

HSC Winnipeg Women's Hospital ON THE MOVE



4 Weeks until First Patient Day

NOVEMBER 8, 2019

What's on each level?

- Level 0 Parkade, Tunnel
- Level 1 Welcome Desk, Triage, Ambulatory Care Clinics, food services, and comfortable waiting areas
- Level 2 Neonatal Intensive Care (NICU) Level 3 Labour & Delivery, Surgery
- Level 4 Inpatient Units, Sanctuary & Ceremonial Room, Rooftop Garden
- Level 5 Inpatient Units

More information

Video overview: <https://vimeo.com/365871309>

General info & photos: www.hsc.mb.ca/files/WN-INFO-NOV2019.pdf

Map of the HSC campus: www.hsc.mb.ca/files/NS01379-HSC-CampusMap.pdf

NEW HSC WINNIPEG WOMEN'S HOSPITAL

OPENS

Sunday December 1, 2019
7:30 a.m.

Starting at 7:30 a.m. on Sunday December 1, 2019 all new patients for HSC Women's and for Neonatal Intensive Care (NICU) will be admitted to the new HSC Winnipeg Women's Hospital at 665 William Avenue.

At 7:30 a.m. on December 1, 2019 the HSC Women's hospital at 735 Notre Dame, along with the three existing NICU locations, will stop accepting new patients.

The building at 735 Notre Dame, NICU Orange Bison, and NICU Yellow Deer will be closed and locked following the move of equipment and existing patients to the new facility at 665 William Avenue.

FOR PATIENTS AND VISITORS: Finding your way in the new HSC Winnipeg Women's Hospital

Throughout the HSC campus we use colours, numbers, letters, symbols, and municipal addresses to simplify directions. Signs are posted at appropriate decision points to help you find your way.

Stand-alone buildings such as this one are simple to navigate. The new HSC Women's Hospital at 665 William Avenue features:

- one main entrance with a Welcome Desk up front;
- one bank of publicly-accessible elevators serving the entire building;
- a Reception Desk at each patient care unit to assist you.

How do I enter?



Main Entrance: 665 William Avenue

When you walk through the doors, you'll see the Welcome Desk. Staff at the desk will be happy to help you if you have questions or need directions for inside the building (or anywhere on the HSC campus).

- **Drop off loop:** Vehicles enter from Sherbrook Street southbound lane and exit to William Avenue westbound lane.
- **Tunnel:** The new HSC Women's is connected to the HSC Winnipeg tunnel system, with public access during visiting hours. After-hours access can be requested through the intercom at the tunnel entrance.
- **Underground Parkade:** Vehicles enter from the Sherbrook Street southbound lane. (Vehicles exit up the same ramp to Sherbrook Street southbound lane.) The entrance ramp leads to 140 stalls for casual, hourly-rate parking for patients and visitors. Use the elevator or stairs to move up to Level 1.

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What are the main patient/visitor destinations?

Level 1 – Triage

This is the “first stop” for patients, where Triage staff assess patients’ needs to make sure they receive the appropriate care. Triage is a secure department – patients and visitors will use an intercom to gain access.

Level 1 – Ambulatory Care Clinics

Ambulatory care clinics provide same-day care to patients. In most cases, patients have an appointment. When they arrive, they are assessed, treated, and able to go home the same day. This area brings together clinics which were previously separated across the campus. Having these services located together makes it much easier for patients who need to visit several clinics, and allows us to use resources more efficiently.

Find your clinic:

Drum lights with colours corresponding to the clinic names are located above each of the clinic entrances.



Purple Flower Blue Bird Green Leaf Yellow Sun

The lights highlight the Purple Flower, Blue Bird, Green Leaf, and Yellow Sun desks. Reception desks are named this way to improve

patient privacy – the type of clinic is not named – and in the future, we can shift or add clinics as necessary.



Welcome Desk



Ambulatory Care Clinics

Level 2 – Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU)

NICU has five patient pods, each with space for 12 babies. Each pod is designated a unique colour for wayfinding: Pod A is orange, Pod B is yellow, Pod C is green, Pod D is blue, Pod E is purple. The entrance to the family area is adjacent to the Reception desk on Level 2. Travel through the family area to reach the hallway leading to the pod entrances. Large drum lights overhead are coloured to highlight the entrance to each Pod. At the entrance you’ll also see the name of the Pod and an image of flowers which correspond to the Pod colour.



NICU entrance

Level 3 – Labour & Delivery

Every room is a private room with its own washroom. Women will labour and deliver in the same room, then be transferred up to Level 4 Inpatient Unit, or be discharged home.

Level 3 – Surgery

In most cases, patients will have an appointment for surgery. Surgery is a secure department so you will need to use the intercom to be ‘buzzed’ into the Admitting/Reception room of that area.

Levels 4 & 5 – Inpatient Units

Every patient room is a private room with its own washroom. Visitors can use the intercom to be ‘buzzed’ into the unit.



Inpatient room