

**BOARD OF GOVERNORS  
STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA  
February 26, 2009**

**SUBJECT:** New Medical Schools Status Report

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**PROPOSED ACTION**

Consider status reports by the University of Central Florida and Florida International University with regard to external funding and facilities for their new medical schools.

**AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION**

Section 7(d), Art. IX, Florida Constitution

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

When new medical schools were approved by the Board of Governors on March 23, 2006, it was agreed that the Board would receive status reports up to and through full implementation. At this meeting, the Board will be provided with brief status reports with regard to two key areas: external fundraising, and facilities renovation and construction. The two new medical schools are expected to open their doors in the fall of 2009.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** Individual status updates

**Facilitators / Presenters:** UCF, FIU Representatives  
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