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UF College of Dentistry is ranked No. 7 out of 57 U.S. dental schools for NIH/NIDCR funding.

Students	453
Dental	325
Advanced Education <i>(Residents & Fellows)</i>	104
Internationally Educated Dentist Program	24

Faculty (full-time)	145
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Degree/Certificate Programs	16
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Locations	Naples	Gainesville Seminole	Jacksonville Hialeah
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Patient Visits	101,686
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Operating Budget (FY07-08)	\$62.5M
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Research Funding (FY07-08)	\$13.1M
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Education

- The UF College of Dentistry is the only state-supported dental institution in Florida completing 101,686 patient visits during the last year.
- The Class of 2009 scored an average of 84.80 compared to the national average of 82.00 on the 2007 National Board Dental Examination – Part I. The mean score for the National Board of Dental Examination – Part II for the Class of 2008 was 82.2 compared to 80.9 for the national average.
- More than 1,500 applications were received for 83 openings in the D.M.D. class entering in 2008.

Patient Care

- Through the Statewide Network for Community Oral Health, the UF College of Dentistry is one of the largest providers of affordable and indigent dental services in Florida.
- The Naples Pediatric Dental Clinic, located on the Collier County Campus of Edison College opened its doors to deliver patient care on December 3, 2008. The clinic, funded entirely by gifts and matching state funds, will provide increased access to care for pediatric patients and enlarge our pediatric dentistry residency program.

Research

- The Oral Biology Department is rated first in the U.S. based on NIH research funding among similar departments. Oral biology faculty includes national leaders in oral infectious diseases and immunology research.
- The college is nationally recognized for its oral health research enterprise, emphasizing infectious diseases in dentistry, bone biology, pain and neurosciences, and translational research to improve clinical dental care.
- The college participates in the national Dental Practitioners Research Network with NIH/NIDCR and the University of Alabama that involves dental professionals in oral health research networks.
- The NIH awarded a five-year, \$5.3 million grant to create a research center aimed at reducing disparities in head and neck cancer survival through prevention and early detection in low income, minority men. It will be first of its kind to focus on head and neck cancer in the Southeast.

Sources of Revenue

Patient Revenue	\$15.9M	25%
Contracts & Grants	\$10.9 M	17%
State Tax Dollars	\$12.7 M	20%
Tuition & Fees	\$10.0 M	16%
Gifts & Endowments	\$1.7 M	3%
Indirect Cost	\$2.2 M	4%
GME	\$2.7 M	4%
Financial Aid	\$0.6 M	1%
Other	\$6.5 M	10%