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- Hospital or clinic not affiliated with a medical school

**Medical**
- Private practice office
- Clinic
- Residency program
- Allied health training program (chiropractic, physical therapy, etc.)

**Public/Not-for-Profit**
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**Corporate**
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**Academic**
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**Medical**
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**Hospital**
- Major teaching or research hospital (affiliated with a medical school and offering numerous residency programs)

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**Corporate**
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### Tier 3

**Academic**
- Small doctoral university (awards up to 25 PhDs annually) conferring medical/dental/veterinary degrees
- Large doctoral university (awards >25 PhDs annually) not conferring medical/dental/veterinary degrees

**Medical**
- Medical/Dental/Veterinary school associated with a Tier 3 small doctoral university
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**Public/Not-for-Profit**
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**Medical**
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**Public/Not-for-Profit**
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