

Mission

“To educate, nurture and discover for the benefit of human health”

“To educate”	“To nurture”	“To discover”	“For the benefit of human health”
<p>The primary function of RCSI is to empower and facilitate our students, to optimise their futures as healthcare professionals and researchers.</p>	<p>We do more for our students than just impart knowledge. We feel responsible to care for, encourage, challenge and motivate them to realise their full potential.</p>	<p>Our bold aspiration is to deliver impact in research, coupled with education, both at the core of RCSI activities.</p>	<p>The end beneficiaries of our work in education and research are people and patients everywhere.</p> <p>The term “human health” is all-encompassing and sufficiently conveys our aspiration to advance healthcare provision not just nationally but globally</p>

Vision

“To be recognised internationally as a leading centre for professional education, research and innovation in healthcare”

“To be recognised internationally”	“As a leading centre”	“For professional education, research and innovation in healthcare”
<p>Our aspiration and ambition is for RCSI to be a globally identifiable and respected institution by our peers in third level education, by our clinical partners, by employers of our graduates, and by our students, both current and prospective.</p>	<p>We want to be synonymous with excellence as measured by the strength of student demand and the impact of our research.</p>	<p>We continue to be outcome focused. Our graduates are ready to perform to the highest professional standards and our research is impactful.</p>

Institutional goals

The overall RCSI institutional goals are:

- **Excellence** in education
- **Leadership** in international medical education
- **Impactful** research and innovation in health sciences and education
- **Enhanced** organisational capabilities
- **Strong** strategic partnerships



Figure 4.3: The RCSI's mission, vision, values and strategic goals

The institutional goals for the RCSI Institute of Leadership are to:

1. Provide its students with an education and learning experience of the highest quality.
2. Promote the personal, social, academic and career growth of all students in a proactive manner to prepare and qualify them to be leaders in their chosen careers and professions.
3. Add to human knowledge through discovery and scientific research in full cooperation and collaboration with leading academic and research institutions around the globe.
4. Contribute to the cultural, social and economic progress of society through social responsiveness and effective engagement and collaborations with public and private organisations and institutions.
5. Preserve, foster and promote its educational programs and scholarly research in healthcare fields and maintaining strong links and connections in these disciplines among academic and healthcare institutions.
6. Enhance the quality and reputation of higher education in the country through cooperation with other institutions of higher learning to promote quality standards and the adoption of best practices in learning and teaching.
7. Contribute to the advancement of learning and to the development of human resources in Ireland and overseas through linking academic and professional programs to the future needs of the job market and by providing continuous educational and training programs to update and upgrade the knowledge, professional qualifications, and skills of people in the workforce.

Organisational Chart

