The total economic impact of academic medicine in the state of Rhode Island exceeds $4 billion.

The health care industry is the largest employer in Rhode Island, accounting for more than 70,000 jobs.

Health care jobs make up almost 11% of RI employment, more than the national average of 10.3%.

The total employment impact of academic medicine, a sector of health care, in the state of Rhode Island is 28,249 jobs.

The School and its teaching hospitals attract close to $213 million in external research funding annually to the state. Almost all of Brown's research is funded by federal agencies or other out-of-state sources.

The total out-of-state medical visitor impact on the Rhode Island economy in 2008 was $139 million.

The state government revenue attributable to academic medicine was $218 million in 2008.

From Fiscal 2003 to 2007, Brown made $174 million in investments in new research and educational facilities, much of which enabled the local construction industry to take part in our growth.

Starting in 2009, Brown has started to invest more than $220 million in new or renovated facilities for research, teaching and student activities. These investments will help build not only Brown's future, but that of the city and the state.

Rhode Island is ranked 7th nationally in research and design intensity (the ratio of R&D to Gross State Product).