



**Research Capabilities Presentation
Maryland Department of Health**



Background

- Doctoral degree-granting research university and one of the Nation's 1890 public land-grant, historically Black Institutions
- Ranked in the Top 20 of Historically Black Colleges and Universities by *US News and World Reports*
- UMES has been named a Top 10 Best College in Maryland by the website, *College Choice*.
- The Chronicle of Higher Education ranks UMES #2 in faculty diversity among all 4-year public institutions in the country.
- Carnegie Research Classified University-High Research Activity
- Located on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, approximately 2 hours away from Baltimore, Washington, D.C., Philadelphia and Norfolk, VA.

President-Dr. Heidi M. Anderson

UMES Schools

- ▶ School of Agricultural and Natural Sciences
- ▶ School of Business and Technology
- ▶ School of Education, Social Sciences and the Arts
- ▶ School of Pharmacy and Health Professions

Related Research Interests and Capabilities

- ▶ Childhood and adolescent obesity
- ▶ Cardiovascular disease
- ▶ Biochemistry cellular and molecular biology
- ▶ Medical marijuana
- ▶ Narcan Training
- ▶ Opioid and substance abuse (training and prevention)
- ▶ Medication Management
- ▶ Diabetes research
- ▶ Alzheimer's Disease
- ▶ Community based rehabilitation
- ▶ HIVAIDS research

Related Research Interests and Capabilities

- ▶ Dietetics and nutrition
- ▶ Early childhood development
- ▶ Vocational rehabilitation
- ▶ Community and school counseling
- ▶ Special education
- ▶ Behavioral interventions

UMES

- ▶ **Highly ranked Historically Black University**
- ▶ **Committed to health and human services research and activities**
- ▶ **Qualified faculty and staff**
- ▶ **State of the art facilities and equipment**
- ▶ **Experienced with grants and contracts**
- ▶ **Improved engagement with MDH**

Facilities and Planned Projects

- ▶ Engineering and Aviation Sciences Complex (UMES)
- ▶ The Universities at Shady Grove, (Montgomery County)
- ▶ Eastern Shore Higher Educational Center (Wye Mills)
- ▶ University System of Maryland at Hagerstown (Hagerstown)
- ▶ School of Pharmacy (Groundbreaking December 2019)



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