

## **INTEGRATION AMONG SCHOOLS AND ACROSS RUTGERS**

### ***Nursing Merger***

On July 1, 2014, the Rutgers College of Nursing (Newark and New Brunswick) and the Rutgers School of Nursing (legacy UMDNJ) merged to form one Rutgers School of Nursing (SON). The consolidation enables SON to: serve the citizens of the State of New Jersey with high quality care more efficiently; contribute more effectively to improving health outcomes through preparation of nurses, research on health matters, and service to communities; become one of the nation's leading nursing schools by enhancing its depth and breadth and offering a comprehensive array of academic programs; develop greater capacity to participate in interprofessional training and practice and provide high quality of care for the citizens of New Jersey; and develop the resources required to contribute significantly to nursing science.