### **Joint Health Sciences Center**







#### **LOCATION**

Camden Campus

**OPENING** October 2019

#### **SIZE**

- 125,000 square feet
- 4-story

### COST OF PROJECT

\$70 million

# Professionals involved DESIGN CONSULTANTS:

Hellmuth, Obata & Kassabaum, Inc. McKernan Architects & Associates, LLC

### GENERAL CONTRACTOR:

Torcon

# PROJECT PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Camden County Improvement Authority Rowan Facilities, Planning & Operations

## Introducing the new Joint Health Sciences Center in Camden

The Center houses vast research space for Rowan, Rutgers-Camden and Camden County College. The \$70 million, four-story JHSC was designed to co-locate faculty and students from different academic disciplines in order to facilitate collaboration and joint research. As a result, students from each institution will have unprecedented access to faculty and peers from other institutions, expanding opportunities for mentorship and research, while also maximizing the efficiency of the space and the programs therein.

For Rowan, this includes Cooper Medical School of Rowan University's advanced simulation lab, the School of Osteopathic Medicine's Institute for Successful Aging, the virtual reality center and biomedical engineering labs focused on high impact health research.

Rutgers-Camden facilities include the Center for Computational and Integrative Biology, which includes more than 40 internationally recognized scholars who are producing next-generation biomedical insights in such areas as predictive toxicology, metagenomics and biological rhythms.

Camden County College will use the space to house its Practical Nurse, Certified Nurse Aide, Multi-Skills Technician and Alzheimer's Journey Coordinator programs and to expand educational opportunities in the city.