

In the Spotlight

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PHARMACY SITE TO BE UPGRADED

ATLANTA — A \$3.7 million renovation of the pharmacy building at Georgia Regents University won approval Wednesday, August 12, from the University System of Georgia's Board of Regents.

The University of Georgia's pharmacy program has occupied the building since 1972 because it provides interdisciplinary training for students and the opportunity for researchers to work with actual patients. UGA will take over the rest of the building after the renovation.

Included in the first phase will be a new roof, upgrades to plumbing and electrical systems and improvements to a few areas that are already occupied. A second phase will rehab the rest of the occupied space to permit labs to move from the Charlie Norwood VA Medical Center to the pharmacy building.

Wednesday's approval means design work can begin, with construction to follow.

