The campus transformation project will unite our tripartite mission across campus, physically connecting the space between research, clinical work, and education to advance both health and science. The completion will result in three new buildings: the Acute Care Center (ACC), the Craig H. Neilsen Rehabilitation Hospital, and the Medical Education and Discovery Building.
To keep pace with, and anticipate, how health care and our state is evolving, we are constructing facilities to support Utah’s future needs in medical education, scientific discovery and clinical delivery.
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At University of Utah Health we do all we can to make our patients and their loved ones comfortable while on our campus. In the ACC we will have new and improved waiting areas to support all who visit our space.
The ACC also will offer the flexibility to meet community health needs as they evolve—with flexible space to meet the need for future inpatient and outpatient services, as well as modular space that can easily shift to accommodate changes in demand for particular outpatient services.
This state-of-the-art facility has been designed specifically with patients and families foremost in mind—fostering the highest possible quality of individualized care while maximizing convenience, with shorter travel distances and wait times.
TYPICAL INPATIENT ROOM IN ACC

The ACC will provide new inpatient rooms and surgical suites to provide better convenience for patients and increase capacity in University Hospital for more complicated procedures.
The new Acute Care Center (ACC) will be a 305,000-square-foot, state-of-the-art facility that will accommodate the significant future growth of our region by as many as 100,000 new outpatient visits annually. Once built, it will allow us to create more convenient access for patients who require world-class expertise for their care, but for whom a hospital stay is unnecessary. Its construction will allow us to shift lower-acuity patient visits out of the hospital and provide more convenient service to our patients. The ACC also will enable students and recruits to train interprofessionally in what is arguably the best clinical care environment in the nation.

WHAT’S INSIDE?

Level 6 – Inpatient Unit (36 Beds)
Level 5 – Inpatient Unit (36 Beds)
Level 4 – Academic Department Workspaces
Level 3 – Outpatient Surgery Suite & Sterile Processing
Level 2 – Outpatient Clinics & Offices/Workspaces
Level 1 – Outpatient Clinics
Level A – Receiving Dock & Support Services
Level B – Support Services, Employee Health, EEG & Building Systems