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**Hospital Fast Facts**
- $438 million investment
- 765,000 square feet with 12 floors
- 25 foot elevation above sea level
- 310 total patient rooms (285 square feet each room)
- 60 ICU Rooms
- 16 full nurse stations on patient floors (8-11)
- 220 decentralized nurse stations on patient floors (8-11)
- 16 physician work rooms
- 10 family waiting areas
- 20 operating suites and intraoperative MRI capability
- 28 day surgery rooms

- Sofa bed in each room for an overnight guest
- Patient lifts
- Distinct zones for staff, patients and families

**Hospital Design**
- Evidence-based design principles applied
- Abundant natural light in patient rooms and corridors
- Two family/physician consultation rooms per floor
- Two family shower rooms per floor
- Dedicated private physician/resident team areas
- Two on-call physician sleep rooms with showers per floor
- Four isolation rooms per floor
- Two conference rooms for multi-disciplinary teaching and patient care conferences per floor
- Dedicated bariatric patient rooms (with patient lifts and bariatric-capacity restrooms)

**Future Expansion**
- 55,340 square feet shelled on level 6 — diagnostics
- 55,340 square feet shelled on level 12 — future patient rooms

**Patient Rooms**
- Universally sized rooms to accommodate all levels of care
- Hand-washing sink in each room
- Private patient restrooms (ADA-compliant)
- Dedicated family refrigerator in each room
- Two televisions in each room for patient and family
- Locking drawer for valuables in each room

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