





#### **COPR for Additional Beds**

Delaware Health Resources Board Committee Meeting

August 3, 2023











#### Background

- Bayhealth Hospital, Sussex Campus Opened February 2019
  - Replaced 168-Bed Milford Memorial Hospital
- Significant Growth for our Med/Surg Units
  - 18% Growth in Admissions
  - 57% Growth in Observation Cases
  - Occupancy Rates Frequently Exceed 100%

#### Background

- Bed Compliment
  - Opened as a 128 Bed Hospital
  - Added
    - 24 Med/Surg Beds in 2021
    - 5 L&D Beds in 2022
  - Current Configuration
    - 157-Bed Hospital
      - 96 Med/Surg Beds
      - 10 Bed ICU
      - 11 Bed Women's Services
      - 40 Bed Separately Licensed Rehab Unit



# Sussex Campus Beds

Bed Type	Current Beds	Beds Proposed to Be Added	Future Beds if COPR Approved
Medical/Surgical	96	40	136
Inpatient Rehabilitation	40	(40)	0
ICU	10	6	16
Women's Services	11	0	11
Total Inpatient Beds	157	6	163

#### Sussex Campus Inpat. Bed Demand –Internal Methodology

Growth		20	21	10 – Year	Bed Need
	Current		Additional Beds		Additional Beds
Bed Type	Beds*	Bed Demand	Needed	Bed Demand	Needed
ICU	10	15	5	16	6
Med Surg	96	94	0	100	4
ОВ	11	6	0	8	0
Peds	-	0	0	-	-
Total Licensed Beds	117	115	5	124	10
Observation	12	16	4	19	7
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Total New Rooms No	eeded		9		17

<sup>\*</sup>Assumes 5 beds added to Women's Services Unit

#### State Health Resources Mgmt. Plan Methodology

Current Med/Surg Beds	Base Year ADC <sup>1</sup>	Projected ADC <sup>2</sup>	Med/Surg Bed Need Calculation <sup>3</sup>	Med/Surg Beds Needed
96	69.0	77.6	103.5	7.5

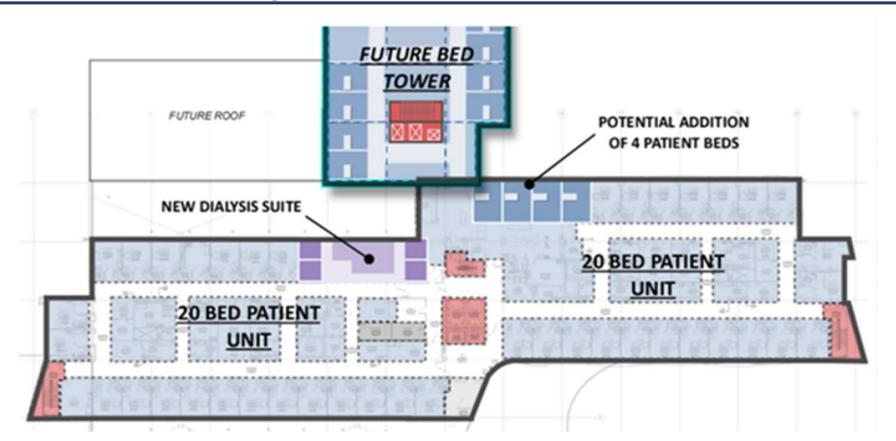
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Based on FY22

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Acute care bed need calculated at 75 percent occupancy per HRMP guidelines

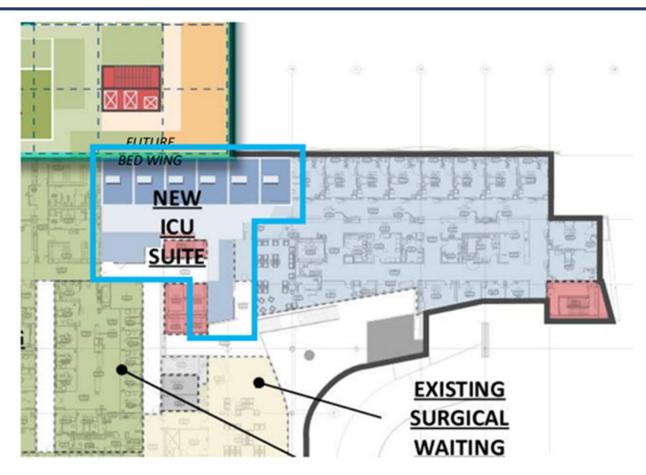
Med/Surg Beds Needed	ICU Beds Needed	Observation Beds Needed	Total Beds Needed
7.5	6	7	20.5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Projected for FY32

## 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Med/Surg



## 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor ICU



## Four Factors Supporting Project

- Population Growth Resulting in Increased Utilization
- Flexibility to Accommodate Future Utilization Surges
- ICU is Already Operating at a Bed Deficit
- Med/Surg Units Frequently Over Capacity



#### Bayhealth Sussex Service Area Population

#### **Service Area Population**

	CY 2022	CY 2027	Population Inc./(Dec.) 2022-2027	% Growth 2022-2027
Service Area Population: 0-17	61,419	65,000	3,581	5.8%
Service Area Population: 18-44	95,260	98,557	3,297	3.5%
Service Area Population: 44-64	74,861	74,554	(307)	-0.4%
Service Area Population: 65+	66,279	77,430	11,151	16.8%
Service Area Population: Total	297,819	315,541	17,722	6.0%

Source: Stratasan, ESRI Demographics, August 2022.



#### Historical Utilization and Capacity for Bayhealth Sussex

	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Total Patient Days <sup>1</sup>	22,369	25,824	29,045	37,006
Total Occupancy <sup>2</sup>	85.1%	98.0%	110.5%	105.6%
Inpatient Admissions	4,405	4,553	4,642	5,043
ICU Patient Days	2,396	2,703	3,093	3,232
ICU Occupancy Rate	65.6%	73.9%	84.7%	88.5%
Source: Bayhealth Sussex internal data. <sup>1</sup> Patient days include observation days.	<sup>2</sup> 24-bed unit added S	ept.'21		

• In CY 2021 and CY 2022, 275 and 312 patients, respectively, were held in the ED before transfer to the ICU



#### Impact to Other Providers

- No Adverse Impact on Other Health Care Providers.
  - Will continue to collaborate
  - Will maintain established referral arrangements with all appropriate providers
  - Care management will continue to assist with the coordination of follow-up care
  - Will continue to transfer patient to the closest appropriate facility when higher level of care is needed
    - This may include Christiana Care's Level 1 Trauma Center or other specialty facilities located outside of the state.



#### Improvements to Quality

- Improved Quality of Care in the ED:
  - Increased bed capacity will improve ED throughput.
- Improved Quality of Care for Critical Care Patients:
  - Increased ICU capacity will enable faster transfer of patients to the ICU
- Improved Patient Satisfaction:
  - Decreasing the amount of wait/holding time for patients will result in improved experience



## **Estimated Capital Expense**

	Minimum	Maximum
6 ICU Beds	\$2.5 M	\$3.1 M
Dialysis Unit Relocation	1.0 M	1.2 M
40 Med/Surg Beds	0	0
Total Range of Capital Expenditure	\$3.5 M	\$4.3 M

Bayhealth intends to finance project through cash reserves



## **Financial Projection**

	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2025	FY 2026
Net Operating Revenue	\$ 217,639,069	\$ 261,124,626	\$ 267,431,820	\$ 273,639,966
Operating Expenses				
Salaries & Benefits	98,777,117	120,627,961	124,167,605	127,689,001
Supplies and Other	74,918,579	88,967,419	91,578,033	94,175,188
Depreciation and Amortization	19,194,611	20,439,127	21,038,882	21,635,545
Interest	1,291,757	1,912,303	1,759,319	1,688,946
Other - Allocated Admin/Overhead	15,000,000	18,000,000	18,000,000	18,000,000
Total Operating Expense	\$ 209,182,064	\$ 249,946,810	\$ 256,543,839	\$ 263,188,681
Gain (Loss) From Operation	\$ 8,457,005	\$ 11,177,816	\$ 10,887,981	\$ 10,451,286



## Implementation Schedule

Phase	Anticipated Date
COPR Process	Jul. 2023 – Sept. 2023
Design Development / Construction Documents	Aug. 2023 – Feb. 2024
State / Local Agency Review	Feb. 2024 – Apr. 2024
Construction	Jun. 2024 – Dec. 2024
Med Surg Occupancy	Jul. 2024
ICU Occupancy	Jan. 2025

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