking healthier and how to talk to patients about improving their diet – whether to manage a chronic condition or during and after pregnancy.*

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## Academic Enterprise



### University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

- 3,485 students (Fall 2024)
- 997 medical residents and fellows
- 7 dental residents
- Nearly 2,200 faculty members plus 700 volunteers or adjunct faculty members
- 61 degree and certificate programs

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## Academic Enterprise



University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

College of Health Professions

College of Nursing

College of Medicine

College of Pharmacy

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College of Public Health

Graduate School

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## College of Health Professions

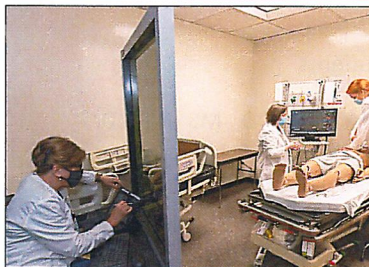
- 1,641 students
- 15 allied health programs, with 100% employment by graduates seeking a job in their profession after graduation
- Degrees: Au.D. (**Audiology**), OTD (**Occupational Therapy**), PT (**Physical Therapy**) MS (**Speech-Language Pathology, Clinical Nutrition, Dietetics, Genetic Counseling, Physician Assistant, Respiratory Care**), BS (**Dental Hygiene, Cytology, Medical Laboratory Sciences, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Nuclear Medicine Imaging, Radiologic Imaging, Respiratory Care**)
- Only audiology, cytology and genetic counseling programs in Arkansas; only bachelor's degree programs in nuclear medicine imaging and respiratory care



*Audiology clinic (above); cytology class (below)*

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## College of Nursing



*College of Nursing Innovative Practice and Simulation Center*



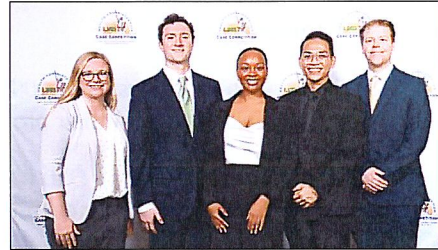
*Nursing students strengthening skills*

- 428 students
- Degrees: BSN, Accelerated BSN, MNSc, RN-to-MNSc, Ph.D., DNP, Post-Grad Certificate
- Outstanding RN exam first-time pass rates (96.7%) for BSN graduates in traditional and accelerated nursing programs
- National recognition: BSN program rated in top 10% in nation by U.S. News
- New and future programs: Accelerated BSN, Nurse Anesthetist, Midwifery

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## College of Public Health

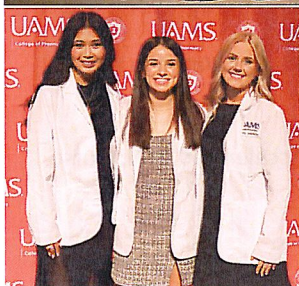
- 150 students
- Degrees: MPH (**Biostatistics, Epidemiology, Environmental Health Sciences, Health Behavior and Education, Health Policy and Management, Global Public Health**), Master of Health Administration, Master of Science in Healthcare Data Analytics
- At least 96% of graduates are employed within one year of graduation in various fields across the state and nation



Health administration students (above); an Environmental Health Sciences student and intern receive instruction in the lab.

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## College of Pharmacy

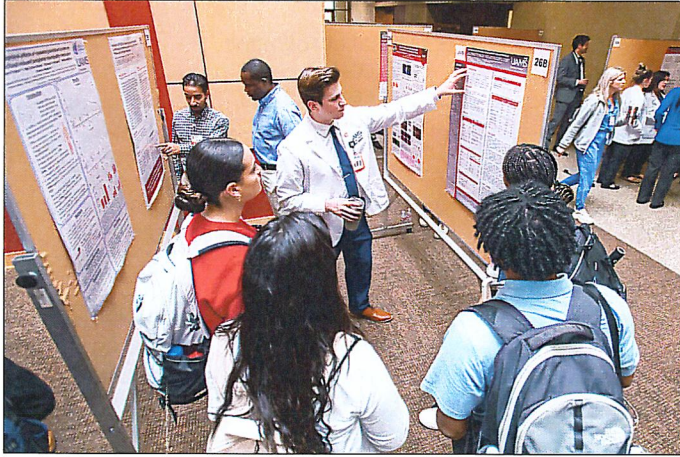


(Above) Seniors pose with signs showing their pharmacy residency destination. Three members of the Class of 2028 (below) receive their white coats.

- 325 students
- Degrees: Pharm.D., MS or Ph.D. (**Pharmaceutical Sciences, Pharmaceutical Evaluation & Policy**), Pharm.D./MBA, Pharm.D./MPH, Pharm.D./MS-PEP, Pharm.D./JD, Pharm.D./Ph.D, Certificate (**Entrepreneurship, Nuclear Pharmacy**)
- 70% of practicing pharmacists in the state trained at UAMS

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## Graduate School



*Student Research Day*

- 235 students
- Degrees: MS and Ph.D. (Bioinformatics, Biomedical Informatics, Clinical and Translational Sciences, Interdisciplinary Biomedical Sciences), Certificate (Biomedical Informatics, Clinical and Translational Sciences, Implementation Science, Regulatory Science, Health Sciences Innovation and Entrepreneurship)

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## College of Medicine

- 706 students
- 997 Residents/Fellows
- Degrees: M.D., M.D./MPH, M.D./Ph.D., M.D./MBA



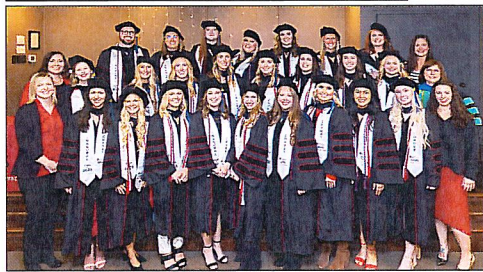
*The Sectra Table allows students to explore human anatomy using 3D virtual technology.*

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# UAMS Northwest



Physical therapy

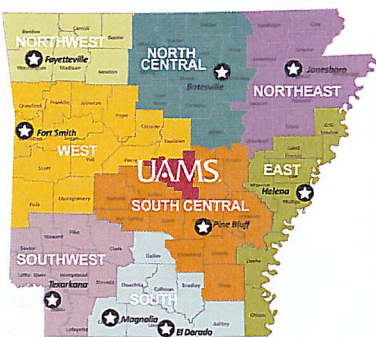


Inaugural OT graduating class in 2022

- 339 total enrollment
  - 73 COM
  - 31 COP
  - 46 CON
  - 189 CHP
- Degrees: PT, accelerated MD and RN, OT (with UA) programs
- PT, OT programs achieving national recognition

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# Regional Campuses



## Regional Campuses

- Medical and residency training
- Nursing student rotations
- Physician Assistant student rotations
- MASH program



High school students participating in the MASH program.

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# Academic Pathways Programs



  
Pathways  
Academy RAMP-  
UP Program

  
Health Careers  
Opportunity  
Program  
(HCOP)

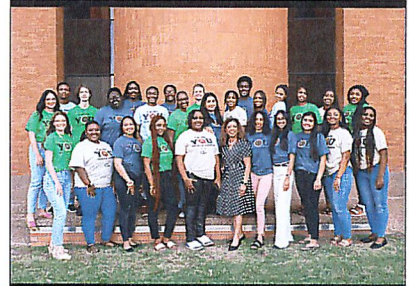
  
Summer  
Research  
Internship  
(SRI) Program



  
Pre-Medical  
Summer  
Scholars (PMSS)  
Program

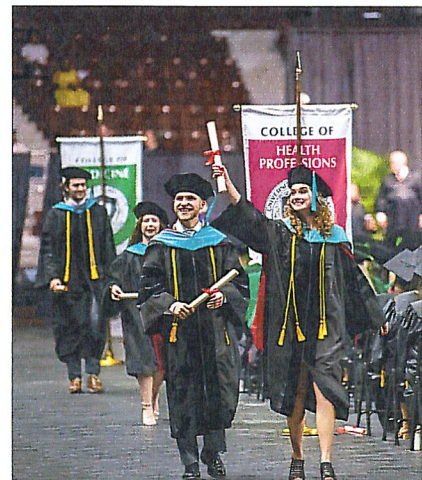
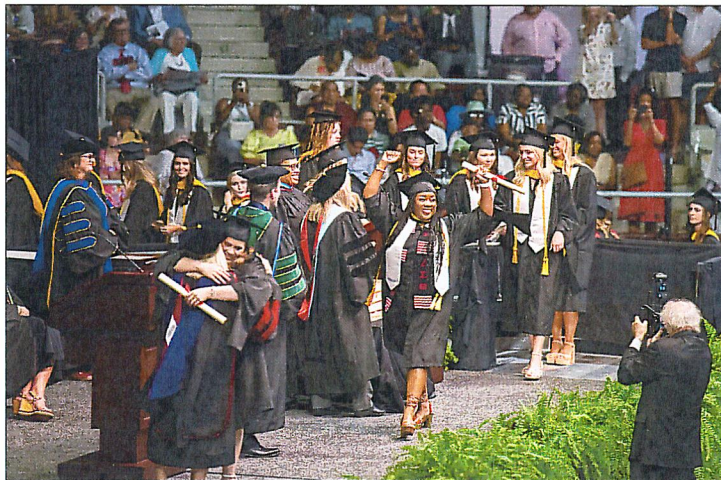
  
Pre-Health  
Scholars (PHSP)  
Program

*Pre-Health  
Scholars  
(right);  
Pharmacy  
Camp (below)*



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