Update for Community Groups – August 2010

Please note the underlined text in the electronic version of this update contains active links that provide additional information on the subject matter.

PROJECTS

Available on the Community Planning website at [http://commplan.ucsd.edu/UCSDprojects.htm](http://commplan.ucsd.edu/UCSDprojects.htm) is the Capital Improvements Status Map which is an interactive map where each project link leads to a detailed project information sheet.

**UC San Diego Jacobs Medical Center** – a 10-story, 470,300-sq.-ft. addition to UC San Diego Health System’s La Jolla campus, will bring approximately 245 inpatient beds to UCSD’s East Campus. It will include four hospitals in one location, the existing Thornton Hospital plus three new specialty hospitals:
- Cancer Hospital
- Hospital for Women & Infants
- Hospital for Advanced Surgery

On July 13, the UC Regents certified the Environmental Impact Report, adopted the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program for the project and approved the design of the project including the Bed Tower, Thornton Hospital Renovation, and Central Plant.

**UPCOMING PROJECTS**

Projects to be under construction soon, in final planning or design, or available for public review this Fall. Please check project information sheet for additional information or contact Community Planning.

**Central Research Services Facility** – located in the East Campus Health Sciences Neighborhood, the project will provide approximately 285,000 gross square feet of new clinical research space; anticipated completion in March 2013.

**Clinical and Translational Research Institute** – located in the School of Medicine Neighborhood this project will provide support space for centralized cage wash operations; anticipated completion in April 2015.

**East Campus Office Building** – located in the East Campus Health Sciences Neighborhood this project will provide approximately 75,000 gross square feet of new space for office, administrative, and clinical research activities; anticipated completion in June 2011.

**East Campus Parking Structure** – located in the East Campus Health Sciences Neighborhood this project will provide approximately 1,253 parking spaces, along with a recreation field under which some of the spaces will be constructed; anticipated completion in December 2011.

**Fuel Cell Facility** – located in the East Campus Health Sciences Neighborhood this project will construct a renewable energy Fuel Cell Facility (FCF) adjacent to the East Campus Utility Plant capable of generating 2.8 megawatts of electrical power; anticipated completion in December 2010.

**Health Sciences Biomedical Research Facility II** – located in the School of Medicine Neighborhood this project will provide 196,000 gross square feet of research and support space for Health Sciences needed to advance major interdisciplinary programs, including Medical Genomics. In addition it will provide research space for new faculty in Pediatrics, Neurosciences, Reproductive Medicine and Surgery; anticipated completion in April 2013.

**Mesom Laboratory Building** – located in the Scripps Institution of Oceanography Hillside Neighborhood this project will construct 40,100 gross square feet space for research and education in marine ecosystems, climate variability and change, and marine ecosystem forecasting at the Scripps Institution of Oceanography; anticipated completion in May 2012.

**Rady School of Management** – located in the North Campus Neighborhood this project will add 80,000 gross square feet, including additional classrooms, an open class laboratory, faculty and administrative offices, conference rooms, an auditorium, and student work and study areas; anticipated completion in July 2012.
**University House** – located in the La Jolla Farms Neighborhood this project will rehabilitate the existing 11,400 gross square feet University House to correct facility and code deficiencies so that it may once again serve as both the Chancellor’s residence and the public venue for a variety of University functions; EIR expected in Fall 2010, anticipated completion in May 2012.

**Projects Under Construction**

- **Sanford Consortium for Regenerative Medicine (SCRM)**
- **Southwest Fisheries Science Center (SWFSC)**
- **Structural Materials and Engineering Building**

  Student housing projects
  - **Health Sciences Graduate Housing**
  - **North Campus Housing Phase 2**
  - **Revelle College Apartments**
  - **Muir College Apartments**

- **Sulpizio Cardiovascular Center**
- **Telemedicine and Prime HEQ Facility**

**News**

**UCSD Community Planning Newsletter and Website Information**

The Spring 2010 issue of the newsletter with a focus on Health Sciences, together with project information sheets and an interactive map of campus projects is available on the UCSD Community Planning website [http://commplan.ucsd.edu](http://commplan.ucsd.edu). Visit the website to learn more about campus development with accompanying information on specific projects.

**UCSD News**

For UCSD News see [http://ucsdnews.ucsd.edu/](http://ucsdnews.ucsd.edu/)

**UC San Diego Medical Center Among Nation’s Best in 2010**

The UC San Diego Medical Center has for another consecutive year been ranked among the nation’s best hospitals by U.S. News & World Report’s latest “America’s Best Hospitals” issue.

UC San Diego Medical Center is recognized among the nation’s best in five categories: Diabetes, Geriatrics, Orthopedics, Psychiatry and Pulmonology, in the 2010 – 2011 issue of “Best Hospitals.” UC San Diego Medical Center is one of only 50 hospitals ranked in five or more specialties.

“As the region’s only academic medical center, we strive to be among the best, not only in our community, but nationally and worldwide,” said David Brenner, MD, Vice Chancellor for Health Sciences and Dean of the School of Medicine at UC San Diego. “This ranking is an honor and evidence of our diligent, devoted efforts to bring together the best of research and health care.”

“l am very proud of the excellent work done by our dedicated faculty and staff within UC San Diego Health System, employees who bring great caring and intellect to their pursuits each and every day,” said Tom Jackiewicz, CEO, UC San Diego Health System. “This is further proof that the UC San Diego Health System is consistently raising the bar and elevating health care for the entire San Diego region.”

With more than two decades of experience, this multi-platform “America’s Best Hospitals” guide is the most extensive hospital ranking to-date. “When the stakes are high, you want the best care you can get for yourself or someone close to you,” said Health Rankings Editor Avery Comarow. “These hospitals are accustomed to seeing the sickest patients day in and day out.”

UC San Diego Health System includes two hospitals and multiple primary and specialty care outpatient centers in Hillcrest, La Jolla and Scripps Ranch. The Sulpizio Family Cardiovascular Center, on the La Jolla campus, is scheduled to open early next year and the 10-story, multi-specialty Jacobs Medical Center will break ground in March of 2012.

For more information visit [http://ucsdnews.ucsd.edu/newsrel/general/07-15MedicalCenter.asp](http://ucsdnews.ucsd.edu/newsrel/general/07-15MedicalCenter.asp)