University of Hawaii John A. Burns School of Medicine

The John A. Burns School of Medicine's Kaka'ako facility is the home for the school's education and research activities. Two mid-rise buildings are designed to facilitate and support the dual mission of the school.

In addition to revitalizing the UH medical school program, the $150 million new JABSOM complex is envisioned as an economic engine for the state that will stimulate jobs, increase research and the growth of a biotechnology industry in Hawaii. The project will include educational and medical research facilities on 9.1 acres strategically located in the Kaka'ako Waterfront area. The JABSOM campus is designed as a low-rise complex of buildings that will complement the adjacent Kaka'ako Waterfront Park. Extensive landscaping and on-site seating areas will be provided in a central courtyard.

The first phase of the facility includes an Education/Administration Building and a Biomedical Research Building (including a child care center, fitness center and a central mechanical plant), totaling approximately 317,225 square feet. The complex is now open. The second phase will include a research center and a parking structure containing 363 stalls. The UH anticipates developing additional stalls at an off-site location.