Chicago Hospital for Women and Children, founded 1865 by Mary Harris Thompson, MD; renamed the Mary Thompson Hospital after her death in 1895. Associated with the Woman's Medical School. Structure built in 1885 at 1712 W. Adams St.

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Woman’s Hospital Medical College, temporary home after the Great Fire 1872, Paulina & Adams Sts.

Woman’s Medical College of Chicago, 1885. 337-339 S. Lincoln St.

Woman’s Medical College, founded 1870
Woman’s Medical College of Chicago, as named in 1879

Northwestern University Woman’s Medical School, as named in 1892

Northwestern University Woman’s Medical School class photograph, about 1896

Northwestern University Woman’s Medical School and its predecessors graduated nearly 600 female physicians before closing in 1902.

Northwestern University Medical School became co-educational in 1926.