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A sign of the times for education in downtown Roanoke

Jefferson College of Health Science signs going up on Community Hospital

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Susan Bahorich reporter
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ROANOKE, Va.—

Jefferson College of Health Sciences has settled into Roanoke's Community Hospital.

Today, new signage went up on the outside of the building.

School leaders say this will give more visibility downtown and on Interstate 581.

"Our students have extremely high placement rates. Over 90% have jobs when they graduate and are able to earn really good salaries and we're proud of that," says Dean of Academic Affairs Lisa Allison-Jones.

The school's classrooms now occupy a majority of the hospital building.

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This year enrollment is just under 11-hundred students.

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