



School of Medicine
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

The cost of medical school can be a significant barrier, leaving students with substantial debt that can take years to repay. Currently, the average debt for a student graduating from the Augusta University/University of Georgia Medical Partnership is roughly \$205,000. Medical school scholarships are a rare and invaluable opportunity for aspiring medical students, so in addition to increasing access to a medical education, they help attract the best students. Moreover, they provide new doctors with the financial independence to practice in underresourced and rural areas of our state.

Scholarship funding would dramatically increase UGA’s ability to recruit the highest-caliber students and provide them access to America’s newest independent medical school. The UGA Foundation, recognizing this opportunity, is offering to match donations that will create scholarships for UGA medical students.

School of Medicine Scholarships

Minimum gift: \$50,000

Match: up to \$100,000

The UGA Foundation formally approved \$1 million in scholarship matching funds for the UGA School of Medicine. This matching model allows us to immediately allocate matching funds to your new endowment while designating a portion of your gift for immediate scholarship awards and the remainder to your endowment.

This is a unique opportunity to support the UGA School of Medicine and help build a foundation that will support future doctors for generations to come.

Donors who commit \$50,000 or more before June 30, 2026 will be honored on the donor wall in the new UGA Medical Education and Research Building.

\$100K PLEDGE PAYMENT SCHEDULE	
Payment 1	\$25,000
Payment 2	\$25,000
Payment 3	\$25,000
Payment 4	\$25,000
Match	\$100,000
Total	\$200,000