

Cayuga Medical Center

location: Ithaca, NY

owner: Cayuga Medical Center



Trowbridge & Wolf worked closely with HOLT Architects and T.G. Miller Engineers to develop a master plan for Cayuga Medical Center. The client expressed a desire to create a healing environment both indoors and out. A green building and sustainable site details were a central focus for the client and design team.

The resulting design is a restorative landscape that brings nature into the building. Planted courtyards meet full-story glass curtain walls to allow the landscape to be experienced from the Garden Cafe and entrance atrium. A roof garden was created along the entrance corridor to the Radiation Oncology Center, allowing visitors to pause and connect with nature. A series of existing artwork and sculptures were incorporated into a healing garden for respite and contemplation.

The southwest Emergency Department Addition at the Medical Center is designed to attain LEED certification and includes a porous pavement parking lot, landscaped bioretention basins, development of garden spaces, and creation of a green roof.



roof garden at the Radiation Oncology Center



water feature for reflection



planting at the Garden Cafe



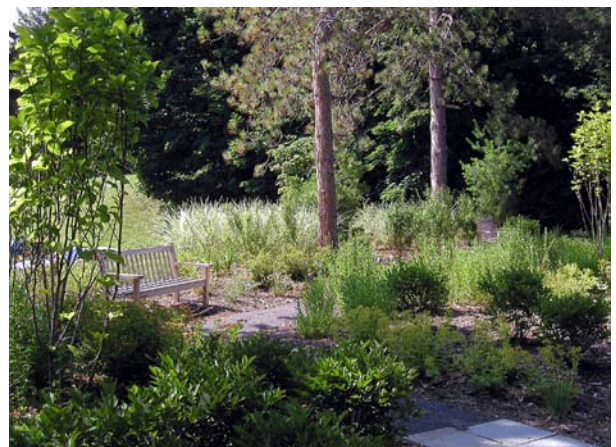
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