



Health Sciences

2024 FAST FACTS

Six comprehensive top-ranked schools of human health sciences with \$1B+ in research & development expenditures

U.S. News & World Report

20 programs ranked globally 27 ranked nationally

Tier 1: Best Medical Schools for Research

#1

Occupational Therapy #2

Nurse Anesthesia (CRNA) #4

Nursino (BSN)

#5

Speech-Language Pathology #5

Nurse Practitioner (DNP): Psychiatric/Mental Health, Across the Lifespan

#6

Audiology

#8

Physical Therapy

#9

Pharmacy

Blue Ridge Institute for Medical Research Rankings of National Institutes of Health (NIH) Funding

#6

University of Pittsburgh ranks #6 in funding to institutions (\$661.2M), 94% (\$622M) generated by Pitt Health Sciences

#6

to Schools of Public Health (\$59.8M) #8

to Schools of Medicine (\$535M)

#10

to Schools of Nursing (\$8.4M) #13

to Schools of Allied Health Professions (\$5M)

14 School of Medicine departments ranked in Top 10; 19 departments ranked in Top 20*

* Includes awards to Magee-Womens Research Institute and Foundation to Pitt faculty

Research & Development

Of 914 U.S. universities:

Top 2% in externally funded R&D expenditures (\$1.4B); \$1.2B in life sciences

#5 in spending from Department of Health and Human Services

#10 from federal resources

Top 10 in 3 life science categories:

#6 in Life Sciences

#8 in Health Sciences

#9 in Biological and Biomedical Sciences

Source: National Science Foundation Higher Education Research and Development (HERD) Survey.

TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS

Top 6% in Medical and Health of 1,150 universities worldwide Top 8% in Life Sciences of 1,143 universities worldwide

Source: Rankings released Oct. 2024.

QS WORLD UNIVERSITY SUBJECT RANKINGS

Top 8% in Medicine of 721 universities worldwide

Top 15% in Nursing of 200 universities worldwide

Top 15% in Life Sciences and Medicine of 550 universities worldwide

Source: Rankings released April 2024.





Faculty Productivity & Recognition

- 3,536 active research awards representing
- 1,871 principal investigators
- **5** National Academy of Sciences Members
- 6 American Academy of Arts and Sciences Members
- 9 National Academy of Inventors Fellows
- **18** National Academy of Medicine Members
- 19 Clarivate Highly Cited Researchers
- 228 Distinguished and Endowed Professors

172 Academic Programs:

Dental Medicine 17

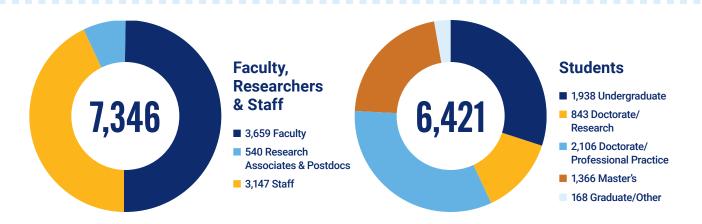
Health and Rehabilitation Sciences 36

Medicine 27

Nursing 36

Pharmacy 5

Public Health 51



ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL

Dental Medicine

456

Health and Rehabilitation Sciences

2,025

Medicine

1,287

Nursing

1,135

Pharmacy

538

Public Health

980

Innovation

National Academy of Inventors, U.S. Utility Patents Rankings: Top 20 of U.S. Universities

Association of University Technology Managers Licensing Activity:

Top 15 in issued U.S. patents and deals

Top 20 in invention disclosures and startups

In 2024, Pitt Health Sciences accounted for 79% of University-wide innovation:

- 323 U.S. and international patent applications filed
- 283 invention disclosures
- 116 licenses/options/deals
- 78 U.S.-issued patents
- 11 startups

Sources: NAI 2024 Top 100 Worldwide Universities Granted U.S. Utility Patents; AUTM 2023 Licensing Activity Survey; Pitt Innovation Institute 2024 data.

Collaboration, Engagement & Global Impact

42 Shared Research Cores

Research centers, institutes and hubs

- Dental Medicine: 7 (plus 17 patient care practices/services)
- Medicine: 60+
- Nursing: 8
- Pharmacy: 7
- Public Health: 18
- Health and Rehabilitation Sciences: 3

Educational and Research Partners in 45+ Countries

50+ Community Engagement Programs

62,175 living alumni in 57 countries



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