

KEY TERMS & DEFINITIONS for THE UNIVERSITY of MINNESOTA'S WORLD CLASS ACADEMIC HEALTH SYSTEM

Entities & Operations

UMMS – University of Minnesota Medical School is a component of the University with campuses in Minneapolis and Duluth

UMMC – University of Minnesota Medical Center is comprised of three hospitals and dozens of adult specialty clinics on both the East and West banks of the University of Minnesota campus in Minneapolis. UMMC is currently owned by Fairview and operated in partnership under the MHealth Fairview name

Academic Health Sciences – The University operates six health colleges and schools - the Medical School, College of Pharmacy, College of Veterinary Medicine, School of Public Health, School of Nursing, and School of Dentistry

Academic Health Services – Mission-related activities of UMMS and other University health sciences schools and programs, including teaching, research and service, to support the public interests of the State of Minnesota

UMP – University of Minnesota Physicians is a multi-specialty academic physician practice established at the University of Minnesota

Fairview – Fairview Health Services is a nonprofit network of community hospitals, academic hospitals, primary and specialty care clinics, senior facilities, facilitated living centers, rehabilitation centers, home health care services, counseling, pharmacies and benefit management services that offers healthcare services

Fairview Board – Operates as the System Board

System – All hospitals and clinics within the current M Health Fairview joint clinical enterprise, including UMMC

M Health Fairview – An academic health system that is a collaboration among the University of Minnesota, University of Minnesota Physicians, and Fairview Health Services

Academic Health Center –

Joint Clinical Enterprise (JCE) structure –

Model of Care Agreement – UMMC must be able to provide specialized, complex levels of service; patients must be seen in the most appropriate setting (taking into account timely access, quality, staffing, cost, patient choice and other factors); and patterns of care across the whole Fairview system must support that result

Facilities

UMMC campus facilities – Fairview-owned medical center facilities on the East Bank and West Bank

East Bank – three medical buildings are located on the East Bank, including the Clinics and Surgery Center, UMMC East Bank hospital, and the Phillips-Wangensteen Building

West Bank – six medical buildings are located on the West Bank, including the West Building (services include pediatric specialty care, emergency, psychiatric services),

East Building (services for adults and children, including care at the Pediatric Specialty Care Explorer Clinic and Pediatric Specialty Care Journey Clinic), and Masonic

Masonic Children’s Hospital – children’s hospital on the West Bank

Clinics and Surgery Center (CSC building) – UMN owned, Fairview operated

Themes

Academic Medicine – the intersection of clinical care, research and education in a medical school

Control of UMMC – this will ensure that all Minnesotans, throughout the entire state, have access to highly trained health care physicians and other professionals, advanced treatments, cutting-edge diagnostics, specialized care and clinical trials, and health care advancements, that is under the control of the state’s public University

UMMC Clinical Operations Within Larger System – academic medical centers thrive when operated as part of a fully integrated health system. Highly specialized academic providers have sufficient patient volume to teach and hone their expertise while also providing students, residents and fellows sufficient exposure to the day-to-day medical concerns of a community based practice