UAA & Anchorage:
2010 and Beyond
Anchorage, circa 1970
Population approximately 126,000 people
Anchorage Community College, circa 1970

University of Alaska, Anchorage brings together Anchorage Community College and Anchorage Senior College
In the 1970s, Dan Sullivan played basketball for UAA.
Now he’s mayor of Anchorage

A city of nearly 300,000 people
UAA is now Alaska’s largest center of higher education.

UAA confers the majority of

- Associate degrees
- Bachelor degrees
- Masters degrees

in Alaska
• Enrollment is more than 20,000
• Up 6% over last spring -- highest ever
• More than 15,000 students on our Anchorage campus
• Nearly 2,100 graduates last May
75% of all UAA graduates are in high-demand job areas such as:

- Health Care
- Engineering
- Education
- Business/global logistics
- Construction Management
- Process Technology
UAA is a Center of Excellence

- Four consecutive Truman scholars
- First Marshall Scholar in UA system
- Debate team ranked 12th in world, tied for 2nd with Harvard in the U.S.
UAA is a Center of Excellence

- Nationally ranked athletic teams
- Classified as a Community Engaged University by Carnegie Foundation
- Named Military Friendly School
Our research Institutes analyze Alaska's economy, environment and peoples, and advise state and national leaders on policy decisions.
ConocoPhillips Integrated Sciences Building opened fall 2009

UAA is one of the first universities in the nation to integrate in one building scientific teaching, study and research.
Grand opening of the ConocoPhillips Integrated Science Building
$7,000,000
On the Horizon:
Health Sciences Building, 2011
Health Program Awards/Degrees FY99-FY08

Awards/Degrees


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We’ve doubled the number of doctors admitted to WWAMI from 10 to 20 each year.
Nursing Expansion

- Nursing more than doubled in size to over 200 admitted to basic AAS and BS programs per year from 2000 to 2009
- Numbers of basic graduates increased from 71 in 2000 to 187 in 2009
AAS Nursing Student Graduates by Location 2000-2009

Outreach

Anchorage
AAS Nursing Program Sites expanded to 12 communities

Current:
Anchorage
Bethel
Cordova
Fairbanks
Homer
Juneau
Kenai
Ketchikan
Kodiak
Kotzebue
Mat-Su
Sitka
Valdez

Future:
Dillingham
Nome
Petersburg
Industry Contributions to School of Nursing Expansion 2003-2009

- Providence Alaska: 50%
- Ketchikan General: 5%
- YKHC: 9%
- Alaska Regional: 10%
- Bartlett Hospital: 5%
- Fairbanks Memorial: 10%
- MatSu Regional: 5%
- ANTHC: 6%
Partnerships are important to UAA
One of our fastest growing schools is Engineering.

Alaska Native Science and Engineering Program (ANSEP) building
On the Horizon: New Engineering Building

We are using temporary portables as classrooms
On the horizon: New UAA Sports Arena
On the horizon for UAA and Anchorage

- Student success
- Health care
- Economic Diversification
- Relevant research
Partnerships help us all succeed

Individuals, businesses, industry, nonprofits and community organizations

Anchorage School District

U-MED District
Opportunities to support UAA

- Deferred maintenance
- State supported scholarships
- Planning for new facilities
Green and Gold are the colors of change