



Increasing our capacity for **growth** and **innovation**

Advancing the health of people in Massachusetts and around the world depends on robust, sustained investment in medical education and research. This means training more clinicians and scientists who are prepared to succeed in a transformed health care landscape and accelerating biomedical research for new and better therapeutics.

At UMass Chan, we're bolstering our capacity for both. The new education and research building expands campus facilities to support the growth of laboratory research and the educational enterprise.

Igniting sparks of scientific discovery through **collaboration**

The new education and research building will be an incubator of scientific collaboration. Plans include co-location of research programs in which UMass Chan is a global leader, including molecular medicine, neurology, neurobiology and gene therapy, as well as a new program in human genetics and evolutionary biology. New synergies made possible by this shared space will advance treatments for ALS, Alzheimer's and other devastating neurodegenerative diseases.

Naming opportunities

Building name	\$35,000,000
Exterior space	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plaza <i>Connecting building's main entrance to campus green</i> 	\$1,000,000
Interior space	
First floor	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conference Center Main entrance atrium Café seating area and collaboration space Individual conference rooms (5) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$2,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$200,000–\$350,000 <i>each</i>
Second floor	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outdoor terrace and indoor collaboration space Footbridge connecting new building to the Lazare Research Building Footbridge connecting new building to the Albert Sherman Center Medium conference room (1) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$2,000,000 \$500,000 \$500,000 \$100,000
Research tower	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name a floor (8) Workspace hub (7) Large conference room (7) Medium conference room (14–2 per floor) Office of department or program chair Office of principal investigator Small conference room (7) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$5,000,000 <i>each</i> \$350,000 <i>each</i> \$150,000 <i>each</i> \$100,000 <i>each</i> \$75,000 <i>each</i> \$50,000 <i>each</i> \$50,000 <i>each</i>



The new education and research building at UMass Chan Medical School

“UMass Chan is a vital center for biomedical research. By sustaining our growth and development, the new education and research building will support many future discoveries and therapies that will change the course of the history of disease.”

Michael F. Collins, MD
Chancellor, UMass Chan Medical School

Fast facts

- Scheduled to open in spring 2024 to the UMass Chan community.
- Nine stories and 350,000 square feet of lab, learning and conference space.
- Will host 75+ principal investigator offices and 720 wet benches to build the next century of research progress at UMass Chan.
- Located at the heart of our Worcester campus, between the Lazare Research Building and the Albert Sherman Center.
- A model of sustainability, with a target of LEED Gold certification and aspirations for net-zero energy use.
- State-of-the-art facility features a mix of adaptive open lab areas and highly specialized research spaces.
- Special features include a new automated biorepository that will dramatically expand UMass Chan’s capacity to participate in clinical trials for potentially life-saving treatments for both rare and widespread diseases.

These new facilities will not only sustain the success of our current research enterprise, they will help attract a new generation of outstanding scientists and major research grants. Providing an exceptional platform for scientific training, collaboration and innovation, the space will allow researchers and students alike to advance an integrated approach to exploring new frontiers in medical research that will lead to improved diagnosis and care.

Help us advance together

At UMass Chan, momentum has never been greater, bringing increased demand for expanded, cutting-edge facilities. Leave your mark on this impressive addition to our Worcester campus through a lead gift. Naming opportunities start at \$50,000 and include lab, conference, community and transitional spaces. Please consider creating a lasting, visible legacy at UMass Chan.

Learn more

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