You're passionate about improving lives. So are we.

The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center is one of the largest and most diverse academic medical centers in the nation, located on one of the most comprehensive health science campuses in the country. Here, our work revolves around a powerful mission: to improve health in Ohio and across the world through innovations and transformation in research, education, patient care and community engagement.

When you join us, you join in that mission. Being part of Ohio State means pushing the boundaries of discovery and knowledge while challenging yourself to do better.

It means rising to the world’s most pressing health challenges — with a team of thousands by your side. Our wide-ranging expertise and extensive resources empower us to tackle these challenges in a way few others can match.

The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center

Our ambition: To be a top 20 academic health center driving breakthrough health care solutions that transform people’s lives and the communities in which we live.

As one of the largest and most diverse academic medical centers in the country, we’ve always been on the leading edge of education, discovery and patient care — and now we’re going even further.

The Ohio State Wexner Medical Center, part of one of the most comprehensive health sciences campuses in the country and the only academic medical center in central Ohio, is at the forefront of medicine. Here, discovery and innovation in our research laboratories translate to unique and effective therapies — available to patients well before they reach other hospitals.

These initiatives take place across our vast health care platform: within the Ohio State College of Medicine, at more than a dozen affiliated research centers and inside seven hospitals, where more than 60,000 inpatients receive medical care annually.

In addition, we have a unified physician practice, representing more than 1,700 preeminent physicians, and a network of community-based primary and subspecialty care facilities that manage more than 1 million patient visits each year. We offer health care services in virtually every specialty and subspecialty in medicine. Thousands of patients come to us each month for treatments and services they can’t find anywhere else.

The Ohio State University Comprehensive Cancer Center – Arthur G. James Cancer Hospital and Richard J. Solove Research Institute (OSUCCC - James)

The OSUCCC – James strives to create a cancer-free world by integrating research with excellence in education and patient-centered care. Ohio State is a National Cancer Institute (NCI)-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center, a designation competitively maintained since 1976, and is one of only a few centers funded by the NCI to conduct phase I, II and III clinical trials on novel anticancer drugs provided by the NCI.

As the cancer program’s 356-bed adult patient care component, The James is the third-largest cancer hospital in the country and one of the best in the nation as ranked by U.S. News & World Report. With 21 floors and more than 1.1 million square feet, The James fosters collaboration and integration of cancer research and clinical cancer care.

To increase critically needed cancer research funding at the OSUCCC – James, Pelotonia was established in 2008 and has become the No. 2 cycling fundraiser in the country, raising more than $273 million since its inception. Thanks to the event’s major funding partners, every dollar raised by participants goes toward innovative cancer research and initiatives such as the Pelotonia Institute for Immuno-Oncology at the OSUCCC – James.

The Ohio State University

The Ohio State University, located in the capital city of Columbus, is a major educational and economic force. Founded in 1870, we’re one of the nation’s largest and most comprehensive public research universities that’s deeply committed to making a college education accessible and affordable for the next generation of leaders and engaged citizens.

Our size is our advantage: More than 39,000 full-time faculty, researchers and staff work in and across nearly every area of expertise imaginable. With an unrivaled capacity to bring together people, ideas and resources, we are creating the solutions people need now. Together, with our students and far-reaching alumni community, our impact is felt around the world.

The Ohio State University College of Medicine

The Ohio State University College of Medicine, founded in 1914, is known for curricular innovation, groundbreaking research and transformative models of comprehensive care. Located in Columbus, it’s one of the most diverse medical schools in the nation. With more than 2,700 faculty members, the college comprises 20 clinical departments, eight basic science departments and the School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences. As part of one of the nation’s most comprehensive universities, inclusive of seven health science colleges, the College of Medicine unites a wide breadth of expertise, innovation and resources.

Ohio State University Physicians, Inc./Faculty Group Practice

Ohio State University Physicians, Inc., is the medical group managing The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center’s outpatient physician clinics.

Ohio State physicians belong to our Faculty Group Practice (FGP), a physician-led organization focused on clinical quality, patient safety and physician efficiency and productivity. The FGP facilitates collaboration among clinical departments and physicians across the Ohio State Wexner Medical Center.

Our physicians benefit from streamlined administrative functions so that valuable resources can be directed toward innovative program development, improved outcomes and quality assurance.
John J. Warner, MD
Chief Executive Officer, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
Executive Vice President, The Ohio State University

Dr. Warner leads the vision, strategy and operating performance of The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center’s research, education and patient care mission across its hospitals, outpatient care centers, nationally ranked College of Medicine and research institutes. A national leader in academic medicine, he’s dedicated to improving health care quality, safety and experience by putting patients and their families first.

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Be part of the Buckeye Spirit

The Buckeye Spirit is how we honor the tradition of Ohio State — by bringing passion, commitment and joy to the people we serve. In everything we do at the Ohio State Wexner Medical Center, we embody the Buckeye Spirit through our shared values of empathy, determination, inclusiveness, innovation, ownership and sincerity.

Empathy | Prioritizing the needs and acknowledging the feelings of others while serving

Determination | Reaching our highest potential despite challenges

Inclusiveness | Valuing diversity of people and points of view with respect and fairness

Innovation | Fostering curiosity, originality and continual growth through new perspectives

Ownership | Protecting and enhancing our reputation even when no one is watching

Sincerity | Adhering to ethical standards and upholding our organization’s integrity
The best care for every patient

When we’re at our best, we make a real difference to people. From telehealth to inpatient care, the Ohio State Wexner Medical Center is there when and where our patients need us.

Thousands of patients come to us for treatments and services they can’t find anywhere else. As one of the nation’s leading academic health centers, we offer health care services in virtually every specialty and subspecialty in medicine. Our treatment is deeply personalized because our resources are vast.

Just a few of our accolades:

In 2023, we celebrated our 31st consecutive year on the U.S. News & World Report “Best Hospitals” list. U.S. News consistently ranks us the top hospital in Columbus.

This year, the Ohio State Wexner Medical Center has 10 nationally ranked specialties out of 15 and two were selected as high performing. Rankings are based on outcomes, structure, patient experience and expert opinion.

We were the first hospital in central Ohio to achieve Magnet® status for nursing excellence and have maintained it for 18 years.

We’re one of the Becker’s Hospital Review 100 Great Hospitals in America for excellence in clinical care, patient outcomes, and staff and physician satisfaction.

We’re one of a select few in the United States to receive five stars on the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services’ Hospital Compare website.

Patient Care by the numbers

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Unparalleled discovery

Research is an integral part of what makes The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center such a force in the global medical community. Our investment in research and commitment to the investigative process has led to many breakthroughs and innovative discoveries. We encourage research at all levels, knowing that the research seeds planted today will yield life-changing results now and in the future.

The Ohio State University has one of the most comprehensive health science campuses in North America — with colleges of Medicine, Nursing, Pharmacy, Dentistry, Optometry, Public Health and Veterinary Medicine — adjacent to the tremendous resources and expertise of other university departments. This proximity fosters remarkable collaborations, which makes Ohio State unique in the country in its potential to promote scientific partnerships and the direct translation of research discoveries into new medical therapies and technologies.

The Ohio State University College of Medicine continues to rise in many key areas in the annual Blue Ridge Institute rankings, an independent national analysis of National Institutes of Health (NIH) research funds awarded to colleges and universities. In the most recent rankings (2022), NIH funding to the College of Medicine increased by 4.8% — much greater than the 1.4% average given to other colleges and universities in the top 20.

With research centers dedicated to cancer, heart and lung disease, behavioral medicine and more, plus more than 140 shared core labs, we foster collaboration and shared resources that maximize grant dollars and time to discovery.

On the horizon is our new multidisciplinary research tower. This state-of-the-art facility will bring together researchers and scientists from disciplines across Ohio State — from the College of Medicine to Biostatistics to Biomechanical Engineering — to work within a truly collaborative and interactive environment. The goal is to shorten the time from initial research to new discoveries in treatment options, improving and ultimately saving patient lives.

Research by the numbers

- 1 of 64 members of a National Institutes of Health consortium that speeds the translation of scientific discovery into better patient care
- 1 of 54 National Cancer Institute-designated Comprehensive Cancer Centers
- 5 departments rank in the top 20 for the 2023 Blue Ridge Institute for Medical Research rankings
- 1 faculty member currently elected to the National Academy of Sciences
- 11 faculty members currently elected to the National Academy of Medicine
- 2,000+ active research studies and clinical trials in virtually every medical specialty
Preparing the next generation

The Ohio State University is one of the most comprehensive universities in the world, and one of the few with seven health science colleges on one campus. Our breadth allows students to pursue their academic passions while benefiting from novel interdisciplinary collaborations.

- College of Dentistry
- College of Medicine
- College of Nursing
- College of Optometry
- College of Pharmacy
- College of Public Health
- College of Veterinary Medicine

College of Medicine

For more than 100 years, The Ohio State University College of Medicine has combined innovative medical education with cutting-edge research and science-based patient care.

We’re proud of what we’ve accomplished and of our impact on the changing face of medicine. Our leaders have charted a course for the future as we continually evolve to meet ever-changing demands in medicine.

The Ohio State College of Medicine is consistently ranked 28th among medical schools in the United States and among the top 15 public universities. The college’s innovative curriculum places students in clinical settings from the start of their first year. We’re one of the few schools in the world to offer five dual medical degrees: MD/PhD, MD/MBA, MD/JD, MD/MHA and MD/MPH. Our School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences offers degrees in athletic training, health sciences, medical dietetics, radiologic science, respiratory therapy and physical therapy.

More than 80 accredited graduate and residency programs train more than 1,000 residents and fellows each year. In addition, users in approximately 150 countries access our web-based continuing medical education training programs each year.

Designing spaces for the future of health care delivery

With a goal of strengthening the focus on interdisciplinary curriculum that matches the way health care professionals will practice and face challenges in the real world, we’re opening the new home of the College of Medicine, the Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Center, in 2024. This $157.3-million project includes a 120,000-square-foot renovation of Hamilton Hall and construction of a new 100,000-square-foot building featuring flexible facilities to serve multiple disciplines. It will also create a collaborative campus for interprofessional education throughout the health sciences, including Dentistry, Nursing, Optometry, Pharmacy, Public Health and Veterinary Medicine.
Our hospitals

Across the university, we’re paving our bold, innovative path forward by building the campus of the future to support teaching, learning, research and patient care. This extraordinary undertaking includes the expansion of our premier academic medical center.

**Brain and Spine Hospital:** Specialized units for stroke care, traumatic brain injuries, spinal cord injuries, chronic pain and more.

**Dodd Rehabilitation Hospital:** Home to our acclaimed inpatient program specializing in stroke, brain and spinal cord rehabilitation.

**East Hospital:** Blends the friendly atmosphere of a community hospital with all the advantages of a major medical center.

**Harding Hospital:** The most comprehensive psychiatric and behavioral health services in central Ohio.

**James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute:** The third-largest cancer hospital in the country and the only freestanding cancer hospital in central Ohio, with satellite clinics such as the Stefanie Spielman Comprehensive Breast Center and The James Outpatient Care, which has central Ohio’s only proton therapy center.

**Richard M. Ross Heart Hospital:** The nation’s first hospital dedicated to cardiovascular care.

**University Hospital:** Our flagship facility, home to the region’s most advanced intensive care units.

Our central Ohio facilities

Beyond our seven hospitals, the Ohio State Wexner Medical Center has nearly 100 facilities across central Ohio to provide convenient patient access and the space needed for the most technologically advanced research, teaching and patient care possible, including a network of primary care, outpatient and urgent care facilities, as well as dedicated specialty facilities for sports medicine, ENT and more.

Building the future

Our new inpatient hospital, scheduled to open in 2026, is the largest single facilities project ever undertaken at Ohio State. It’s designed to enhance a unified Ohio State Wexner Medical Center campus providing world-class patient care, leading-edge research and outstanding clinical training.

- 820 large, private rooms to elevate patient-centered care, nearly doubling the number of beds we have today
- Enhanced connections between the new inpatient hospital and the OSUCCC – James
- More than half an acre of terrace space and a quarter acre of green space for a small park
- 148 additional beds for patients of the OSUCCC – James
- 51 neonatal intensive care unit bassinets
- State-of-the-art diagnostic, treatment and inpatient service areas; imaging; operating rooms; and critical care and medical/surgical beds

**Pelotonia Research Center**

This five-story research center, which opened in 2023, advances the university’s strategic plan and framework with state-of-the-art laboratories serving multiple research disciplines, including biomedical, life sciences, engineering and environmental sciences. In addition, two floors are dedicated to the OSUCCC – James, including a second home for the OSUCCC – James Pelotonia Institute for Immuno-Oncology and a new home for the OSUCCC – James Center for Cancer Engineering.

**Ohio State Outpatient Care Facilities**

Starting in 2021, Ohio State began to expand our outpatient care footprint around central Ohio to bring world-class care to the community setting. State-of-the-art facilities offering comprehensive care have opened in New Albany and Dublin, along with our most recent facility, The James Outpatient Care, which expands access to our nationally ranked cancer team.
Putting equity and inclusivity into practice

We find strength in the diversity of our faculty and staff, and we celebrate our differences — because we recognize and appreciate that our work is enriched by those differences.

We know that equity doesn’t happen by accident, which is why we actively work to build and strengthen our infrastructure to support a multitude of efforts in these key areas:

**Healthy communities**
It takes more than medicine to safeguard a person’s health. Our work in education, prevention and overall wellness addresses the social determinants of health that impact individuals and our communities.

**Taking a firm stance on racism**
We’ve denounced racism in all forms, recognizing it as a social determinant of health that damages both our community and also our faculty, staff and learners. We’ve set forth a focused and purposeful set of initiatives aimed at stopping racism and reversing its legacy.

**Embracing diversity**
Our Diversity Council is a volunteer-led group of employees who create events and education offerings to train our own faculty, staff and learners on bias and systemic racism and provide tools to grow and change.

**Fostering diverse, inclusive workplaces**
Our employee-led Resource Groups provide peer support, mentoring and professional and personal development for employees in several identity and interest groups including veterans, LGBTQ+, Black faculty and staff, Hispanic/Latino and many others.

**DEI by the numbers**
- 4 consecutive years named an HRC Healthcare Equality Index Leader
- 13th most diverse medical school, U.S. News & World Report
- 1st university to have five INSIGHT Into Diversity HEED award recipients

Supporting the health and wellness of our community

As a land-grant institution, we hold a special responsibility to take care of our Ohio communities.

**Traveling to our patients**
The Ohio State Community Care Coach visits underserved communities to offer walk-in care from a mobile team of professionals including doctors, nurses, social workers and other health care professionals. The OSUCCC – James has two mobile units that regularly go into communities across Ohio to offer the latest digital mammography technology to women who may lack access to important preventive care.

**Celebrating health**
We host an annual Healthy Community Day event with live music, family activities, free food, health screenings and services. Doctors, nurses, pharmacists, physical therapists, optometrists and stroke and wound care specialists come together to care for anyone who stops by.

**Tackling a community epidemic**
In the face of a nationwide opioid crisis, we marshal our resources to find solutions. Our campuswide efforts include designing free sessions to distribute naloxone kits to the public and teaching participants how to administer naloxone safely.

**Combating infant mortality**
Franklin County’s infant mortality rate is one of the highest in the nation, with black babies dying at twice the rate of white babies. It takes an entire community to save our infants, so we’re committing substantial professional and volunteer support to the cause.
Columbus unexpected
We know you’re interested in life beyond the hospital walls — and we’re proud to say Columbus offers the best of big-city culture with small-town affability.

Why make your home in Columbus?

It’s affordable
A dollar goes further here. The cost of living is 8% below the national average, and our average rent and home prices will leave you pleasantly surprised. As of 2022, the median monthly rent was $1,054 for one bedroom, and the median home price was $345,008. Columbus’ housing expenses are 13% lower than the national average and the utility prices are 10% lower than the national average. You don’t have to live far from the city’s center to get a great deal, either — our commutes are actually shorter than the U.S. average.

It’s smart
Home to an expanding number of startup businesses, in addition to five Fortune 500 and 16 Fortune 1000 companies, Columbus harbors a spirit of innovation that attracts the best and brightest. We also produce the best and brightest — we’re proud to say Columbus offers the best of big-city culture with small-town affability.

It’s thriving
One of the fastest-growing cities in the country, Columbus is the 14th largest city in the United States and the second largest in the Midwest behind Chicago. We’re home to an impressive list of employers and celebrated for our job creation. Oh, and we know how to have fun: Our arts and entertainment options will keep your calendar fully booked while our acclaimed food scene will satisfy your cravings from sushi to schnitzel. If you’re into sports, we’ve got professional hockey and soccer teams as well as a college football program you may have heard about.

It’s welcoming
Columbus is a city that invites and embraces cultural and economic diversity. There are 134 nations represented here, and our residents speak 109 different languages. We also have a reputation for being accepting, welcoming and LGBTQ+ friendly.

Columbus boasts an impressive list of employers. Corporate Columbus
Columbus boasts an impressive list of employers. Some of our largest — and also some of our most generous community philanthropists — include:

- Nationwide Mutual Insurance Co.
- Honda
- Honda
- Huntington Bancshares Inc.
- Cardinal Health Inc.
- American Electric Power
- Bread Financial
- Abercrombie & Fitch
- CoverMyMeds
- Wendy’s International
- Kroger Co.
- Amazon
- Giant Eagle Inc.
- Rogue
- Intel

A youthful, entrepreneurial energy has fueled a lot of changes in Ohio’s capital, a fashion design hub (you read that right) brimming with creative restaurants, craft breweries, distilleries and small-batch coffee roasters. — Chicago Tribune

With a revitalized riverfront and booming downtown, Columbus is already one of the nation’s fastest-growing cities. — The New York Times

If there’s one thing we know about the Midwest now, it’s to stop expecting certain things from the Midwest, and certainly not Ohio’s capital city, which has a nearly Sun Belt-esque buoyancy about it these days, as it welcomes all-comers, from all over the world, into the ever-growing fold. — Food & Wine

Explore Columbus

Eat and explore
Columbus knows how to satisfy your cravings. While we’re the hometown of nationally known food brands — such as Jeni’s Splendid Ice Creams, Wendy’s, Bob Evans and White Castle — there are plenty of tempting dishes from talented local chefs. Just a few options:

- North Market: While most communities around Columbus offer seasonal farmers markets, this one is the grandaddy of them all. In operation since 1876, this downtown spot offers fresh everything.
- Arena District: Restaurants, bars, sporting events, concerts, movies and entertainment, all just steps from the Greater Columbus Convention Center, Huntington Park and Nationwide Arena.
- German Village: Great food and craft beer where Columbus’ German immigrants got their start.
- Short North: Eat, drink, shop and admire the art in the culturally rich Short North Arts District, which you’ll recognize by the 17 lighted arches that frame this famed stretch of High Street.
- Local brews and spirits: Sample craft beer, wine, gin, vodka, bourbon and mead, all made by Columbus entrepreneurs and local breweries.

Cheer — and join in
Whether you’re a fan or a participant, Columbus offers plenty to get your heart pumping. A few of the teams and activities:

- Columbus Blue Jackets, National Hockey League team
- Columbus Crew, Major League Soccer team
- Columbus Clippers, AAA Major League Baseball affiliate of the Cleveland Guardians
- More than 33 private and 79 public or semiprivate golf courses
- PGA Memorial Golf Tournament, hosted by Jack Nicklaus
- The Arnold (Schwarzenegger) Sports Festival, four days, 75 sports, 20,000+ athletes from around the world
- Nationwide Children’s Hospital Columbus Marathon