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NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY—synonymous with dynamic innovation and intellectual challenge—is the second largest, private, nonprofit university in the Southeast and 1 out of only 361 colleges and universities nationally selected for the Carnegie Foundation’s Community Engagement Classification. Situated on a beautiful, 314-acre campus in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, the university is experiencing a sustained period of academic growth, fiscal strength, and commitment to the challenges of the 21st century.

In this environment of expansion and stability, the university is capitalizing on its strengths in such areas as academic innovation, comprehensive clinical training, and flexible educational delivery systems.

Founded in 1964 as Nova University, the institution merged with Southeastern University of the Health Sciences in 1994, creating Nova Southeastern University. To date, the institution has more than 183,000 alumni and current enrollment of nearly 21,000 students. Accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the university awards bachelor’s, master’s, educational specialist, and doctoral degrees, as well as certificates in a wide range of fields including the health professions, law, business, marine sciences, psychology, social sciences, computer and information sciences, and education.

The university’s degree programs are administered through academic units that offer courses at the Fort Lauderdale/Davie Campus, as well as at NSU’s regional campuses, located in Fort Myers, Jacksonville, Miami, Miramar, Orlando, Palm Beach, and Tampa, Florida, and San Juan, Puerto Rico. NSU also has active distance education programs offered at instructional sites in 12 U.S. states, including Florida, in Puerto Rico, and in 4 countries.
THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS DIVISION (HPD), with a student body of nearly 8,000, is home to eight colleges. Located on the Fort Lauderdale/Davie Campus, it occupies a $70-million complex, covering 21 acres. It includes eight buildings totaling more than 900,000 square feet of space for classrooms, laboratories, offices, the Health Professions Division Library, an outpatient health center, and a pharmaceutical care center. Several of the HPD programs are also located at our regional campuses in Fort Myers, Jacksonville, Miami, Miramar, Orlando, Palm Beach, and Tampa, Florida, as well as in San Juan, Puerto Rico. These campuses extend our programs and resources to various communities. They offer you the ability to complete a degree at a location that may be more convenient to your home.
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NSU MISSION STATEMENT
The mission of Nova Southeastern University, a private, not-for-profit institution, is to offer a diverse array of innovative academic programs that complement on-campus educational opportunities and resources with accessible, distance-learning programs to foster academic excellence, intellectual inquiry, leadership, research, and commitment to community through engagement of students and faculty members in a dynamic, lifelong learning environment.

Letter from the Interim HPD Chancellor

NSU’s Health Professions Division (HPD) is playing a pivotal role in leading the university to new levels of excellence. The division comprises eight distinctive colleges—osteopathic medicine, pharmacy, optometry, medical sciences, dental medicine, health care sciences, nursing, and allopathic medicine—that offer more than 60 degree and certificate programs.

We have seen the university reach many milestones recently. In September 2017, NSU received the largest philanthropic gift in its history from physicians Dr. Kiran C. Patel, M.D., and his wife, Dr. Pallavi Patel, M.D., which included a $50-million gift and an additional $150-million real estate and facility investment in Clearwater, Florida.

Then, in January 2018, the Patels provided additional gifts totaling close to $30 million, while a substantial contribution from longtime donors Ron and Kathy Assaf resulted in new HPD enhancements. The altruistic trend continued in February 2018, when a significant gift from Martin and Gail Press resulted in the renaming of the HPD Library.

In October 2017, our allopathic medicine college received preliminary accreditation. As a result, the college gained approval to begin interviewing and accepting its inaugural class of 50 students in August 2018. Finally, construction commenced on the HCA East Florida hospital that will be located on NSU’s Fort Lauderdale/Davie Campus.

These exciting developments will ensure that our students receive a well-rounded education at an academic institution that prides itself on being dynamic, innovative, and interprofessional in its academic approach.

Irving Rosenbaum, D.P.A., Ed.D., M.P.A.
Interim Health Professions Division Chancellor
Dr. Kiran C. Patel College of Osteopathic Medicine
- Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.)
- Master of Public Health (M.P.H.)
- Master of Science in Biomedical Informatics (M.S.)
- Master of Science in Disaster and Emergency Management (M.S.)
- Master of Science in Medical Education (M.S.)
- Master of Science in Nutrition (M.S.)
- Bachelor of Science in Public Health (B.S.)
- Graduate Certificate in Emergency Medicine
- Graduate Certificate in Functional Nutrition and Herbal Therapy
- Graduate Certificate in Health Education
- Graduate Certificate in Medical Informatics
- Graduate Certificate in Public Health
- Graduate Certificate in Public Health Informatics
- Graduate Certificate in Social Medicine

College of Pharmacy
- Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Affairs (M.S.)
- Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences (M.S.)
  - Concentration in Drug Development (Pharmaceutics)
  - Concentration in Molecular Medicine and Pharmacogenomics
  - Concentration in Social and Administrative Pharmacy
- Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.)
- Doctor of Philosophy in Pharmaceutical Sciences (Ph.D.)
  - Concentration in Drug Development (Pharmaceutics)
  - Concentration in Molecular Medicine and Pharmacogenomics
  - Concentration in Social and Administrative Pharmacy

Dr. Pallavi Patel College of Health Care Sciences
- Bachelor of Science—Cardiovascular Sonography (B.S.)
- Bachelor of Science in Exercise and Sport Science (B.S.)
- Bachelor of Health Science (B.H.Sc.)
- Bachelor of Science—Medical Sonography (B.S.)
- Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Therapy (B.S.)
- Bachelor of Science in Speech-Language and Communication Disorders (B.S.)
- Master of Science in Anesthesia (M.S.)
- Master of Science in Athletic Training (M.S.A.T.)
- Master of Health Science (M.H.Sc.)
- Master of Occupational Therapy (M.O.T.)
- Master of Medical Science in Physician Assistant (M.M.S.)
- Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology (M.S.)
- Doctor of Audiology (Au.D.)
- Doctor of Health Science (D.H.Sc.)
- Doctor of Philosophy in Health Science (Ph.D.)
- Entry-Level Doctor of Occupational Therapy (O.T.D.)
- Doctor of Occupational Therapy (Dr.O.T.)
- Doctor of Philosophy in Occupational Therapy (Ph.D.)
- Doctor of Physical Therapy (D.P.T.)
  - Professional Doctor of Physical Therapy (D.P.T.)
  - Postprofessional Doctor of Physical Therapy: Transition (D.P.T.)
- Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Therapy (Ph.D.)
- Doctor of Speech-Language Pathology (SLP.D.)
- Certificate in Audiologist Assistant
- Graduate Certificate in Clinical Research Associate
- Graduate Certificate in Clinical Trial Manager

Dr. Kiran C. Patel College of Allopathic Medicine
- Doctor of Medicine (M.D.)

Dual Degrees
- Bachelor of Science—Cardiovascular Sonography (B.S.) and Master of Health Science (M.H.Sc.)
- Bachelor of Science—Medical Sonography (B.S.) and Master of Health Science (M.H.Sc.)
- Master of Health Science (M.H.Sc.) and Doctor of Health Science (D.H.Sc.)
- Bachelor of Science in Public Health (B.S.) and Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O)
- Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.) and Doctor of Dental Medicine (D.M.D.)

Concurrent Degrees
- Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.) and Master of Science in Medical Education (M.S.)
- Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.) and Master of Public Health (M.P.H.)
- Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.) and Master of Science in Biomedical Informatics (M.S.)
- Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.) and Master of Science in Disaster and Emergency Management (M.S.)
- Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (D.O.) and Master of Science in Nutrition (M.S.)
- Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) and Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)
- Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) and Master of Public Health (M.P.H.)
- Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) and Master of Science in Biomedical Informatics (M.S.)
- Doctor of Optometry (O.D.) and Master of Public Health (M.P.H.)
- Doctor of Audiology (Au.D.) and Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)
- Master of Medical Science (M.M.S.) and Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)
- Doctor of Dental Medicine (D.M.D.) and Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)
NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY’S Dr. Pallavi Patel College of Health Care Sciences provides the highest quality of education to students in a variety of health care disciplines, including occupational, physical, and respiratory therapy; physician assistant; audiology; medical and cardiovascular sonography; anesthesiologist assistant; speech-language pathology; athletic training; exercise and sport science; and health sciences. We offer entry-level programs to advanced health care studies that allow professionals to continue with their lifelong learning. The cutting-edge curricula offered in our programs will help our students gain future success in their fields.

The college is committed to providing health care educational opportunities in formats that meet the needs of prospective students in the community. These formats include both the standard, face-to-face classroom approach and innovative distance electronics. By combining the most contemporary teaching modalities with state-of-the-art technology, our students are assured of obtaining the most comprehensive education possible.

The Dr. Pallavi Patel College of Health Care Sciences believes in excellence and innovation in teaching, research, service, and learning. This is made possible by having an academically skilled and professionally qualified faculty and staff. We have diverse faculty members. They come from different backgrounds, have different degrees, and possess a wide range of educational experiences. Our faculty members are eager to share their knowledge of and expertise in the health care arena with their students. We also have an open door policy that encourages students to seek answers to their questions, allowing them to develop a solid understanding of the materials that they study.

All of these opportunities make the Dr. Pallavi Patel College of Health Care Sciences truly unique. The health care market is undergoing a rapid change. The pace of this change has provided a formidable challenge for institutions that provide the educational programs for future health care professionals. We are proud of the fact that we are training our students to become skilled and compassionate health care providers who are certain to make valuable contributions to the communities they serve. If you wish to become a graduate who is adequately prepared

Stanley Wilson, Ed.D., PT, CEAS
Dean, Dr. Pallavi Patel College of Health Care Sciences
Audiology Program

Program Overview

The Doctor of Audiology (Au.D.) establishes audiologists in a clearly defined and prominent role within the hearing health care delivery system and strengthens their position as autonomous practitioners. The degree provides the academic foundation and diverse clinical experiences necessary to enter professional practice today and to stay abreast in the future. Audiologists specialize in the evaluation, diagnosis, management, and treatment of people of all ages with auditory and vestibular disorders. At Nova Southeastern University, the audiology department benefits from the integrated interprofessional health care programs of the university’s Health Professions Division. Doctor of Audiology students enroll in a clinically focused professional doctoral program where students complete a rigorous academic curriculum coupled with extensive and diverse clinical experiences.

Course of Study

The Doctor of Audiology degree is awarded after successful completion of four years of professional study. Beginning in the first year, students are given clinical assignments and experiences. Clinical involvement steadily increases throughout the program as students prepare for direct patient care at our university audiology clinic and at locations throughout the community. The fourth year is designed to be a full-time clinical externship work experience that prepares the student to enter the profession at graduation. Successful completion of the Doctor of Audiology program, coupled with a passing score on the National Praxis Examination for audiology, will enable graduates to be licensed.

NSU College of Health Care Sciences

Vision Statement

The College of Health Care Sciences will be recognized as a local, national, and international leader in health care education through excellence and innovation in teaching, scholarship, and service.

Mission Statement

The College of Health Care Sciences strives to provide professionals with the skills necessary for the diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of disease and disability in order to assure optimum health conditions in the community and beyond. With an unwavering commitment to ethical practice and in support of the Nova Southeastern University Core Values, the college endeavors to advance research, scholarship, and the development of leadership skills utilizing traditional educational methods, distance learning, and innovative combinations of both to achieve its educational goals.
Program Outcomes and Highlights

The graduate earning a Doctor of Audiology (Au.D.) degree from Nova Southeastern University’s Department of Audiology will be able to

• demonstrate clinical proficiency in diagnostic assessment methodology and the interpretation of diagnostic test results with a variety of clinical populations
• develop and implement a plan for audioligic and vestibular management and treatment based on clinical assessment data with a variety of clinical populations
• effectively collaborate and/or counsel patients, family members, care givers, and other professionals
• evaluate and critically apply current research to determine and enhance clinical efficacy
• demonstrate ability to assume a leadership role in professional, clinical, and scholarly activities
• apply appropriate technologies to accomplish research, diagnosis, interpretation, management, and treatment activities

Program Highlights

Innovative Curriculum
The program at NSU is designed to prepare students to enter the profession of audiology ready to practice. In addition to our traditional audiology curriculum, we offer specific coursework in genetics and hearing loss, biochemistry and pharmacology, practice management and leadership, gerontology, tinnitus, and auditory processing.

Vestibular Specialization
The Audiology Department offers a Vestibular Specialization to those students interested in obtaining advanced skills in vestibular evaluation and treatment. In addition to the two classes that are part of the Au.D. course of study, students may take a third course that focuses on in-depth analysis of vestibular evaluation and treatment with a concentration on special populations. An interprofessional approach to the management of dizzy/fall-risk patients is presented. Vestibular rehabilitation and balance therapy techniques are evaluated, and students receive priority for vestibular clinical placements.

State-of-the-Art Facilities on a Beautiful Campus
The Au.D. program at NSU has classroom facilities on the Health Professions Division campus in the beautiful Greater Fort Lauderdale area. Our program has state-of-the-art equipment in a dedicated student lab facility. In addition, we have an on-campus, comprehensive audiology clinic equipped with the latest audioligic and vestibular diagnostic and treatment equipment.

Diverse Clinical Opportunities
In addition to our full-service, on-campus clinic, the program has affiliations with clinical training sites located throughout Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach counties. Students spend three semesters in internships at various practice settings (including hospitals, private practices, public schools, nonprofit organizations, and medical facilities) to allow for diversity of clinical experience and population.

Student Academy of Audiology (SAA)
Our local chapter is active in national and international humanitarian and community service activities. From local health fairs to outreach with underserved migrant workers and their families to hospital and nursing home-based initiatives, our students demonstrate their enthusiastic spirit of volunteerism. Our students have participated in humanitarian trips to Guatemala to evaluate and fit hearing instruments on children and adults. Additionally, students have traveled to Trinidad, British Virgin Islands, and Nicaragua to evaluate children, fit them with hearing instruments, and provide teacher training workshops. Mission trips are ongoing.

Dual Accreditation
Out of the more than 74 audiology programs in the United States, NSU’s Au.D. degree program is one of only six that is dually accredited by the Council on Academic Accreditation (CAA) of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) and the Accreditation Commission for Audiology Education (ACAE).
Admissions Requirements

Prospective Doctor of Audiology students are selected by an admissions committee. Selection is based on preprofessional academic performance, written application, letters of recommendation, Graduate Record Examination (GRE) score, and a personal interview.

The admissions committee reviews all completed applications, and invitations are extended for a personal interview to the highest-ranking students. Preference will be given to students with a cumulative undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.2 or higher. Interviews are held on campus, providing applicants with an opportunity to meet faculty members and current students and to visit the campus and audiology facilities.

The Audiology Department requires applicants to be in the process of completing or have completed a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university.

Matriculation Requirements

Three hours of coursework in Normal Language Development is required before taking Pediatric Audiology (AUD 7130). Students must demonstrate understanding of the speech and language difficulties associated with hearing impairment; therefore, the department recommends a course in speech and language of the hearing impaired. An overview course in speech and language is also recommended. If a student did not complete these courses as an undergraduate, he or she can take them during the Au.D. course of study. However, the courses will require a separate registration and tuition.

Essential Functions of the Doctor of Audiology Student

The Au.D. program has the responsibility to the public to assure that graduates will be fully competent audiologists—providing benefit and doing no harm. Individuals admitted and retained in the Au.D. program must possess the intelligence, integrity, compassion, humanitarian concern, physical and emotional capacity, communication skills, and professionalism necessary to practice audiology. To this end, all NSU Doctor of Audiology students must meet the requirements outlined in the Essential Functions of the Au.D. Student document upon admission and while matriculating through the program.

Accreditations

The audiology program is dually accredited by the Council on Academic Accreditation (CAA) of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) and the Accreditation Commission for Audiology Education (ACAE). Graduates have completed the academic and clinical requirements necessary to be eligible to apply for a license as an audiologist and pursue board certification in audiology from the American Board of Audiology, and may elect to seek the Certificate of Clinical Competence from ASHA.

Nova Southeastern University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award associate's, baccalaureate, master's, educational specialist, doctorate, and professional degrees. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Nova Southeastern University.

Nondiscrimination

Consistent with all federal and state laws, rules, regulations, and/or local ordinances (e.g., Title VII, Title VI, Title III, Title II, Rehab Act, ADA, and Title IX), it is the policy of Nova Southeastern University not to engage in any discrimination or harassment against any individuals because of race, color, religion or creed, sex, pregnancy status, national or ethnic origin, nondisqualifying disability, age, ancestry, marital status, sexual orientation, unfavorable discharge from the military, veteran status, or political beliefs or affiliations, and to comply with all federal and state nondiscrimination, equal opportunity, and affirmative action laws, orders, and regulations.

This nondiscrimination policy applies to admissions, enrollment, scholarships, loan programs, athletics, employment, and access to, participation in, and treatment in all university centers, programs, and activities. NSU admits students of any race, color, religion or creed, sex, pregnancy status, national or ethnic origin, nondisqualifying disability, age, ancestry, marital status, sexual orientation, unfavorable discharge from the military, veteran status, or political beliefs or affiliations, to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at NSU, and does not discriminate in the administration of its educational policies, admission policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

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# Curriculum Outline

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<td>Anatomy and Physiology of the Auditory and Vestibular Mechanisms</td>
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### Total Semester Hours

| Total Semester Hours | 119 |

**Application Procedures**

Applicants for admission must submit or be responsible for the submission of:

1. a completed application form along with a $50, nonrefundable application fee
2. three letters of academic recommendation from professors and/or supervisors (must use the NSU Audiology Department evaluation form)
3. official transcripts sent directly from all previously attended undergraduate, professional, and graduate institutions
4. Graduate Record Examination (GRE) score report (taken within five years of the date of application)

All admissions materials must be sent to:

**NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY**
Enrollment Processing Services
College of Health Care Sciences
Audiology Program Admissions
3301 College Avenue, P.O. Box 299000
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33329-9905

Transcripts can be sent electronically from the originating college/university to the following address:

**electronictranscripts@nova.edu**

The Audiology Committee on Admissions will review applications after required fees, transcripts, GRE score reports, and recommendations have been received by the Audiology Office of Admissions. Applications can be accessed at [nova.edu/aud](http://nova.edu/aud). Follow the link to submit yours online.

Preference will be given to applications received prior to February 15.

Notice of acceptance into the program will be on a rolling or periodic schedule; therefore early completion of the application is in the best interest of the student.

Inquiries should be directed to
Phone: (954) 262-1110 or 877-640-0218
Email: audinfo@nova.edu
Website: [nova.edu/aud](http://nova.edu/aud)

Students are provisionally admitted to a degree-seeking program based on a review of unofficial transcripts or other specific program admission requirements. However, this admission includes a condition that final and official transcripts, documents, and requirements must be received within 90 calendar days from matriculation. If these final and official transcripts, documents, and/or requirements are not received by that time, the student will not be allowed to continue class attendance. Financial aid will not be disbursed to a provisional/conditional student until he or she has been fully admitted as a regular student (all admissions requirements have been approved by the college/program admissions office). Students who have an unpaid balance 30 days from the start of the term will be assessed a $100 late fee.
Applicants must submit

1. a completed application form along with a $50, nonrefundable application fee
2. three letters of academic recommendation from professors and/or supervisors (must use the NSU Audiology Department evaluation form)
3. all coursework from international institution(s), if applicant attended or is a graduate of any international institution(s)

Coursework taken at foreign institutions must be evaluated for U.S. institution equivalence by an approved National Association of Credential Evaluation Services (NACES) organization, such as one of the services listed below.

World Education Services, Inc.
Bowling Green Station
P.O. Box 5087
New York, New York 10274-5087

[212] 966-6311 • wes.org

Josef Silny & Associates, Inc.
7101 SW 102nd Avenue
Miami, Florida 33173

(305) 273-1616 • (305) 273-1338 fax
jsilny.com

Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc.
P.O. Box 514070
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53203-3470

(414) 289-3400 • ece.org

It is the applicant’s responsibility to have this coursework evaluated. An official course-by-course evaluation with a cumulative grade point average must be sent directly from the evaluation service to NSU’s Enrollment Processing Services.

4. Graduate Record Examination (GRE) score report (taken within five years of the date of application)

Applicants must also obtain an I-20 and be a full-time degree-seeking student.*

The audiology committee on admissions will not consider an application until all required fees, transcripts, recommendations, and test scores have been received. All application materials must be sent to the NSU Enrollment Processing Services.

Nova Southeastern University
Enrollment Processing Services
College of Health Care Sciences
Audiology Program Admissions
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* For additional information, contact the international student adviser, NSU, 3301 College Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33314-7796, or telephone (954) 262-7240. Students are responsible for all housing and financial arrangements in advance of registration.
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Tuition and Fees
1. Payment of tuition and fees is expected at the time of registration. Students receiving financial aid are responsible for making sure that they have completed all applications for financial aid and that it has been granted.

2. Tuition for 2019–2020 will be posted on our website [nova.edu/aud]. A Health Professions Division general access fee of $145 is required each year. An NSU student services fee of $1,350 is also required annually. All tuition and fees are subject to change by the board of trustees without notice.

3. Upon acceptance, students planning to enroll are required to complete an intent to enroll form with a nonrefundable deposit of $500. This advance payment will be deducted from the tuition payment due at registration.

The financial ability of applicants to complete their training is important because of the limited number of positions available. Applicants should have specific plans for financing four years of professional education. This should include provision for tuition, living expenses, books, and related expenses.

Computer Requirements
Students are expected to have a computer with PowerPoint, Word, and Excel software. Some programs used to augment coursework require a computer with the Windows Operating System.

Transfer Students
Individuals seeking to transfer to the NSU Doctor of Audiology program must submit an application and follow the application and admissions process. The audiology department will consider the transfer of credits from another academic institution. A maximum of 9 semester hours can be transferred. Eligibility for course transfer requires a grade of B or better and must be accompanied by an official course description. Credits must be earned within six years prior to program admission.
Health Professions Division Complex and Center for Collaborative Research [see below for location on campus]

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FIRST FLOOR
- Admissions
- Student Financial Aid
- One-Stop Shop
- HPL Cafeteria

SECOND FLOOR
- Dr. Fakih Patel College of Health Care Sciences
  - Audiology Department
  - Health Sciences Department
  - Occupational Therapy Department
  - Physical Therapy Department
  - Physician Assistant Department

THIRD FLOOR
- College of Medical Sciences
  - College of Pharmacy
- College of Medical Sciences
  - Physician Assistant Department
  - Occupational Therapy Department
  - Health Sciences Department
  - Audiology Department
- Dr. Pallavi Patel College of Health Care Sciences
- HPD Cafeteria
- One-Stop Shop
- Student Financial Aid

SECOND FLOOR
- Occupational Therapy Laboratories
- Optometry Laboratories
- Physical Therapy Laboratory
- Student Lounge
- FOMA Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine Laboratory

THIRD FLOOR
- Basic Science Laboratories
- Gross Anatomy Laboratories
- Microscopy Laboratory
- Research Laboratories
- Mosin Pharmacy Practice Laboratory
- Pharmaceutics Laboratory
- Pharmacokinetics Laboratory
- Pharmacodynamics Laboratory

4 PHARMACY AND PHARMACEUTICAL CARE CENTER

5 SANFORD L. ZIFF HEALTH CARE CENTER

FIRST FLOOR
- Audiology
- Family Medicine
- Geriatric Medicine
- Internal Medicine
- Pediatrics
- Pediatric Physical Therapy
- Student Medical Center

SECOND FLOOR
- Optometry Clinics
- Optometry Dispensary

THIRD FLOOR
- Business Offices
- Employee Wellness Center
- OB-GYN
- Osteopathic Medicine Treatments Center

6 DENTAL MEDICINE BUILDING

FIRST FLOOR
- Dental Urgent Care Clinic
- Radiology Clinic
- Student Dental Clinic
- Clinic Support Laboratory
- Periodontal and Postgrad Oral Surgery

SECOND FLOOR
- Research Laboratories
- Pharmacodynamics Laboratory
- Pharmacokinetics Laboratory

THIRD FLOOR
- Postgraduate Operative Dentistry Clinic
- Research Laboratories
- Seminar Rooms
- Central Sterilization Area
- Administrative Offices
- Faculty Offices
- Student Dental Supply Depot

7 PARKING GARAGE

8 HPD ASSEMBLY BUILDING

- Auditorium
- Computer Science Laboratory
- Research Laboratories
- Seminar Rooms
- Physical Assessment Laboratory
- Compliance Office

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