Vision Statement

1. The University of Missouri School of Medicine provides an educational environment in which the health of our patients is our first priority.
2. We prepare physicians who provide patient-centered care by working collaboratively with patients, health professionals and others to maximize the health of individuals and communities, with special emphasis on the needs of rural Missouri.
3. Our educational processes promote intellectual curiosity, professionalism, and skills for lifelong learning.
4. We foster compassionate, respectful and humanistic patient care as a vital aspect of medical education.
5. We practice the integration of research and its findings into the promotion of health and the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of disease.
6. Our learners build mastery in the science and art of medicine by learning from patients, faculty, staff and each other.
7. Our success derives from a commitment to hard work, mutual respect, and clinical and academic excellence.