

Harbor-UCLA Replacement Program



Harbor-UCLA Medical Center

- Harbor-UCLA is a 373-bed safety net, teaching hospital, owned and operated by Los Angeles County Department of Health Services.
- Serves over 3 million people in a service area that covers southwestern Los Angeles County.
- Originally built in the 1940's as a military hospital.
- Current hospital opened in 1963.
- Level I Trauma Center that provides over 90,000 Emergency Department visits annually.
- Operates a full complement of primary and specialty care outpatient clinics that provide over 300,000 visits annually.
- An economic driver that employs over 4,300 people. Affiliated with the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA and trains over 500 physician residents each year.
- Campus includes The Lundquist Institute, the hospital's research partner since the 1950s.



Program Objectives

- Construct 6 new buildings to provide patients with modern cutting-edge facilities in which to receive their health care.
- Expand the capabilities of the campus to reach the growing community health care needs.
- Integrate the new facilities with the existing campus to optimize the provision of care.
- Comply with State mandated minimum earthquake safety requirements.
- Optimize operational effectiveness and reduce operational and maintenance costs.
- Improve the integration of outpatient clinic services.
- Create a campus designed for the well-being of patients, staff, and the surrounding neighborhood.
- All new buildings will be designed and constructed to minimize impacts to the environment including reduced energy demands, use of locally sourced materials and recycling of construction waste.
- Complete program to serve the community during the 2028 Summer Olympics.
- The new facilities will include:
 - A 9-story, 347-beds Hospital.
 - A 6-story Clinic Building that will consolidate existing outpatient clinics into a single location.
 - A 1,500-space parking structure.
 - A new Laboratory Building, and two additional support buildings.



Hospital Building

- In February 2024, the Replacement Program broke ground on the new Hospital and construction is anticipated to be complete in mid-2027 and with patient care services beginning in early 2028.
- The Hospital will be a 9-story, 555,000 square-foot building with 347 patient beds, which includes 44 intensive care, over 200 medical surgical, 20 neonatal intensive care, and 36 mental health beds.
- The new Hospital will be integrated into the existing Surgery/Emergency Building.

