





The School of Medicine is built upon a strong partnership between the clinical and graduate medical education programs of the North Shore-LIJ Health System, and the robust research and academic programs of Hofstra University and the Feinstein Institute for Medical Research.

In August 2011, the School of Medicine welcomed its inaugural class. In response to rapid growth, the school broke ground on a 63,000-square-foot expansion of its medical education center, doubling the size of its facility on the Hofstra University campus.

### **Key Leadership**

Michael J.Dowling, President and CEO
North Shore-LIJ Health System
Stuart Rabinowitz, JD, President of Hofstra University
Lawrence G. Smith, MD, MACP, Dean
Veronica M. Catanese, MD, MBA, Vice Dean and
Dean for Academic Affairs
David Battinelli, MD, Dean for Medical Education

#### **Achievements**

- Provisionally accredited by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education
- First allopathic medical school in Nassau County and the first new medical school in the New York metropolitan area in more than 35 years.
- 66% of the student body participated in domestic and international research projects last summer.
- The Medical School's innovative curriculum integrates the biomedical, social and clinical sciences of medicine throughout the students' four years.

## **Faculty Stats**

- More than 1,800 faculty members drawn from 25 departments
- Faculty development programs include departmentbased junior faculty mentoring, as well as research and teaching skills development programs.

#### **Admission Stats**

- Annual MD Applicants: Over 5,500
- Average Overall GPA: 3.60

• Average Total MCAT: 33

## **Curriculum Highlights**

- Throughout the First 100 Weeks, course integration merges normal function (health), abnormal function (disease) and intervention (pharmacology and therapeutics) across all body systems.
- During the Second 100 Weeks, student experiences are designed with an increasing focus on clinical care at two tertiary hospital campuses.

## **Training**

Medical students utilize the Health System's Center for Learning and Innovation (CLI), the Patient Safety Institute and the Bioskills Education Center.

• Three state-of-the-art training facilities include the latest operative technologies, human simulation/robotic laboratories and high-tech research space.

Medical students also train at the world-renowned Feinstein Institute for Medical Research, the research arm of the North Shore-LIJ Health System.

• Students gain a strong foundation in critical thinking and application of the scientific method to the basic, translational and clinical research and scholarship championed by the School of Medicine.

### **Degrees Offered**

- MD Doctor of Medicine
- MD/MPH Degrees

- PhD The Molecular Basis of Medicine
- MD/PhD The Molecular Basis of Medicine

## **Community Outreach**

- Medical students work with second and third grade students from local school districts to encourage healthy living through science education.
- Volunteered with the Red Cross and New York City Helping Hands following Hurricane Sandy
- Participated in Gold Foundation's Solidarity Day for Compassionate Care
- Holiday Toy Drive
- Go Red for Women's Heart Health Month

- St. Baldrick's Day Fundraising for Childhood Cancer Research
- Medical Scholars Pipeline Program
  - Multi-year, four-week summer program for high achieving students from underrepresented and economically disadvantaged areas to prepare them for careers in healthcare
  - Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) Foundation *You Can Save a Life at School* outreach program

# North Shore-LIJ Health System — Facility Locations



#### **Location & Contact Information**

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