



“We are committed to creating an inclusive experience for the lives we touch.”

Why?

1. **It’s the right thing to do.** Whether providing patient care, educating students, or making new research discoveries, we must make ALL of those who touch MUSC in some way feel like they are in the right place, and that they belong here.
2. **Diversity promotes a healthy bottom-line.** Numerous studies and national leaders have definitively made the case for diversity and inclusion- organizations with high rates of diversity and inclusive cultures generate more revenue and are better able to execute and innovate around the services they provide.
3. **Diversity and inclusion breeds innovation, and innovation is the key to better healthcare.** The more variation in opinions, ideas, expertise, education, culture and background, the more flexible, effective and accurate we become as an academic medical center and biomedical research leader in a constantly changing industry.