

Save Our Hospital - Save our Community



SUNY
DOWNSTATE
Medical Center

**Tell New York's leaders
our community can't afford
to lose our hospital**

What's at Stake for Our Community?

- 8,000 dedicated professionals
- Jobs for our community
- Emergency Room and urgent care services for our families
- Medical school that educates doctors who serve us



**ACT NOW:
Protect our Hospital
from
Privatization/Closure**

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT:
Every \$1 invested in SUNY
Downstate returns \$12 to the
local economy

*Help our elected officials
save Downstate's vital
health care services*

SUNY Downstate:

- Provides service for 80,000 emergency room visits each year
- Serves low-income and middle-class families with few medical choices
- Educates more NYC and minority physicians than any hospital in the region
- Connects local residents with high quality medical care programs



Downstate Plays a
Critical Role in the
Brooklyn Economy
It, creates over \$2 billion
in economic activity for
Brooklyn alone!

To: Governor Cuomo

SUNY Downstate Medical Center is too important to just close or sell off.

Our community relies on its services each an every day. The hospital provides critical care for our families in our neighborhood when others in the area won't.

Additionally, its medical school educates and trains top-notch physicians, most of whom are minorities and come from New York City. It is the only public teaching hospital in all of New York City.

We must preserve SUNY Downstate as a public teaching hospital and make it better than ever!

Sincerely,

Address: _____

