

April 22, 2025

Pullman Regional Hospital Project – User Group Meetings

Meeting Dates: February 10, 2025 through February 13, 2025

Meeting Purpose: Provide design scope and budget update for comments and refinements.

Attendees:

Corrine Phillips, Carrie Coen, Pat Wuestney, Ed Harrich, Dusty Johnston, David Rees, Anna Engle, Janie Maines, Cara Bruner, Austin Swopes, Jennifer Matera, Michelle Reynolds, Verna Yockey, Elizabeth Hillman, Karly Port, Jesse Paul, Dr. Pete Mikkelsen, Stephanie Knewbow, Dr. Garrett Luetzgen, Lewis Reed, Jennifer Saarela, Ned Warnick, Alyssa Andersen, Melissa Boyd

Pullman Regional Hospital Project – Department of Health Technical Assistance Meeting

Meeting Dates: March 25, 2025 – Review comments received March 28, 2025, and additional feedback April 3, 2025

Meeting Purpose: Review revised design scope, plans, and questions for preliminary direction and revisions.

Attendees:

Carrie Coen, Pat Wuestney, Steve Febus, Jason Suko, Ann Hunt, Nancy Brown, Elisabeth Riehl, Ned Warnick, Alyssa Andersen, Melissa Boy, Jesse Tarr, Karl Anderson, Kaylyn Myers

Plan Revisions Summary Narrative

Birthplace

- Removed existing windows between the nursery and nurse station.
- Added upper cabinets where windows were removed for additional storage at the nurse station.
- Added a second window from nurse station to the west hallway.
- Double doors between MSU and Birthplace moved north towards the nurse station.

Procedure

- Flipped the patient entrance/exit to align with the waiting area to the west.
- Added a storage alcove near the waiting room entrance.
- Revised central staff support core to include the following
 - Improved visibility of nurse stations to the rooms.
 - Maintained central clean/med room between nurse stations.
 - Revised the soiled room access to be off the hall and not through the nurse station.
- Refined northeast corner of the east nurse station for easier hallway movement around the existing structural brace frame.
- Moved Dustys office away from the nurse station to the northeast corner (adjacent to registration office).
- Added double doors to the south (near patient room 10).
- Connected storage and clean storage around OR 5.
- Added 4' door to clean storage from south hallway for equipment storage and material supply access.
- Moved Pathology room across from the Endo EVS room.
- Closed off the Endo hallway from the sterile core corridor and moved Endo dictation to the east for clear access to both Endo procedure rooms.

- Increased the size of the north storage room.
- Moved offices together and created a larger office for anesthesia.
- Reduced the size of dictation.
- Relocated the required PACU staff restroom to be accessed from clean/med nurse station.
- Moved A.I.I. anteroom to the north.
- Added additional space to the north of PACU for storage.
- Created a separate EVS room near central sterile with access from the sterile hall.
- Added a separate endo storage room near the endo/procedure rooms.
- Moved handwashing sink in PACU to be central to PACU bays.
- Increased sterilizer room to accommodate existing sterilizers clearances and centered the 4' door into the space.

Central Sterile

- Flipped decontamination and clean sides of central sterile.
- Moved drop off/pick up room between the clean and dirty sides.
- Added door from hallway into decontamination.

Registration

- Main Entry
 - Reduced the number of offices to two for front registration area.
 - Moved the east waiting space in the front gallery closer to registration.
- Emergency Entry
 - Removed the wall and door between the security space and registration.
 - Revised security desk to a straight run aligned with back registration counter.
 - Removed the existing fire exit door to the outside in the waiting room.

Imaging

- The tech work room has flipped with blood draw.
- Patient entrance into imaging department is separate from other departments.

Lab

- Revised blood draw area to include separate entry from the front waiting area.
- Revised the hallway door into the main lab to a 4' door.
- Additional lockers were added to the breakroom to accommodate 10 double lockers (20 total lockers).
- Relocated handwashing sink related to the larger hallway door opening.
- Switched locations of computer and blood culture in microbiology.
- Removed second access from chemistry bench.

Care Coordination & Nutrition

- Added an office for 3 people and a printer with windows for natural daylight.

Emergency

- Revised the door into the department from the waiting room to 4' and made the access route to the ED hallway larger.
- Revised the south rooms to two new trauma rooms.
- Moved the soiled room for patient restrooms on opposite sides.
- Revised the new EVS room to an office.
- DOH Review comment- Changed one patient restroom into Individual of Size (IOS) restroom across from the IOS trauma room.
- DOH Review comment- Created an open nurse/EMS workstation with direct visual connection to the A.I.I. Room.

Respiratory

- Added respiratory office next to the new chapel location near the birthplace entry.

Other Updates

- Relocated Chapel to be accessed from front gallery space.
- An additional restroom was added in the northeast corner near birthplace.
- Revised second floor EVS & I.T. room locations.
- New AHU/I.T. space shown on second floor, in existing Skills Lab space.
- Removed the east hallway next to the second floor shell space for expanded storage space.