CONSTRUCTION BULLETIN
UW Medicine Behavioral Health Teaching Facility
1550 N 115th St. Seattle, WA 98133

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The purpose of this bulletin is to inform staff, patients, visitors and the neighbors close to the University of Washington Medical Center Northwest campus about the Behavioral Health Teaching Facility (BHTF) construction project. This bulletin will be published quarterly during the design phase and monthly during the construction phase. Please see the webpage for more information about the project, construction logistics and the milestone schedule. https://facilities.uw.edu/projects/behavioral-health-teaching-facility

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CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES

With building occupants vacated, targeted demolition and utility shutoffs of the D-Wing and Building Connector started on April 27, 2021 and are slated to be completed on June 16, 2021. The north parking spaces in the ER drop off and parking are now closed and will remain closed for the duration of the project to ensure public safety. Additional drop off zones have been created in the ER area and overflow parking has been relocated to Lot B, adjacent to the Medical Office Building (MOB). Parking Lot C is scheduled to be closed between May 05, 2021 and May 24, 2021 and Parking Lot D is scheduled for closure between May 26, 2021 and August 10, 2021. Closing the parking lots will allow the project team to complete early utility work.

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The new Behavioral Health Teaching Facility will be a one-of-a-kind fully integrated welcoming and healing environment for individuals struggling with serious physical and behavioral health problems. The building will support a full continuum of clinical services ranging from effective medication management and psychotherapies to state-of-the-art neuromodulation treatments, medical and surgical care for individuals with medical and behavioral health disorders. The building will also become the home for an interdisciplinary training and workforce development program that is focused on preparing and supporting the next generation of behavioral health providers for Washington State.

If you have any questions about the upcoming work at UWMC Northwest, please feel free to contact us and we would be glad to provide any additional information. Please see attached the Parking Phasing Plan, regarding the temporary parking lot closures.