

Project Update Foothills Medical Centre (Calgary)



Overview

- In this year's Capital plan, the province has allocated \$6.9 million to complete construction activity at the Foothills Medical Centre.
- The project will meet increasing surgical demands in the Calgary area, address a shortage of intensive care beds with a new Intensive Care Department and help address ongoing over capacity issues at the Trauma Centre for southern Alberta.
- The project includes the:
 - eight-story McCaig Tower containing surgical processing, an intensive care unit, surgical suites, inpatient beds, outpatient clinics, a diagnostic imaging suite and a rooftop helipad (completed in June 2010);
 - new space for the Calgary Lab Services, including Anatomic Pathology Unit (completed in July 2015); and
 - renovations to impacted hospital departments within the existing Foothills Medical Centre main building including the Emergency Department and Calgary Lab Services (completed in December 2017).

Construction Update

- The renovations to impacted hospital departments consists of five phases:
 - Phase 1 - The addition of an atrium (completed September 2011);
 - Phase 2 - General admitting, minor procedure rooms, and administration space (completed September 2013);
 - Phase 3 - Triage, Emergency Medical Services, Emergency Admitting, the waiting area, and patient treatment spaces (completed September 2015);
 - Phase 4 - Isolation, Gynecological and monitored patient treatment spaces (completed April 2016); and
 - Phase 5 - Includes the renovating and upgrading of the Emergency Department, staff administration area and the monitored patient treatment spaces (completed December 2017).
- Final Phase of construction:
 - Construction is anticipated to be completed by the late spring 2018.
 - Commissioning activities are underway.

Next Steps and Upcoming Activities

- Complete final commissioning.
- Design and installation of way-finding signage.

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