

Student Health and Wellness Center

Project Scope:

72,000 sf Health and Wellness Center which will incorporate: departmental spaces such as offices, therapy rooms, exam rooms, nutrition and student health. There will also be shared spaces such as lobbies, multi-purpose/meeting rooms, building services, enhancement spaces indoor/outdoor garden and pharmacy.



Program:

To consolidate the health and wellness center under one roof. Currently, the student health, nutrition, counseling, psychological services, wellness and case management are scattered at various campus locations, unable to efficiently communicate and collaborate with each other about a student's care.

Architecture & Engineering:

The design goal will be to create a holistic welcoming complex that encompasses circulation to both tie together the Athletic Precinct to the West Campus and act as a throughway to attract students and maximize the use of the facility. Major design considerations will be the building integration with the sloped/forested site and circulation separation of public and private spaces. Also major emphasis will be on energy savings and sustainability through building design, orientation, new technology and materials.

<i>Gross Square Feet</i>	72,000
<i>Construction Start</i>	April 2015
<i>Occupancy Date</i>	January 2017
<i>LEED Goal</i>	Silver
<i>Architect</i>	Duda Paine
<i>Contractor</i>	Gilbane

Site/Location:

The proposed site is located on the northwest corner of Towerview Drive and Union Dr. The site has good pedestrian access to the Student Plaza Precinct and the athletic precinct with good vehicular access. The impact on the research area within Anderson Woods has been minimized without affecting the building program.

Sustainability:

This project will incorporate design and construction recommendations of the US Green Building Council and is targeted for LEED Silver certification.

