

Established in 1977, the University of Houston System is the largest provider of comprehensive university services in the Texas Gulf Coast region.

4 Universities with 6 Instructional Sites



74,566
Students Enrolled



9,519
Employees



\$2.4 Billion
Budget



Student Success

UH System institutions rank among the best in the U.S. for moving students up the economic ladder.

18,176 Degrees Awarded

- **UH** is 36th in the nation for social mobility in U.S. News & World Report's National Universities ranking.
- **UHD** ranks 27th for social mobility in U.S. News & World Report's Regional Universities West ranking.
- **1** Phi Beta Kappa Chapter. America's most prestigious academic honor society — only 10% of U.S. institutions have a chapter.
- **45** Student Fulbrights
- **1** Carnegie R-1 Research University. The Tier One ranking for academic research.

Full-Tuition Coverage

\$322.8 Million
given in full-tuition coverage



Each UH System university is making college more accessible by covering full tuition and fees for students from low- and/or middle-income families.

Faculty Honors

UH is #1 in Texas for members of the National Academy of Inventors.



1
Pulitzer Prize Winner

40
National Academy of Inventors Members

1
National Humanities Medal Winner

28
National Academy of Engineering Members

2
MacArthur Winners

5
American Academy of Arts and Sciences Members

17
Guggenheim Winners

4
National Academy of Sciences Members

NASA Partner



40 Years

of collaboration with NASA's Johnson Space Center — in fact, UH-Clear Lake was established in 1971 to provide educational programs to NASA employees.

From robotics to unmanned aerial vehicles, space architecture to astronaut health, today, over **12** NASA projects are underway across the UH System.

Department of Education Designations



4 Hispanic-Serving Institutions: **UH, UHD, UHCL, UHV**



1 Asian American and Native American Pacific Islander Serving Institution: **UH**

Military-Serving



Each UH System university is military and veteran friendly, with **3** earning accolades for their endeavors.

Research and Innovation



\$240 Million
in research expenditures / UH ranks
3rd in expenditures in Texas.



UH Ranks #1
in technology transfer measured
by income from faculty patents.

Advancing Clean Energy & Water

UH — THE ENERGY UNIVERSITY® — is part of multiple national consortia with over **\$1 billion** in federal funding to advance the energy transition via research and innovation.

UHV is collaborating with **2** national laboratories to develop artificial intelligence for the detection and monitoring of groundwater contamination.

Transforming Health

UHCL's innovative Connecting the Dots program has helped **500** Houston families with autism overcome communication challenges.

The UH Population Health initiative received a **\$44 million** NIH grant to establish a clinical translational research hub in partnership with Baylor College of Medicine.

Powering Health Care

With its proximity to the world's largest medical center, UH System universities are fueling the industry with an educated and equipped workforce. All universities offer top-ranked nursing degrees to help fill the nation's nursing shortage. In 2020, UH opened Houston's first new medical college in 50 years to help mitigate Texas's physician shortage. In 2024, UHCL opened a new location at the Texas Medical Center, making health-related degrees easily accessible to working professionals.



162
health-related degree programs



705
nursing students enrolled



13,418
health-related students enrolled



196
nursing degrees awarded



3,872
health-related degrees awarded

Public Art

700 Works of Art

are in the Public Art of the UH System collection — one of the most significant university-based public art collections in the U.S.

Works are featured at each UH System university and include noteworthy artists such as Dorothy Hood, Carlos Cruz-Diez, Frank Stella and Andy Warhol.

Shown right: **Andy Warhol**, *Andy Warhol Polaroids*, 1975-85



Community Engagement



98 Houston-area seniors received digital literacy training and a free tablet from UHD.



600+ new teachers have received free professional development support from UHCL's Mentoring Collaborative.



The UHV Nonprofit Center equipped **132** nonprofit staff and volunteers with knowledge to drive positive change in their community and world.



UH's College of Nursing Clinic provided **727** free medical appointments to Houston's underserved and unhoused communities.