

Just the Facts

WYNN HOSPITAL

Each week, "Just the Facts" provides information about a key aspect of the Wynn Hospital being built by Mohawk Valley Health System (MVHS). It is designed to keep our medical staff, employees and volunteers updated and to share with family, friends and neighbors so we keep our community informed about how we're transforming healthcare in our region.



TOPIC FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 2023:

What kind of considerations are being made when designing our Psychiatric Unit patient rooms?

Recently, the onsite trade contractors completed a mock-up of one of the Psychiatric Unit patient rooms. The room was inspected by the MVHS anti-ligature team, NBBJ, the architect on the project, and others to ensure the safety of the patients. Emphasis was placed on reviewing all potential ligature threats and ensuring work was in conformance with the Office of Mental Health guidelines.

Components of the specialty construction include: bed platform, wardrobe, coat hooks, toilet, shower, and fixtures, exhaust grille receptacles and switches, and the entrance doors.

Following review of the mock-up, the collective team reviewed the construction of the Ninth Floor and completed a similar assessment for other areas these patients will occupy.



