Health Systems Workforce Forum ChristianaCare

Delaware Health Care Commission June 1st, 2023

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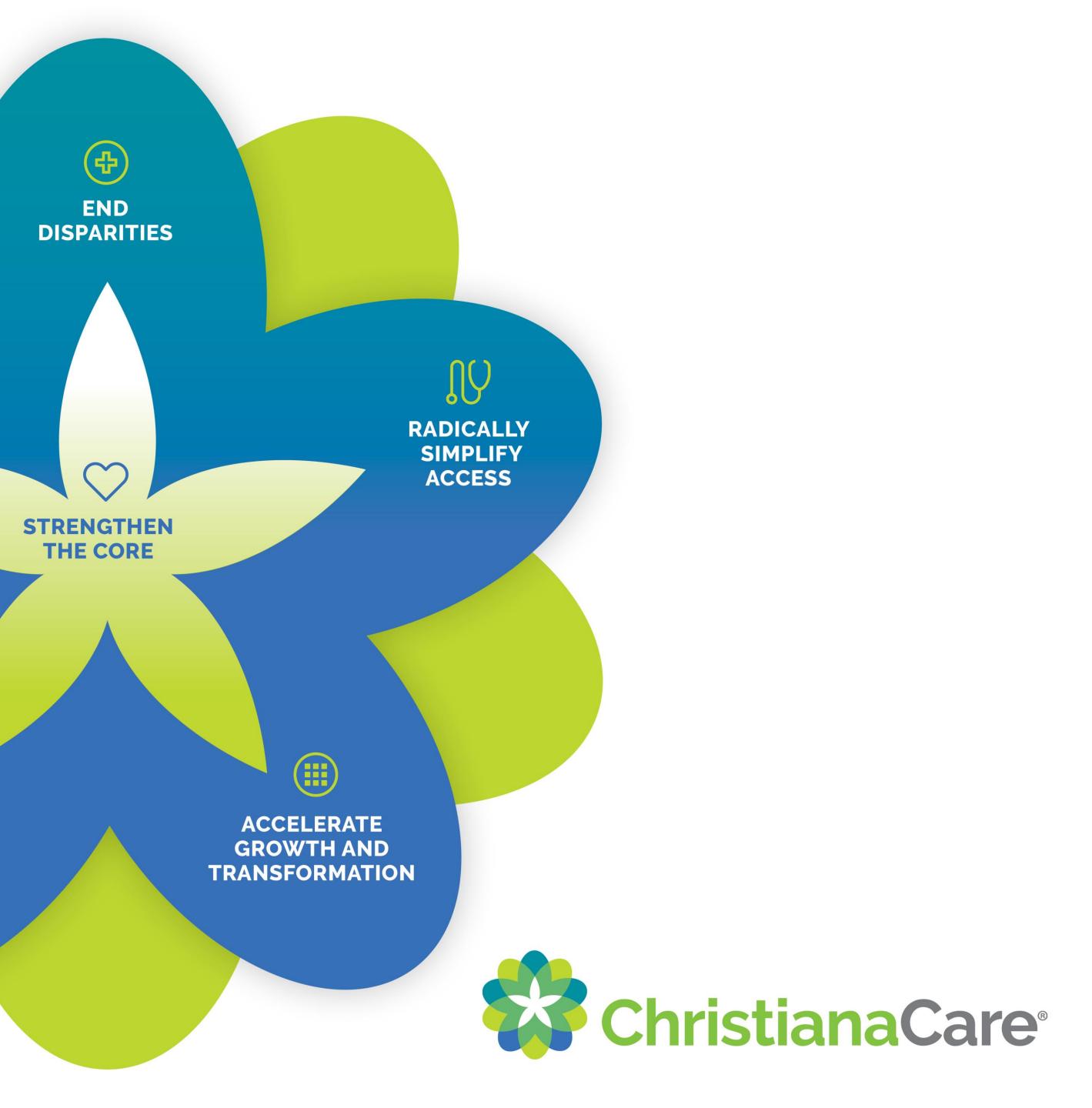




ENABLE EVERY CAREGIVER TO THRIVE

OUR ASPIRATIONS

Building on what we do best, ChristianaCare will achieve breakthrough outcomes by creating a boundless organization driven to... KEEP PEOPLE HEALTHY AT HOME



Priorities and Challenges

- Attracting *trainees* to ChristianaCare and then stay long-term
 - Need competitive programs and recruitment strategy in place
- Expanding or starting new residencies/fellowships
 - **Requires years of planning and resource utilization**
 - Base need by geography and specialty
 - Costs associated are mostly absorbed by system
 - Thinking outside the box for funding: grants, gifts
- Attracting *clinicians* to practice at ChristianaCare and stay long-term
 - Current candidates are more interested in job design flexibility, work life balance, part time, etc





Retention Incentives

Loan Repayment

Job Placement

Clinical Programs

Medical School Branch Campus Programs Nursing Externships



DIMER/DIDER

Scholarship

Job Shadowing

PATHWAY TO SUPPORT THE DE HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE

Post-Graduate Training

Nursing Practicums Nurse Residency *Residency/Fellowship Programs* Advanced Practice Clinician Residency

Delaware Colleges and Universities

Job Shadowing Nursing Scholarships Medical Scholars Program

Delaware High Schools

Nursing Pathway Programs DIMER Lecture Series





Pre-Clinical Opportunities

Nursing Pathway Programs 2023:

- **1.** ChristianaCare's Nursing Career Collaborative 2nd Annual
- Level 1= 14 students (sophomores & juniors)
- Level 2= 6 students (seniors)

2. Brandywine School District Lifesaver Events

• 60 total: (30 middle school & 30 high school students)

3. Surgical Service Work Based Learning Experience

- 50 hours observation & engagement
- 5 Appoquinimink / Middletown high school students

Nurse Job Shadow Program 2023:

- 136 external nurse job shadows
- 60 SNE (Student Nurse Extern) nurse job shadows

Graduate Nursing Students (MSN) 2023:

Approximately 80 practicum requirements supported







Pre-Clinical Opportunities

Allied Health and Physician Shadowing:

- AY2022-2023: 648 students
- AY2021-2022: 107 students
- AY2020-2021: suspended COVID-19
- AY2019-2020: 413 students
- AY2018-2019: 545 students

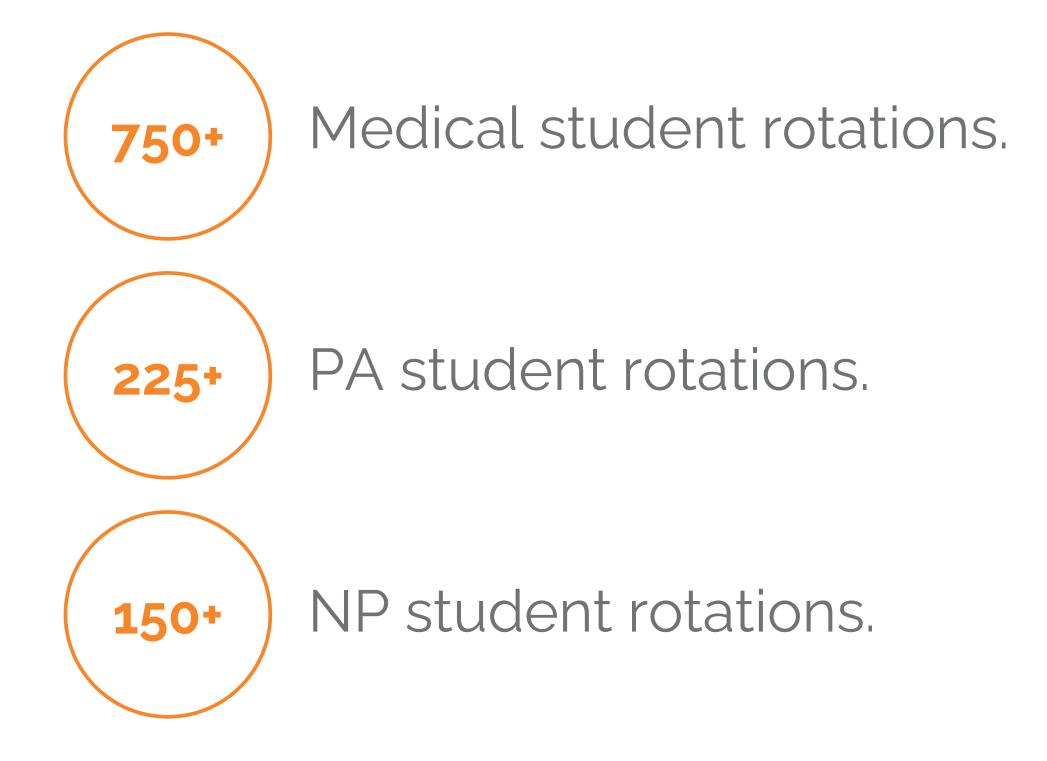


<u>University of Delaware – Medical Scholars Program:</u>

- AY2023-2024: Summer 8
- AY2022-2023: Summer 11; Winter 5
- AY2021-2022: suspended COVID-19
- AY2020-2021: suspended COVID-19
- AY2019-2020: Summer 1 ; Winter 13
- AY2018-2019: Winter 10



ChristianaCare Student Programs/year



Nursing student rotations.

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2,200

Pharmacy student rotations.



Allied health students in 6 co-sponsored programs and 32 professions.

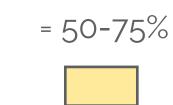




Allied Health Workforce Retention (past 2 years)

Allied Health Program	ChristianaCare Retention (2 years)		Local Reten (2 yea	Total Graduates	
Respiratory Care	2	20%	4	40%	10
Radiology Technology	11	61.1%	Ο	0%	18
Nuclear Medicine	2	100%	Ο	0%	2
Ultrasound	4	66.7%	2	33.3%	6

= 25-50%



= 75-100%





Physician Assistant Workforce Retention (past 2 years)

PA Branch Campus		Care Retention <i>years)</i>	Total Graduates	
Jefferson	1	8.33%	12	
PCOM	1	25.00%	4	

PA Affiliated Schools		Care Retention <i>years)</i>	Total Graduates		
Arcadia University	5	5.00%	100		
Drexel University	0	0.00%	12		
Jefferson	3	15.00%	20		
PCOM	2	4.88%	41		
University of the Sciences/ St. Joseph's University	1	20.00%	5		

= 0-25%

= 25-50%



Over the 2 years, 3 students entered our APC Fellowships; 1 from Branch Campus, and 2 from other partnered institutions





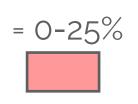






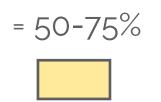
Advanced Practice Clinicians Retention Post- Fellowship Training

APC Fellowship	# of cohorts	Total Participants	ChristianaCare Retention
Primary Care	8	30	80%
Neonatal ICU	4	8	100%
Behavioral Health	3	5	80%
Neurology	1	2	0%
Critical Care (1 st cohort completes 01/2024)	1	1	TBD
Hospitalist (starting 10/2023)	1	2	TBD



= 25-50%





= 75-100%







Development & Scholarship:

Delaware State University Nursing Scholars Program:

• 11 total (2 seniors 5 juniors & 4 sophomores)

Ruth Shaw Junior Board Scholarship:

• 6 total: (2 seniors, 3 juniors & 1 sophomore)

Cecil College Scholarship:

• 2 recipients converting to RNs

Nursing Advancement Scholarship Program:

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 RN-BSN at DTCC 	140 nurses
 MSN- leadership WilmU 	40 nurses
 MSN-educator WilmU 	10 nurses
 Acute care Bridge UPenn 	18 nurses
 MSN FNP WilmU 	4 nurses
 MSN-FNP TJU 	3 nurses
 MSN AGACNP-TJU 	6 nurses
 MSN CNS- Widener 	4 nurses

Nursing Workforce



Nursing Workforce Programming FY2023:

- **1.** Patient Care Technician (PCT) Residency:
 - 73 PCT 97% exam pass rate
 - 1 PCT resident promoted to RNI

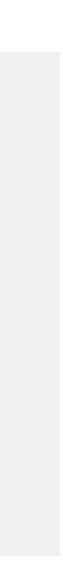
2. Student Nurse Extern (SNE) Program:

- 106 onboarded as. SNEs
- 63 SNEs converted to RNs

3. Perioperative Winter Internship:

• 2 interns: 1 converted to OR residents







Physician Workforce Graduate Medical Education

Residencies

- Diagnostic Radiology
- Emergency Medicine
- Emergency Medicine/Family Medicine
- Emergency Medicine/Internal Medicine
- Family Medicine
- General Practice Dentistry
- General Surgery
- Internal Medicine
- Integrated VIR
- Independent VIR
- Medical Physics
- Medicine-Pediatrics
- Obstetrics & Gynecology
- Oral Maxillofacial Surgery
- Pharmacy
- Pharmacy Ambulatory Care
- Pharmacy Critical Care
- Podiatric Medicine & Surgery
- Psychiatry
- Transitional Year

Fellowships

- Advanced Heart Failure & Transplant
- Cardiovascular Disease
- Clinical Informatics
- Hospice and Palliative Care
- Interventional Cardiology
- Minimally Invasive GYN Surgery
- Otolaryngology
- Quality & Safety
- Sports Medicine
- Surgical Breast Oncology
- Surgical Critical Care
- Vascular Interventional Radiology (VIR)

2 residency and fellowship programs (including non ACGME-accredited programs)

Total Residents and Fellows



Physician Workforce Development Programs

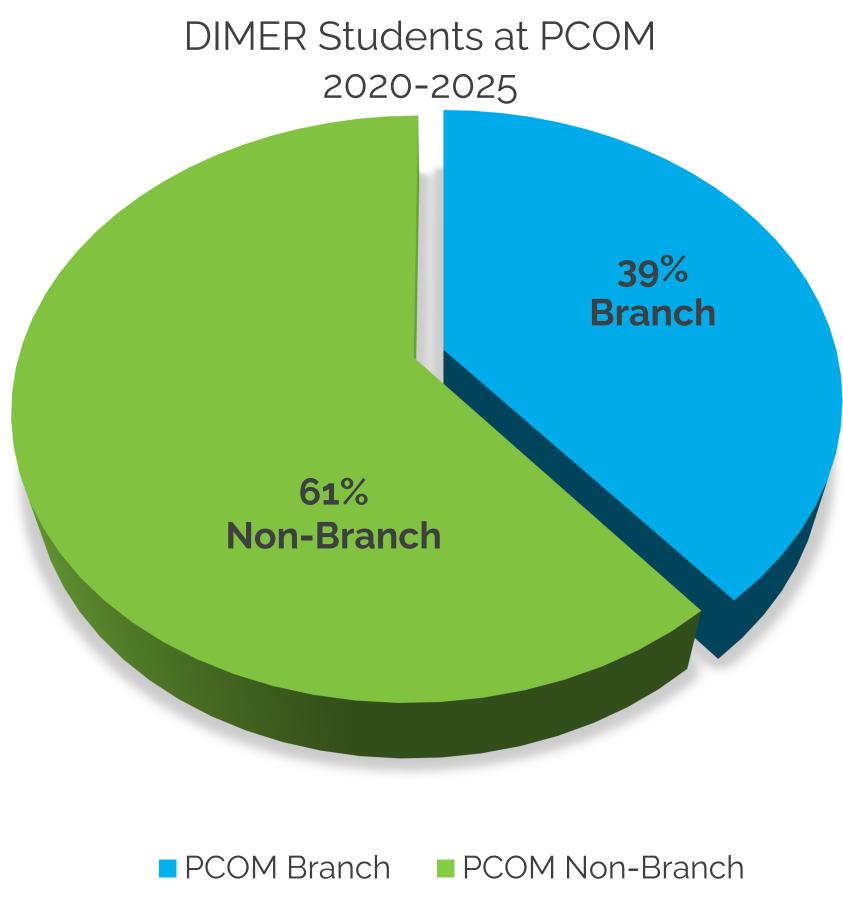
- University of Delaware Medical Scholars Program
- DIMER Workforce Development Initiative
- Branch Campus partnerships with Sidney Kimmel Medical College (SKMC) and Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine (PCOM)







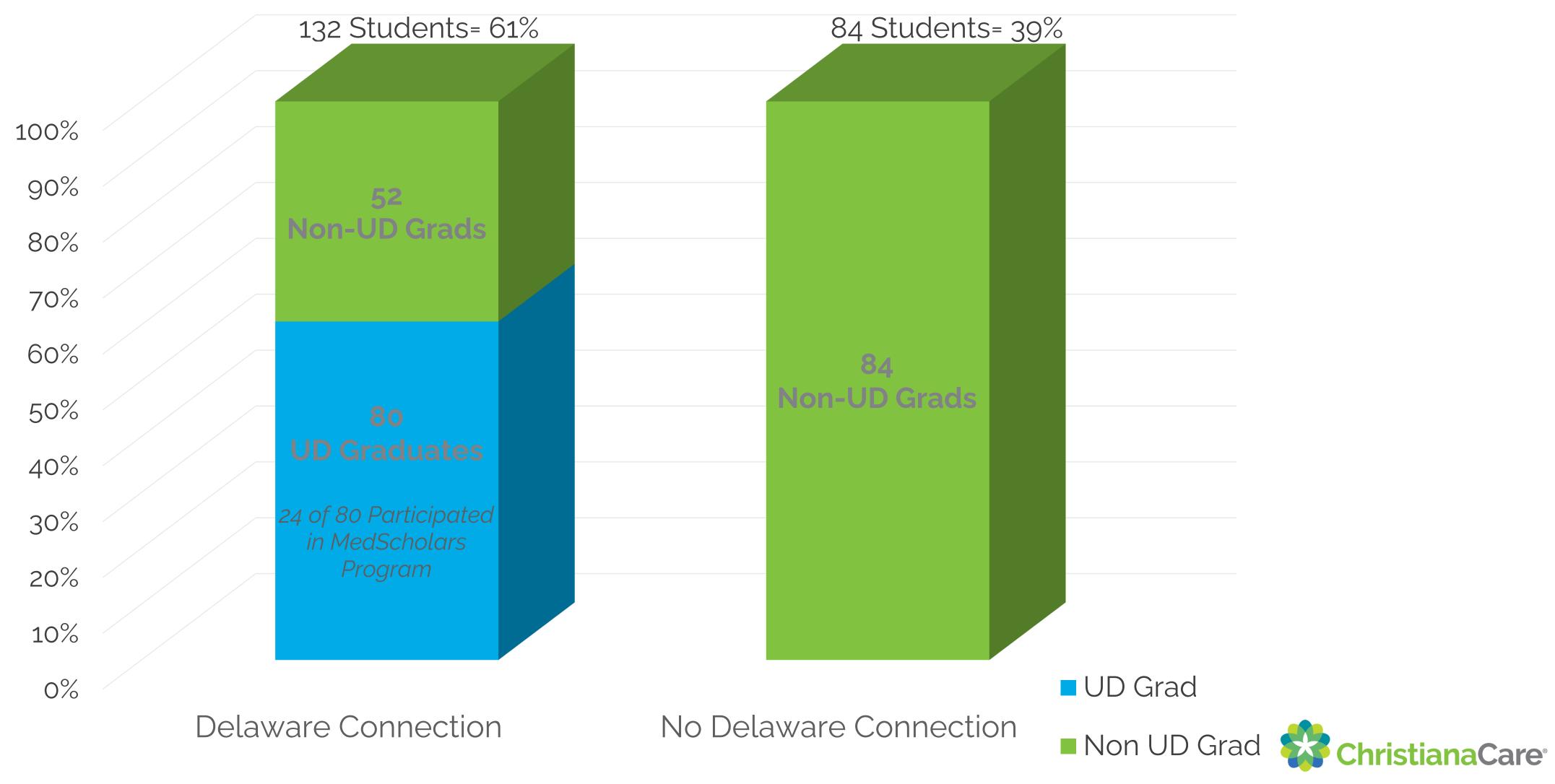
DIMER Participation in Branch Campus DIMER Students at SKMC DIMER Students at PCOM 2013-2025 2020-2025 31% 39% Branch Branch 71% 61% **Non-Branch Non-Branch** SKMC Branch SKMC Non-Branch PCOM Branch PCOM Non-Branch







Delaware Branch Campus Students Incoming Class 2013-2024 N=216





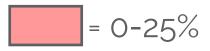
Branch Campus Residency Match (past 5 years)

Branch Campus Match	ChristianaCare Retention (5 years)		Regional Retent (5 ye	Total Graduates	
PCOM	13	28.89%	16	35.56%	45
SKMC	7	12.96%	35	64.81%	54

Branch Campus/DIMER Match	ChristianaCare Retention (5 years)		Regional Retention (PA/NJ/MD) (5 years)		Total Graduates
DIMER	16	11.42%	41	29.3%	140
Non-DIMER	6	16.67%	20	55.6%	36

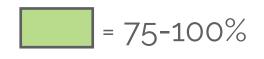
Branch Campus Faculty	ChristianaCare Pos (8	Total Graduates	
DIMER	4	8%	50
Non-DIMER	0	0%	51

* Data Reported May 2023













Physician Residency Core Program Retention

Program	ChristianaCare Retention (5 years)		Regional (PA/NJ/MD) (5 years)		Total Number of Graduates (5 years)
Obstetrics/Gynecology	4	13.33%	6	20.00%	30
Emergency Medicine	10	15.87%	39	61.90%	63
Internal Medicine	18	30.51%	36	61.02%	59
Family Medicine	10	30.30%	6	18.18%	33
Medicine-Pediatrics	13	65.00%	1	5.00%	20
General Surgery	2	6.90%	10	34.48%	29
Emergency/Internal Medicine	2	14.29%	7	50.00%	14
Emergency/Family Medicine	2	20.00%	0	0.00%	10
Diagnostic Radiology	5	17.86%	16	57.14%	28
Psychiatry (only 1 graduated class)	4	66.67%	5	83.33%	6
* Data Reported June 2022	= 0-25%	= 25-5	0%	= 50-75%	= 75-100%

