





# EDUCATION RESEARCH. CARE.





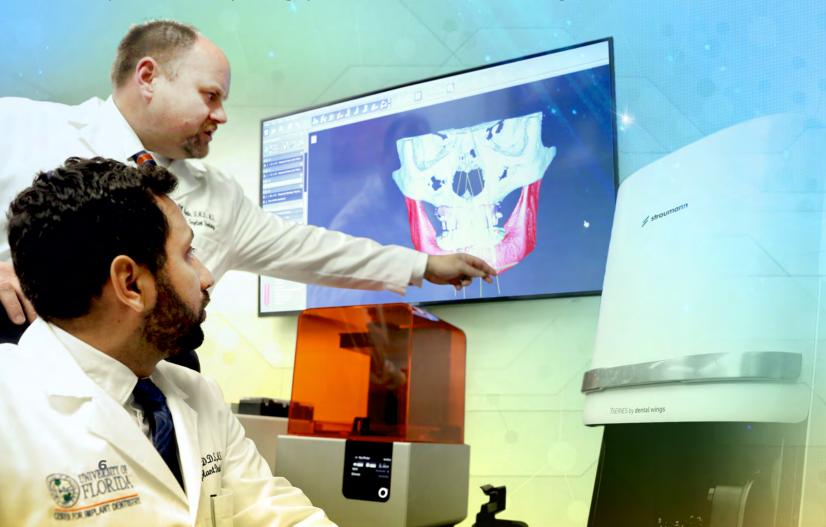
#### HELPING PEOPLE LIVE

## LONG & HEALTHY LIVES

FILL A CAVITY AND YOU FIX A DENTAL PROBLEM. Fill the mind of a dental student at UF and you open their world, and ours, to comprehensive health care. Including an opportunity to name the college, we identified important ways that donors can give in support of comprehensive health care that begins before a child is even born, and continues throughout their lifetime.

#### UF CENTER FOR DIGITAL AND AESTHETIC DENTISTRY

THIS CENTER WILL FOSTER COLLABORATION BETWEEN OUR ACADEMIC PARTNERS, DENTISTS AND HEALTH-RELATED COLLEAGUES with the goal of improving dental and overall health. The center will deliver improved treatments to arrest dental disease and position the college as a leader and source for education, data and expertise in areas like major oral health rehabilitation due to trauma, malignancies or birth defects, 3-D printing, and computer-aided treatment in prosthodontics, implantology, periodontics, endodontics and oral surgery.



#### UF CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE IN CHILDREN'S ORAL HEALTH

CHILDREN WITH POOR ORAL HEALTH ARE NEARLY THREE TIMES MORE LIKELY TO MISS SCHOOL than their healthier peers – especially when they have tooth pain. Poor oral health can begin before a child is even born and have lifelong consequences. Investing in oral health education and care during pregnancy and early childhood leads to better health, better learning, more productive citizens, and better use of resources.

#### STUDENT SUPPORT

SCHOLARSHIP SUPPORT ALLOWS US TO REDUCE FINANCIAL PRESSURE AND ENABLE THE BEST AND BRIGHTEST of Florida's future dentists to focus on what really matters — their patients' oral and overall health.

#### **FACULTY SUPPORT**

FUNDING A FACULTY ENDOWMENT IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT OPPORTUNITIES TO MAKE
A LASTING DIFFERENCE at the UF College of Dentistry. Endowments create streams of funding that
give faculty the tools they need to make new discoveries, enhance knowledge and serve patients.



## CREATING OPPORTUNITY

Today's dental students graduate with the highest average debt load of any professional students in the country. Scholarships create opportunities for the brightest students to pursue their passion of studying dentistry and making a difference in the lives of others.

"My scholarship allows me to focus on becoming the best dentist I can be by decreasing my stress about accumulating debt."

SUMMER BROOKE YOUNG,
 DMD CLASS OF 2020

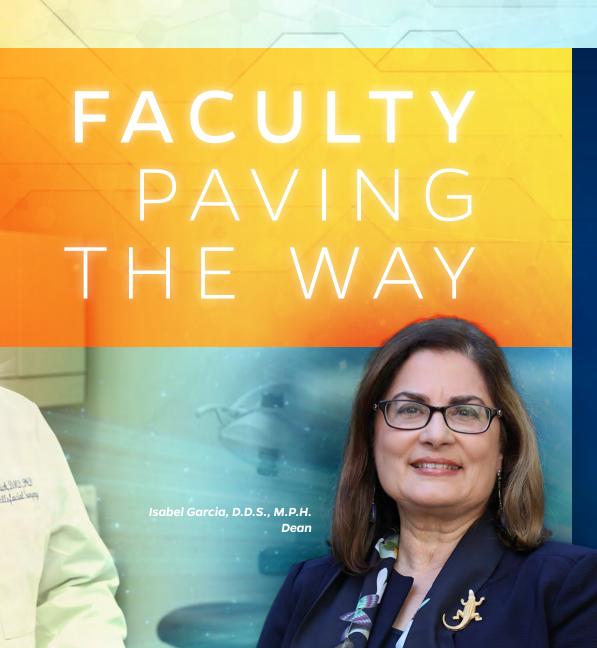




"Along my journey, I have benefited from opportunities that others offered. I am grateful for what others have done for me, and strive to pay it forward in pursuit of excellence."

DAILI DIAZ, DMD CLASS OF 2018
 ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY RESIDENT





Our faculty are leaders in patient care, research and education. Their contributions propel the UF College of Dentistry to the forefront of dental education and maintain our reputation as one of the best dental schools in the United States.

**Endowed professorships**, established through the strength of the GO GREATER campaign, will help our faculty remove barriers and achieve even greater heights of discovery, learning and care.

- · COMMUNITY DENTISTRY & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE
- ENDODONTICS
- · ORAL BIOLOGY
- · ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL DIAGNOSTICS
- · ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY
- ORTHODONTICS
- PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY
- PERIODONTOLOGY
- · RESTORATIVE DENTAL SCIENCES

Rodrigo Neiva, D.D.S., M.S. Professor and Program Director Periodontology



# HELPING FLORIDA GO FURTHER

The UF Statewide Network for Community Oral Health is an enduring resource committed to providing community-based clinical learning opportunities for dental students and residents, while improving access to dental services for underserved populations.

- THERE ARE MORE THAN A DOZEN DENTAL CENTERS IN THE

  UE STATEWIDE NETWORK FOR COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH
- EACH YEAR, WE PROVIDE CARE TO PATIENTS FROM ALL 67 COUNTIES IN FLORIDA.



### TOGETHER EXTRAORDINARY

THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA AND COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY CONTINUE TO REACH GREATER HEIGHTS OF EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND PATIENT CARE — and are growing at a rate unsustainable through public funding alone.

Our journey is just beginning. Through the GO GREATER campaign the UF College of Dentistry is charting a course to excellence that is built on passion and driven by a desire to serve. We will drive discovery, improve treatments and care, foster innovation and empower difference-makers. We will establish UF College of Dentistry as a guidepost that our state, nation and world will look to for leadership.

TOGETHER, WE GO GREATER.

