

## New Leadership at UMMC Midtown Campus

In March, UMMC Midtown Campus welcomed Alison Brown, MPH, as the hospital's new president. With 25 years of service to the University of Maryland Medical System (UMMS), including her role as senior vice president for UMMS, Brown is no stranger to the Midtown Campus or to having a passion for improving the health and well-being of the West Baltimore community.

"It is an exciting time to step into a leadership position at the Midtown Campus. I'm committed to working with our front-line health care teams, physicians and community partners to deliver the best care and service to our patients and families," Brown says.

In addition to her work with UMMS, Brown has served on the board of directors for the United Way of Central Maryland. She was inducted into the "Circle of Excellence" for being thrice



Alison Brown, MPH

named one of "Maryland's Top 100 Women" by *The Daily Record*. In 2017, she was named one of Maryland's "Top 25 Women to Watch" by *The Baltimore Sun*.



### COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

## Showcasing Artwork from Students in Our Community

The University of Maryland Medical Center recently partnered with the Baltimore School for the Arts to host the opening night of its TWIGS student art exhibit at UMMC Midtown Campus. A free after-school and Saturday arts program, TWIGS offers classes to more than 700 Baltimore City children in grades 2 to 8 every year.

Artists in sixth, seventh and eighth grades and their families were joined by Alison Brown, MPH, UMMC Midtown Campus president and senior vice president of marketing, communications and community health for the University of Maryland Medical System; Archie Veale, visual arts department head

at the Baltimore School for the Arts; Becky Mossing, director of TWIGS and community outreach; several UMMC employees; and members of the community for an evening of food, music and art.

"We have partnerships with many schools in West Baltimore," Brown says. "Together with our partners, we look for opportunities to improve health, celebrate accomplishments and invest in communities for their future success."

The TWIGS student art exhibit was on display on the first floor of UMMC Midtown Campus. Patients, guests and employees were invited to stop by and enjoy the incredible artwork by these talented students.