

# Healthy Minnesota and the Medical School

# THE U OF M

is poised to tackle the major chronic illnesses facing Minnesotans

There are current and projected shortages of health care professionals in Minnesota

WITH COMMUNITY-BASED MODELS OF HEALTH CARE, WE'RE WORKING TO KEEP MINNESOTA ONE OF THE HEALTHIEST STATES.



The U of M awards 85% of Minnesota's MD degrees and 100% of its dentistry and pharmacy degrees

Minnesotans lack sufficient access to up-to-date health information resources

Together, the University of Minnesota's health science schools form one of the largest, most comprehensive academic health centers in the nation. We're delivering excellent patient care and breakthrough research, and training the next generation of leading health professionals.



# Healthy Minnesota and the Medical School

## Healthy Minnesota Proposal

- Develop a statewide network of up to six interdisciplinary primary care teaching clinics
- Expand education and training programs to address workforce shortages in dentistry, mental health, and geriatrics
- Encourage students from underrepresented communities to pursue health professional careers
- Increase scholarships and programs for students who choose to provide care in underserved communities
- Create a Minnesota Electronic Health Library

#### **Benefits**

- New community-based models of health care to better serve aging and diverse populations
- A diverse and more robust health professional workforce
- Access to comprehensive clinical care information and resources for all Minnesotans

## Healthy Minnesota Request

FY16: \$7.5 million FY17: \$18 million

Biennial total: \$25.5 million

#### Academic Health Center affiliation agreements



## The Medical School Proposal

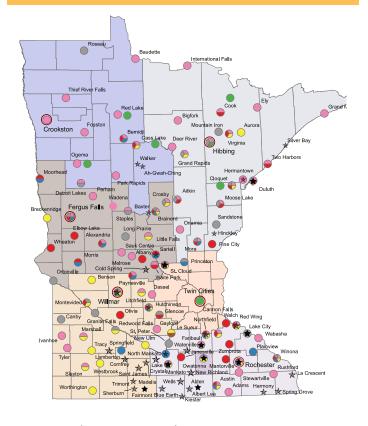
- Hire over 50 top researchers to form medical discovery teams
- Address looming physician shortage in underserved areas
- Secure new grants
- · Support medical innovation
- · Strengthen U of M research

#### **Benefits**

- · Improve access and quality of care for Minnesotans
- Increase National Institutes of Health funding
- Elevate the Medical School's national standing
- Produce new treatments and cures for chronic diseases and conditions

#### **Medical School Request**

FY16: \$5 million FY17: \$25 million **Biennial total: \$30 million** 



govrelations.umn.edu

@umngovrelations

govrelations@umn.edu

612-626-9234