Why UMass Chan?

Institutional Commitment to Diverse Excellence
IMPACT 2025 Strategic Plan includes the creation and funding of the $5M Health Equity Collaborative.

The Diversity, Representation, and Inclusion for Value in Education (DRIVE) Initiative ensures a representative and equitable curriculum.

Individualized Departmental Diversity and Equity Action Plans informed and guided by the Diversity and Inclusion office.

Phenomenal Resources
In 2020 UMass Chan received over $123M to coordinate the nationwide drive for fast and accessible COVID-19 testing

The Morningside Foundation's $175M gift is dedicated to:
- Innovative faculty recruitment
- Breakthrough biomedical research
- Financial support for diverse highly qualified students
- The Institutional public service mission.

Over $900M in funding for FY’21
47 Research Cores and over 60 Departments, Centers, and Programs

#3 in New England for NIH funding in FY21

Institutional Partners
MassBiologics
The only non-profit FDA-licensed manufacturer of vaccines and biologics in the U.S.

Commonwealth Medicine
Focused on assisting Medicaid and like human service agencies to accomplish their missions.

Career Advancement
Research
I-Corps Program at the UMCCTS Clinical Research Scholar Program Research Career & Writing Group "K-Club"

Development
Faculty Diversity Scholars Program Junior Faculty Development Program Investigator Career Advancement Program

"It’s not typical for an investigator to make a phone call to leadership and that same day have $1M for research. UMass Medical School is unique. The leadership has strategically invested resources...that have put us in a position to capitalize on this moment."

- Dr. Anastasia Khvorova, Professor

Top 10 US Medical Schools in Primary Care