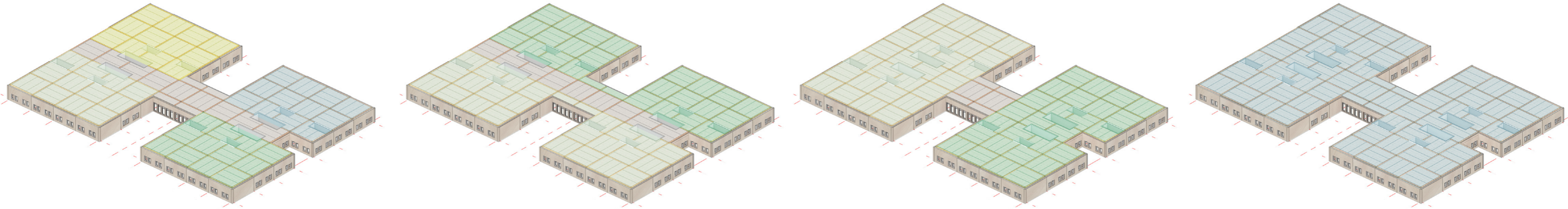


# FLEXCARE A flexible future for Lund University Hospital



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## PROJECT INTRODUCTION

The task of this year studio is to design a high-tech hospital, for a future extension of Lund University Hospital. A complex program with hospital functions of around 110000m<sup>2</sup> and high demands of connections in between departments to ensure an efficient and patient oriented workflow has been one of the great challenges in this project.

The plot area is around 22600 m<sup>2</sup>. It currently contains a few buildings, and an open parking. The buildings, for example the existing Primary Health care building will need to be demolished for creating room for the new hospital.

Next to the plot, a new tram station on Lunds new tram line is located, which means that the hospital extension will be the gate to the ( hospital- university) area. The municipality has a future plan for the whole area, and one of the visions is to create a link between the tram line and Kunskapsstråket (The link of knowledge) through the plot.

Beside this we have to take in consideration the cultural and historical value of the university hospital, municipality visions and plans, and the science within the field health promoting architecture.

In order to do this, we have designed design strategies, to guide us along our project design journey. Some strategies is clearly expressed in the final result, and some have guided us in our discussions, and given us inspiration.

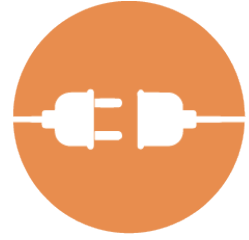
This is an early study on how a new hospital could look like and work.

## THE CONTEXT



## DESIGN STRATEGIES

### SITE & CONTEXT



CONNECTING INFRASTRUCTURE TO PUBLIC AREAS



SIGHTLINES FROM ENTRY POINTS



ANCHOR SPACES & ANCHOR POINTS

### BRIEF & LOGISTICS



BREAK THE BARRIER



ADDING TO THE DIVERSITY



CREATE EMBRACING SPACES

### SUSTAINABILITY & FUTURE PROOFING



USING WOOD AS CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL



SPACE & STRUCTURE DESIGN FLEXIBILITY



CREATING SOCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

### HEALTH PROMOTIVE ARCHITECTURE



IMPROVING & CREATING GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE

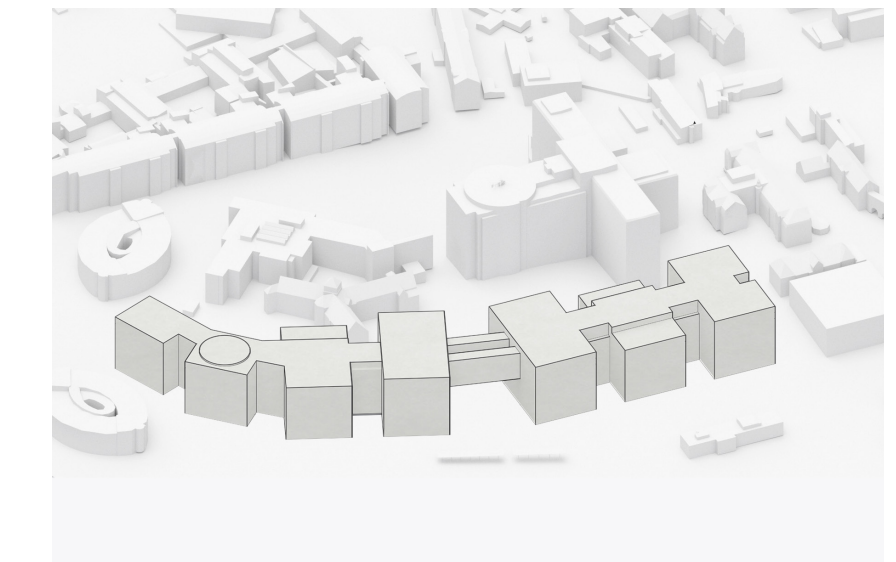
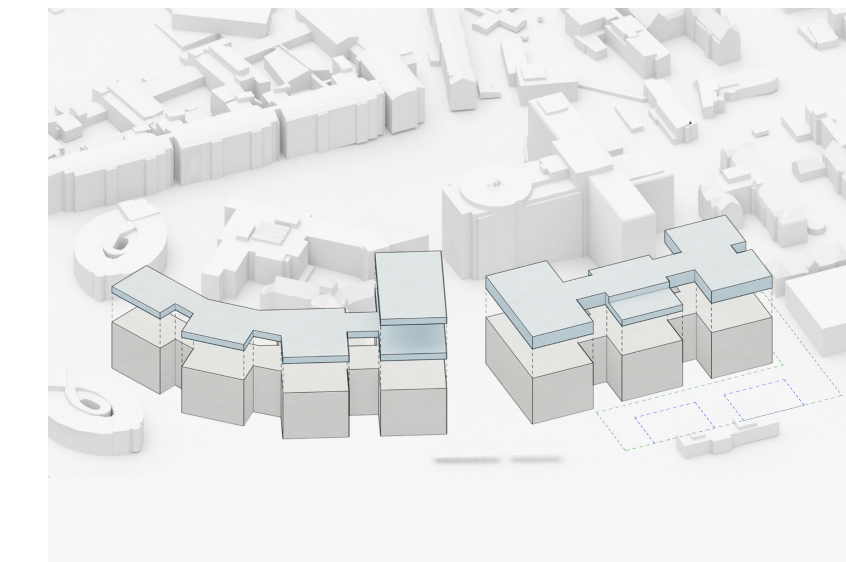
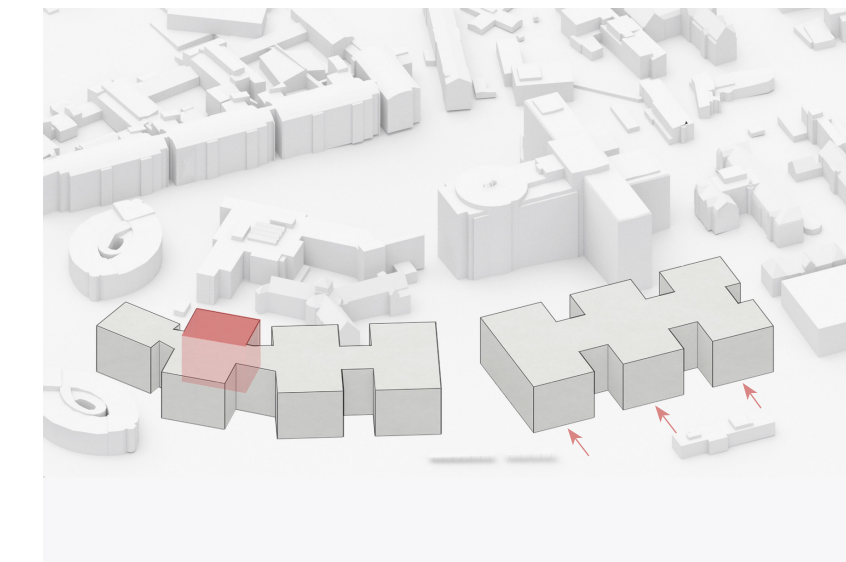
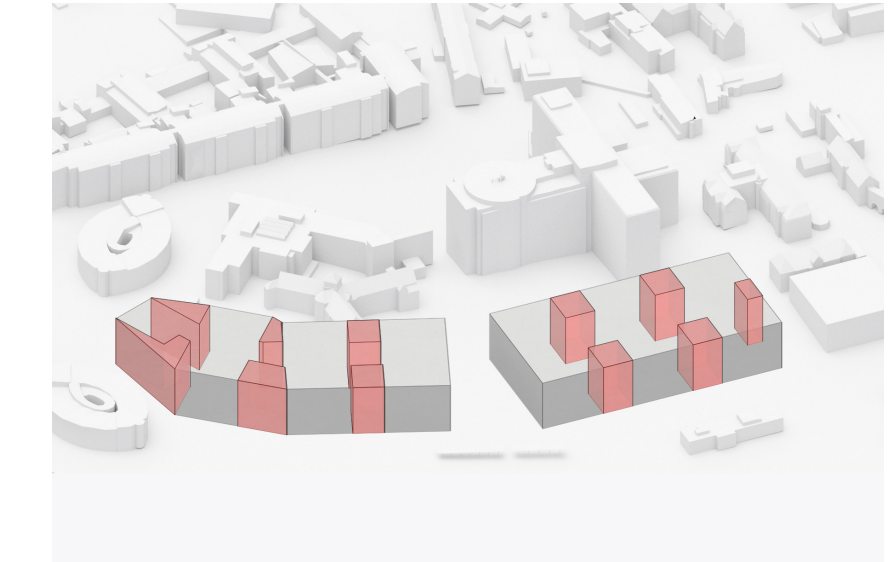
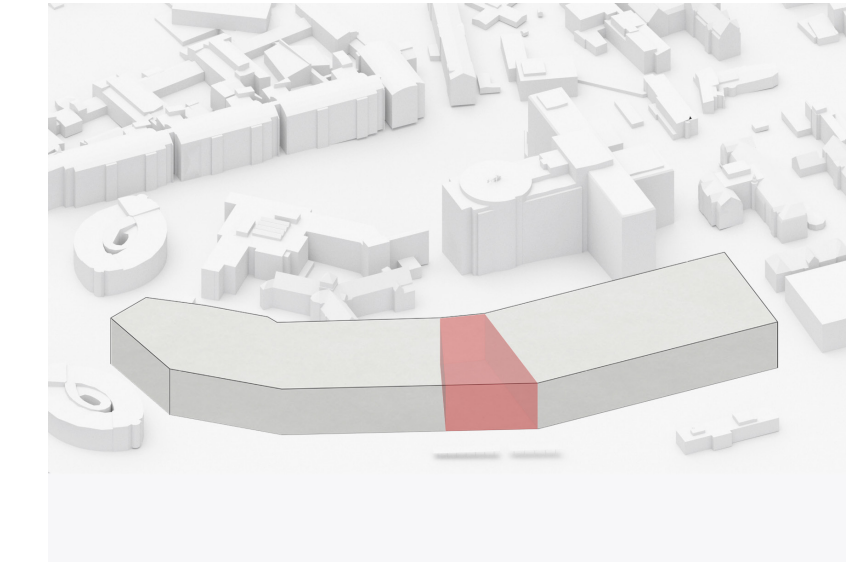
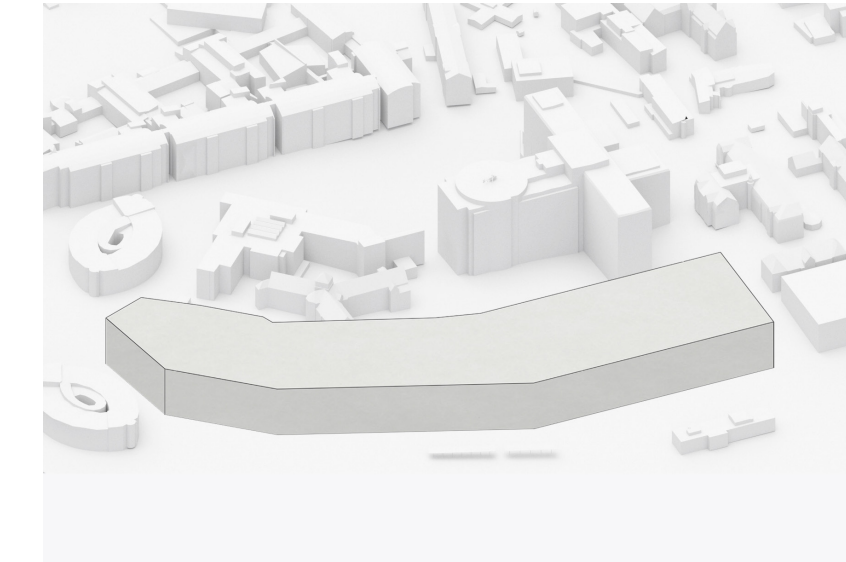


GRADIENT TRANSITION FROM PUBLIC TO PRIVATE



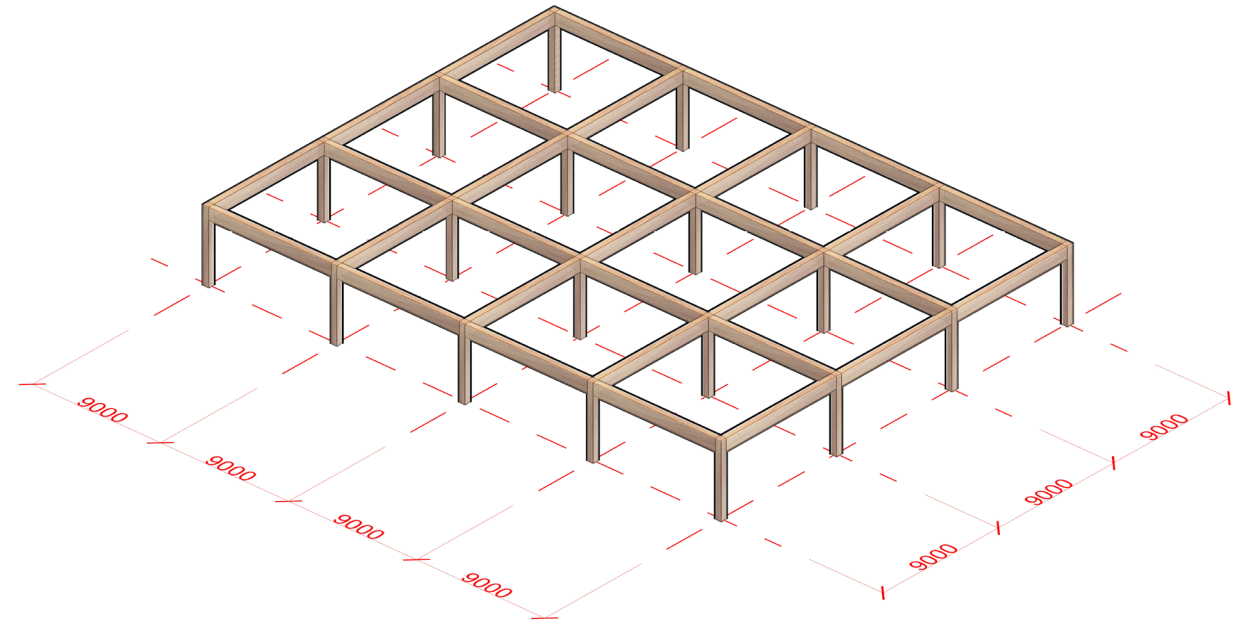
ADDING PUBLIC HEALTH FACILITIES

## EVOLUTION OF THE VOLUME

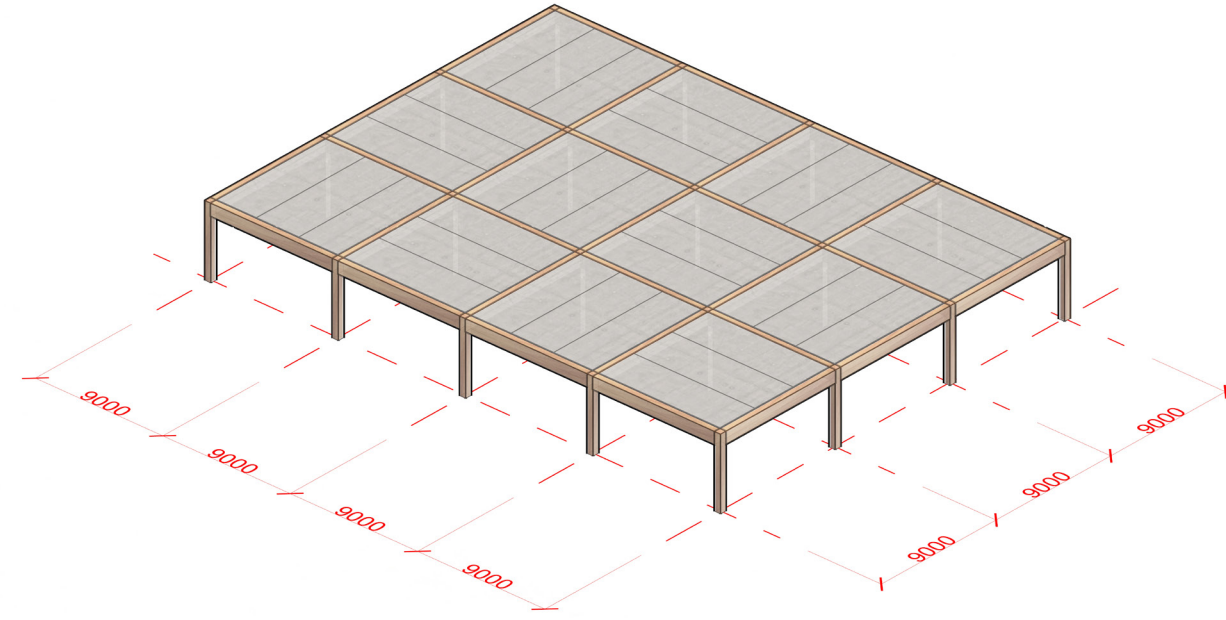


## STRUCTURAL PRINCIPLE

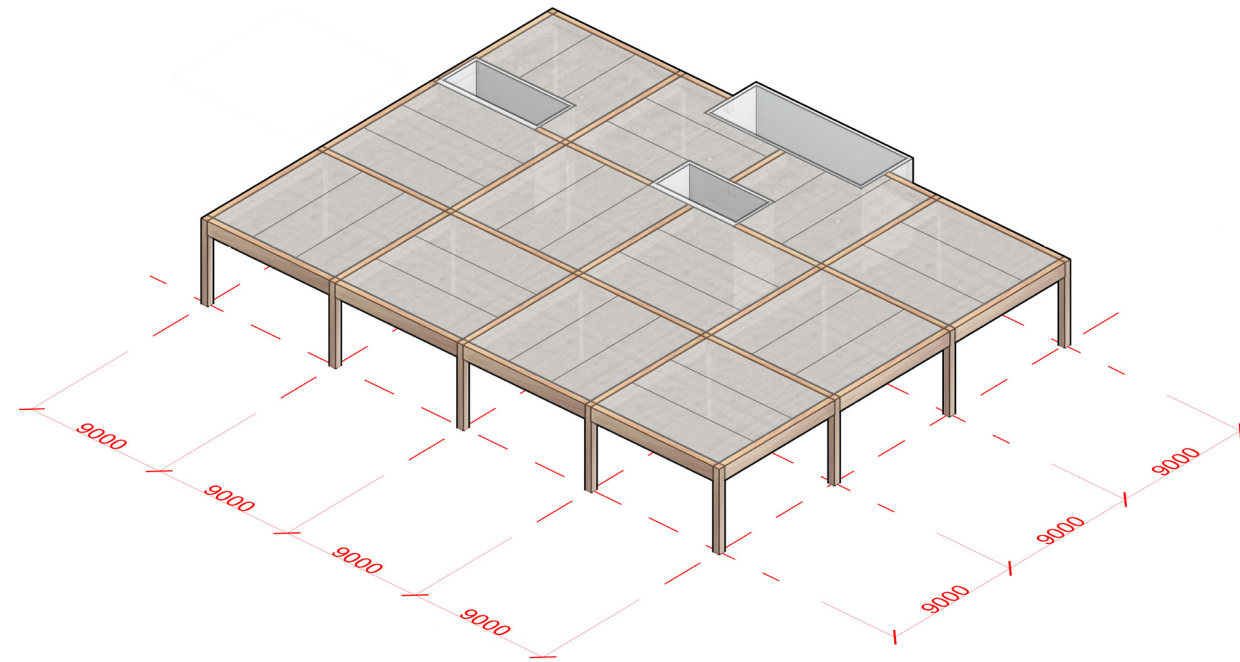
1. A 9x9m grid is used to generate the 36 x 27m module. A beam-grid of gluelam timber beams rests on gluelam timber pillars.



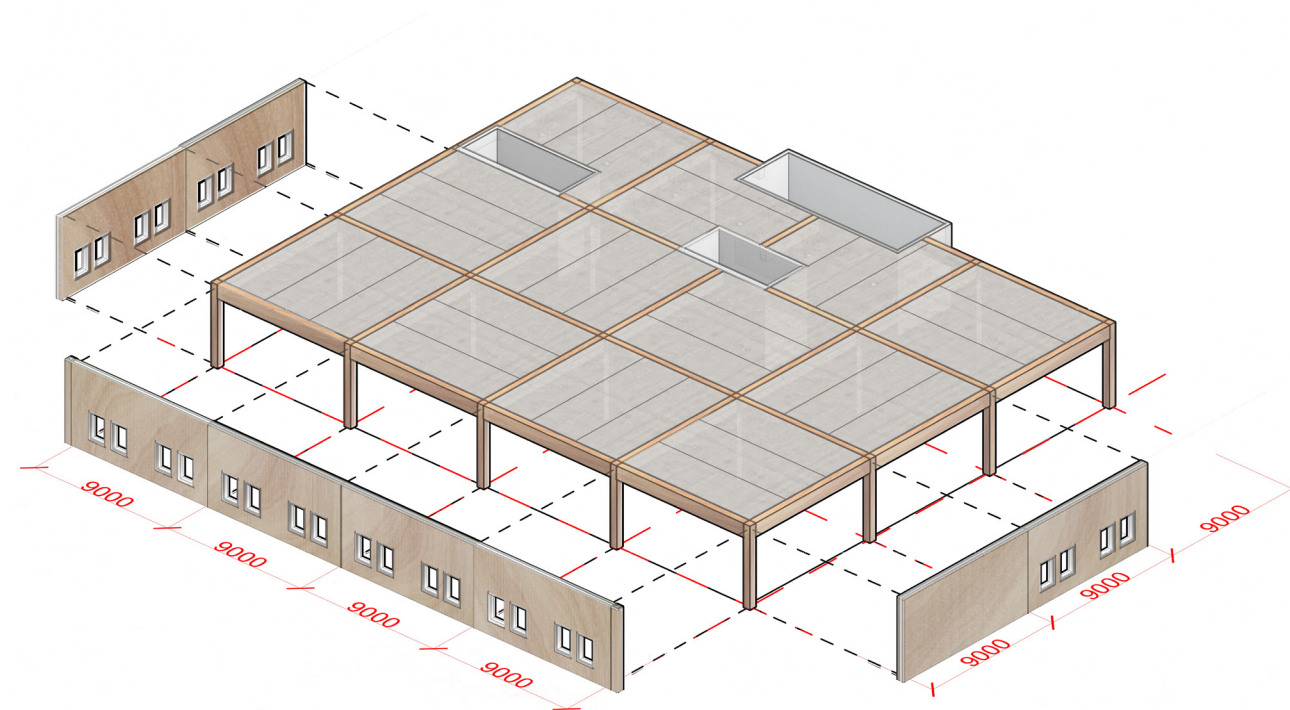
2. Composite slabs consisting of CLT with a upper layer of concrete gives a heavier slab than a slab only made of wood and gives better acoustical conditions.



3. Cores casted from concrete gives the structure horizontal stability.

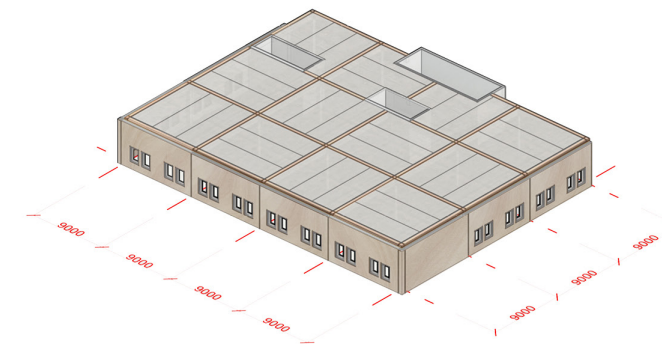


4. Prefabricated wall elements are hanged onto the structure.

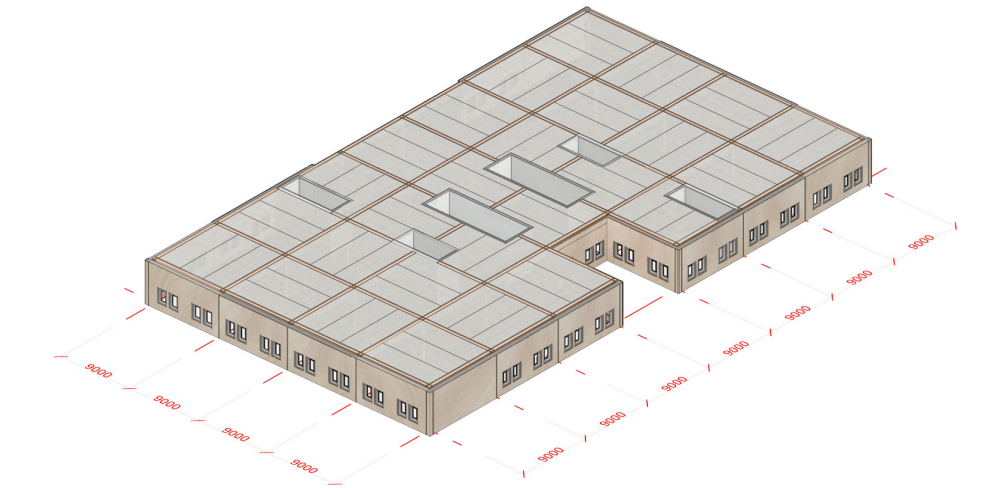


## GENERALITY OF THE MODULE

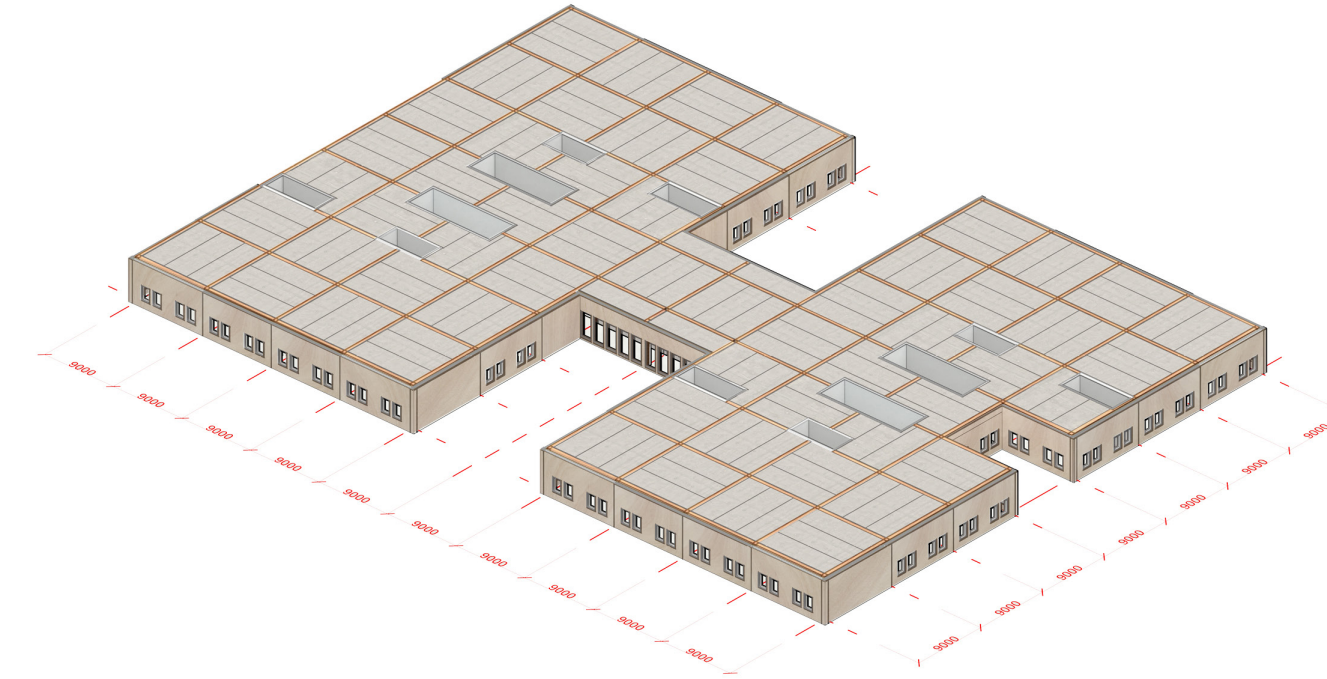
1. By using a standard module, the planning and construction of the hospital is simplified.



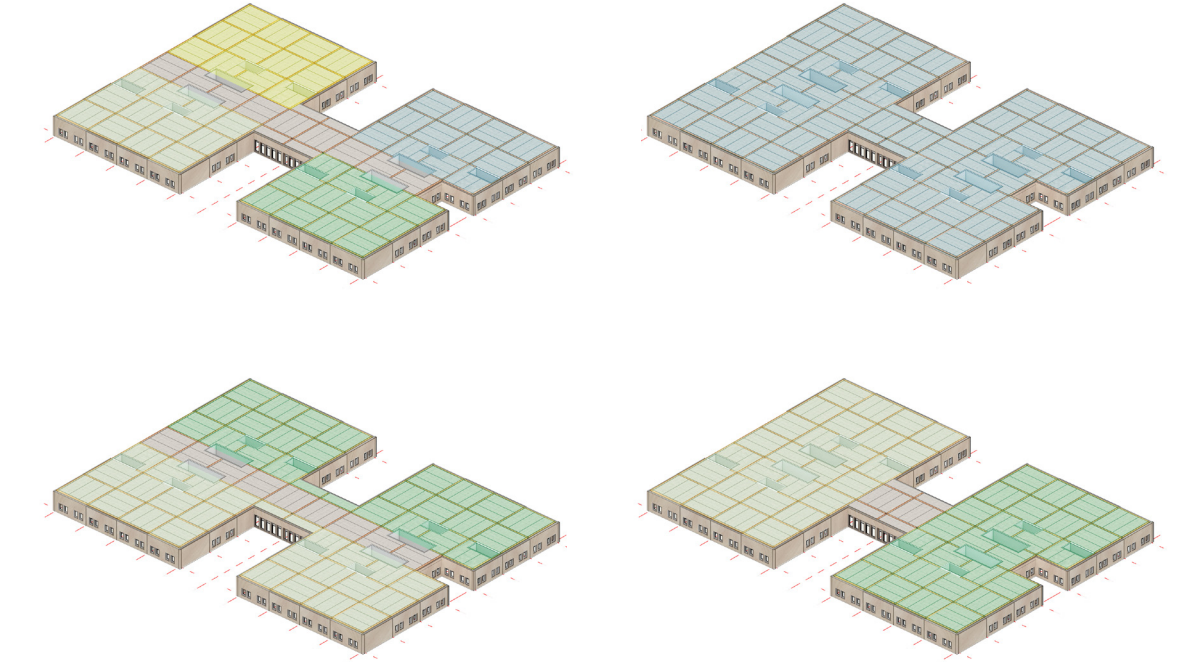
2. The module is rotated to create a pair of modules and an elevator core.



3. The module repeats throughout the hospital creating a flexibility in the future use of the hospital.

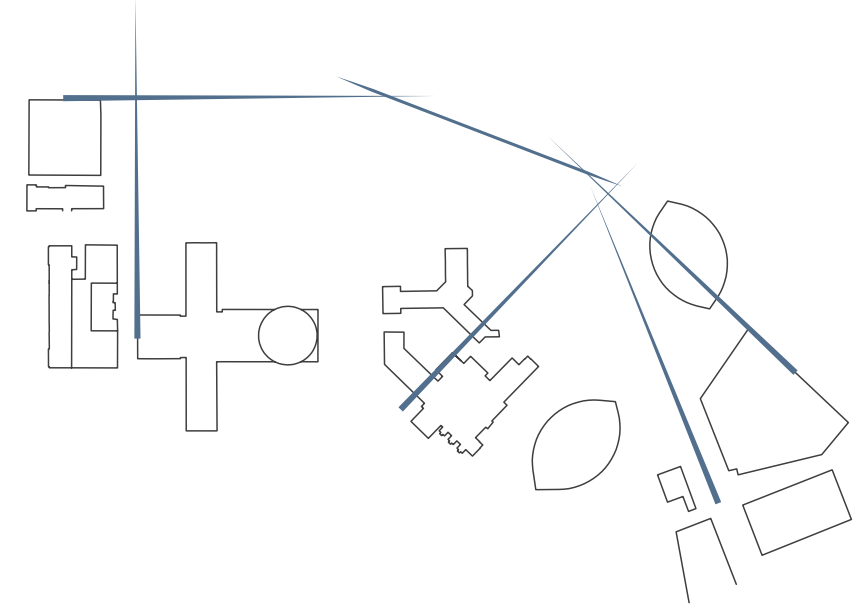


Examples on how departments can be distributed.

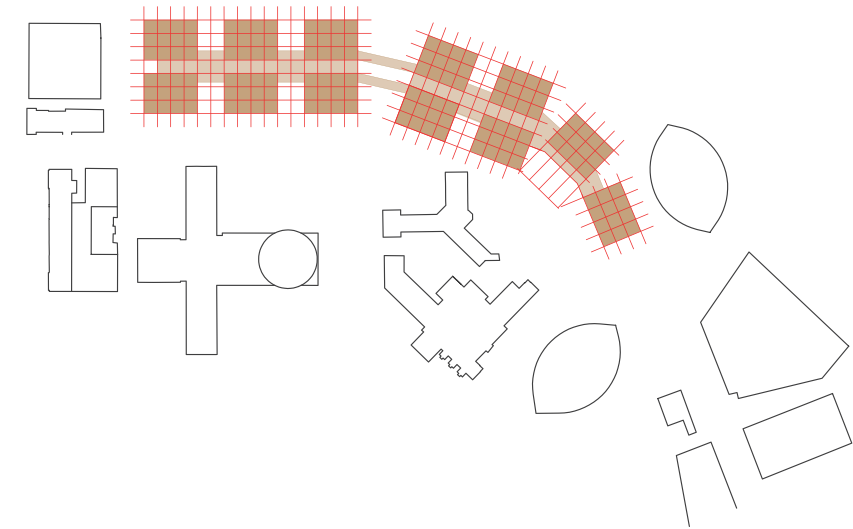


## GRID AND BUILDING ORIENTATION ANALYSIS

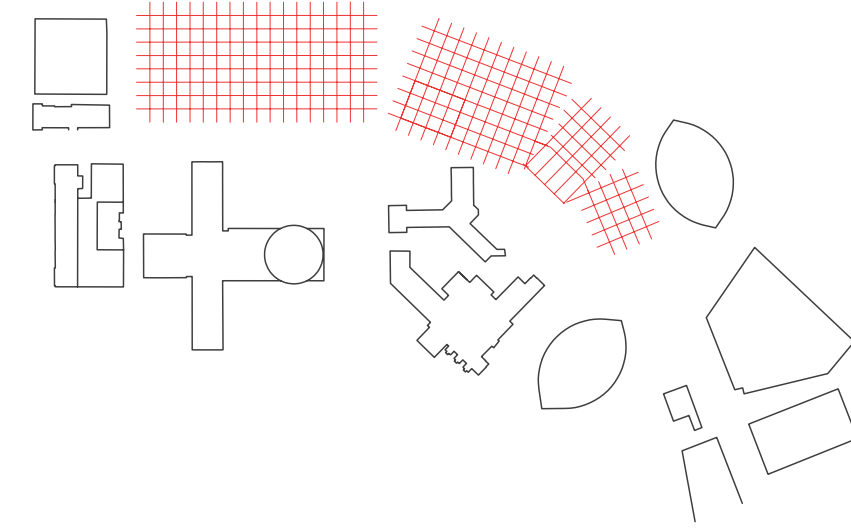
1. By using the orientation of the existing buildings, the new building gets a relation to the old buildings.



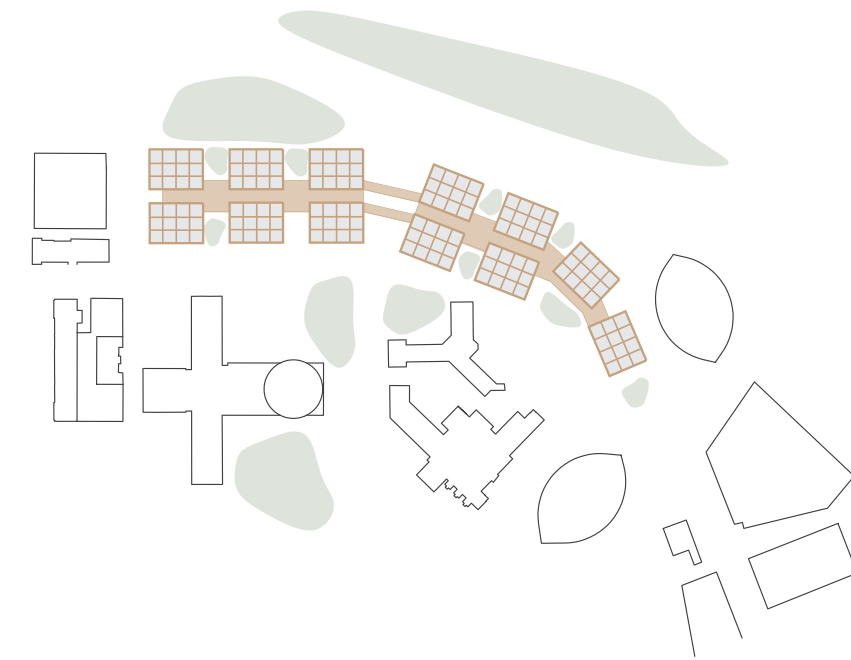
3. The grid is divided so that a module of 36x27m is used for the functions and 18m/9m for spacing in between the modules. Exception is the very north part where the spacing is different due to the geometry of the site.



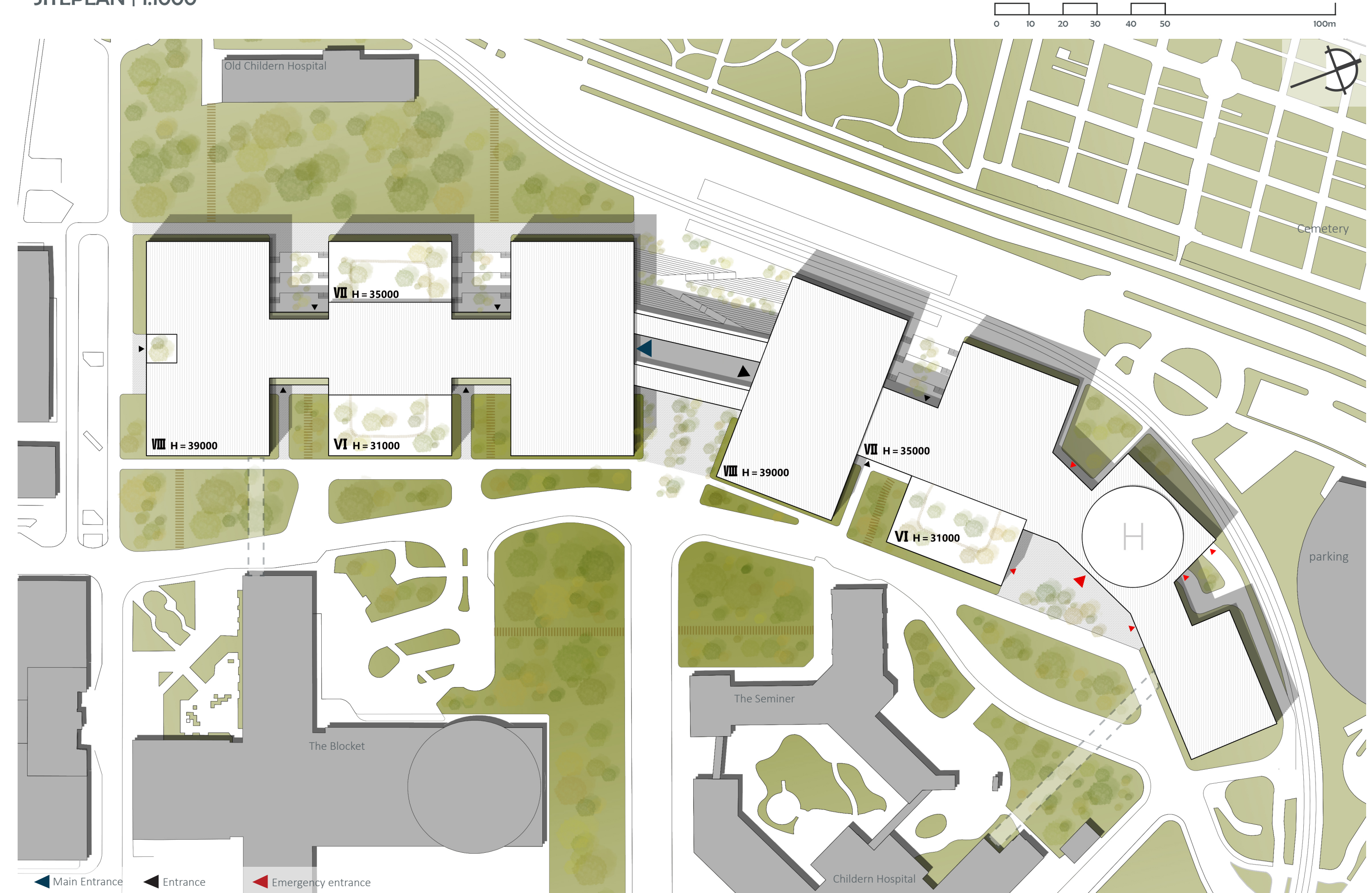
2. A 9x9m structural grid is used throughout the planning.



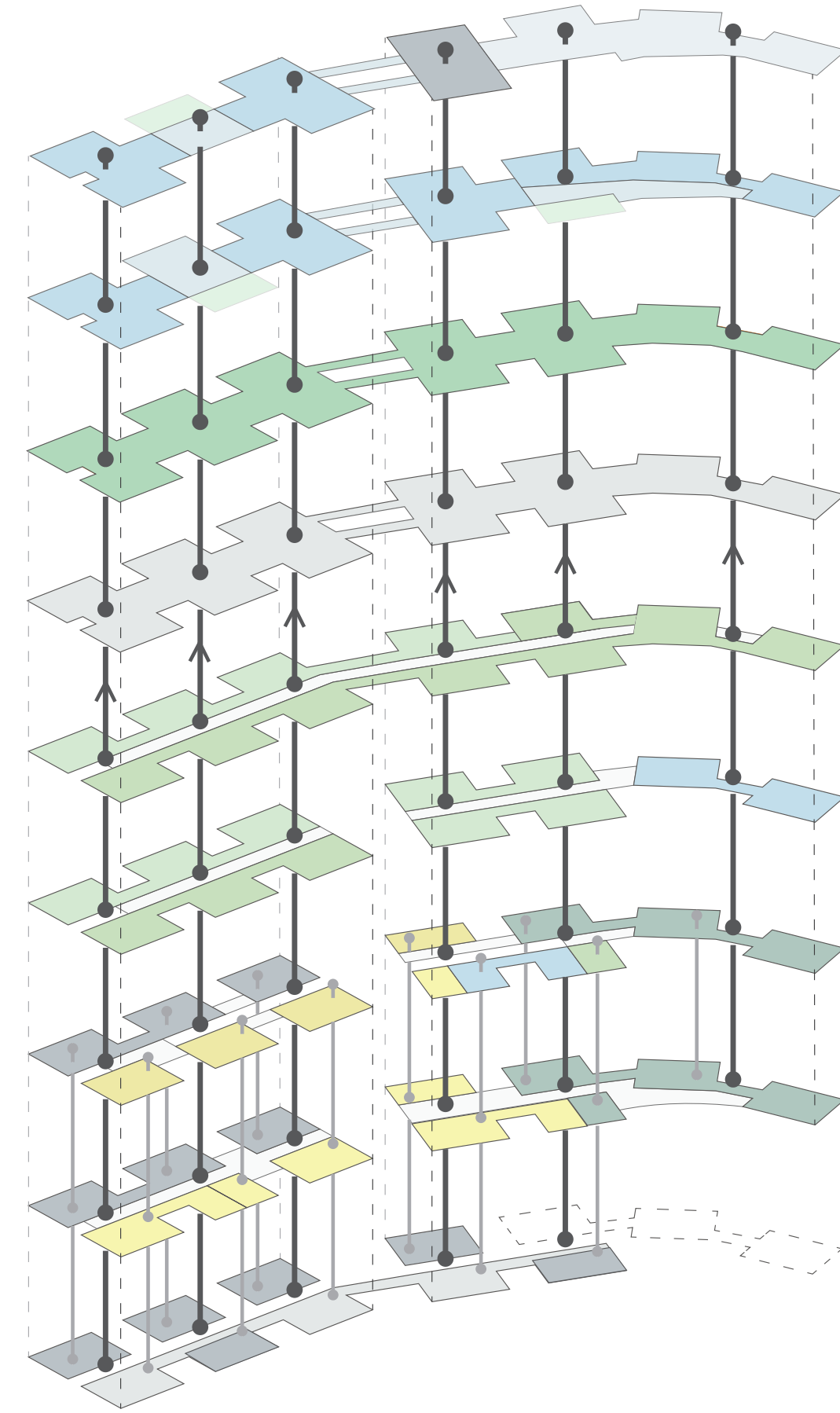
4. The repeating nature of the building using modules, makes a rather simple structural concept possible, and also help in the planning of departments, and in the orientation for the user of the hospital.



## SITEPLAN | 1:1000



# SCHEMATIC LAYOUT



Total BTA area 128716 m<sup>2</sup>

Women & Neonatal	
Mother care center	1615 m <sup>2</sup>
Specialized emergency	568 m <sup>2</sup>
Delivery ward	2559 m <sup>2</sup>
Prenatal ward	1115 m <sup>2</sup>
Perinatal / maternity ward	4110 m <sup>2</sup>
Delivery operation	568 m <sup>2</sup>
Neonatal ICU / co-care ward	5011 m <sup>2</sup>
Neonatal for outpatients	501 m <sup>2</sup>

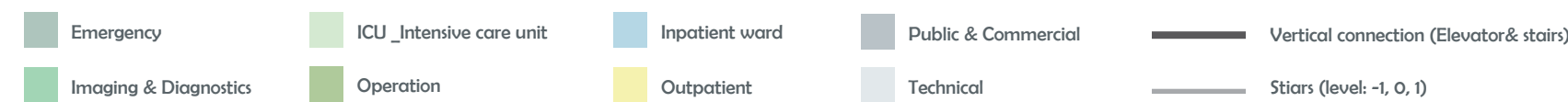
Hot Floor functions	
ICU (Intensive care unit)	9281 m <sup>2</sup>
Operation	14011 m <sup>2</sup>
Imaging & Diagnostics	15700 m <sup>2</sup>
Emergency	7743 m <sup>2</sup> + Helipad

Outpatient functions	
Gynecology	2120 m <sup>2</sup>
Kidney med / dialysis	2676 m <sup>2</sup>
Day surgery center	1673 m <sup>2</sup>
Primary health care	2006 m <sup>2</sup>

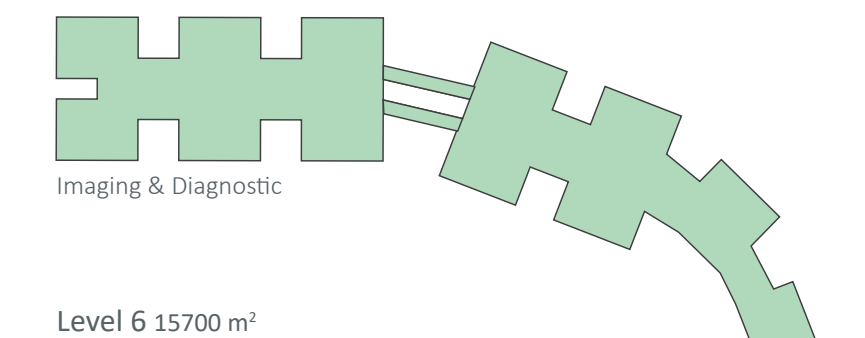
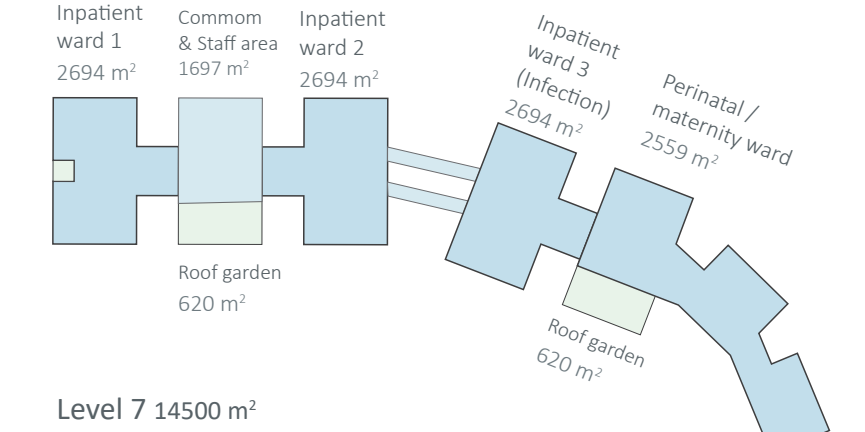
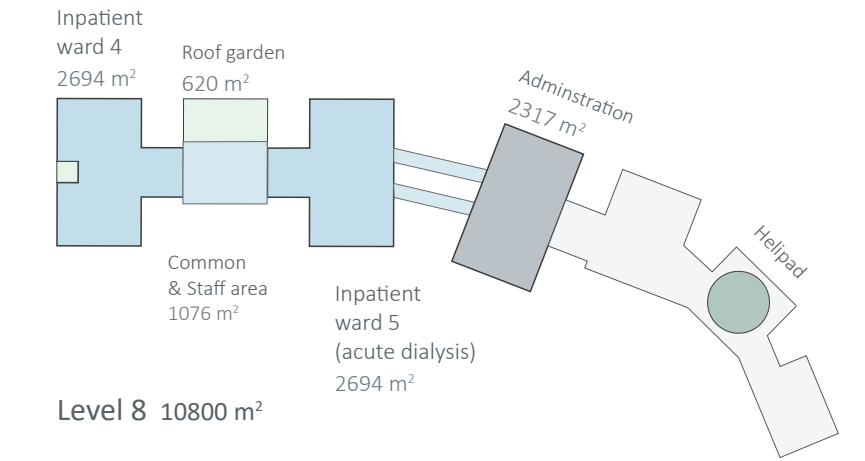
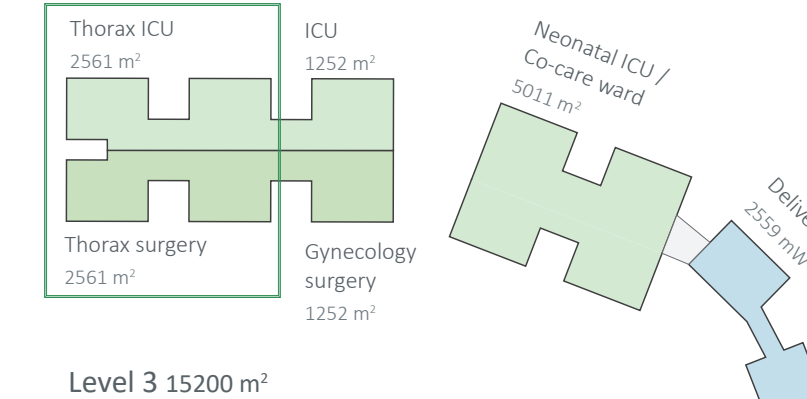
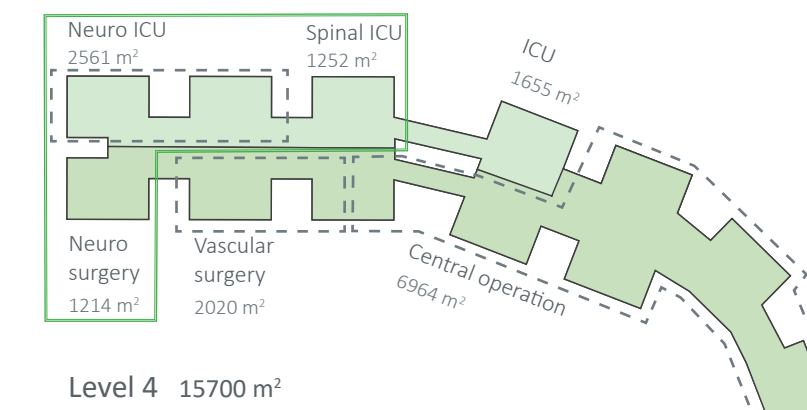
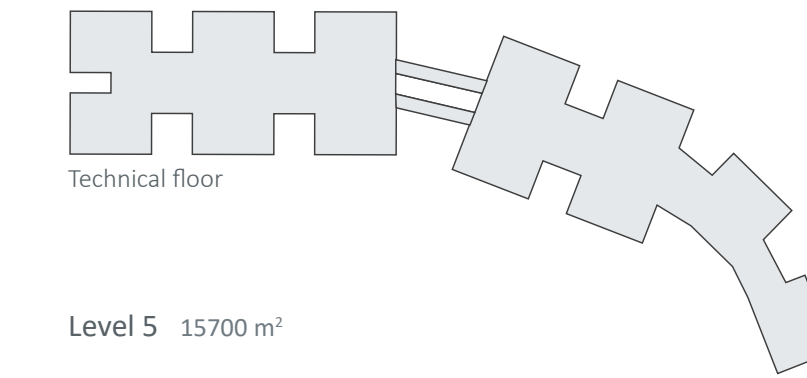
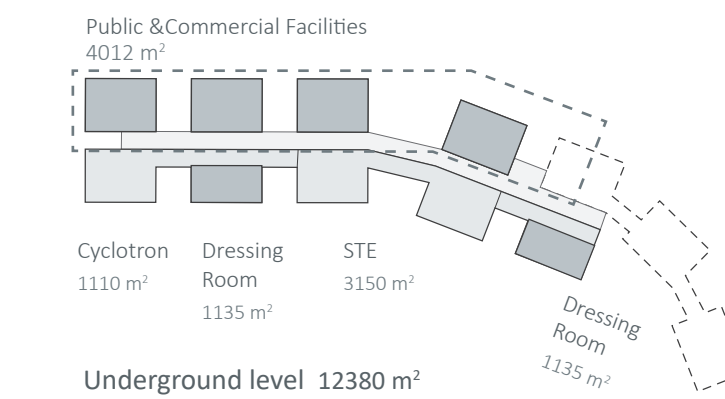
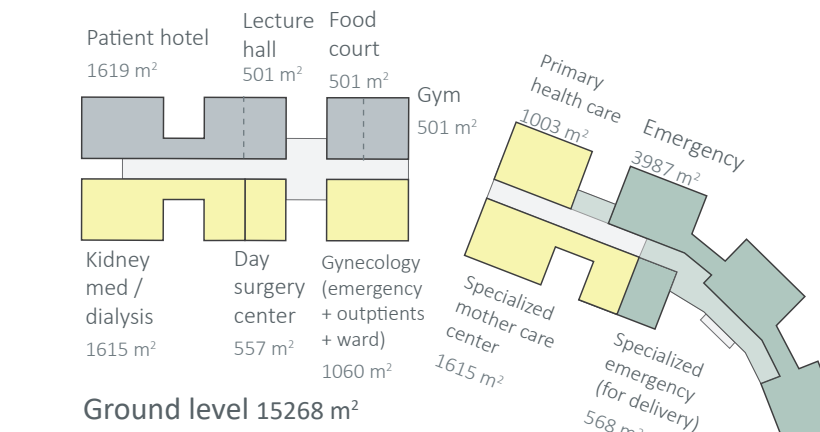
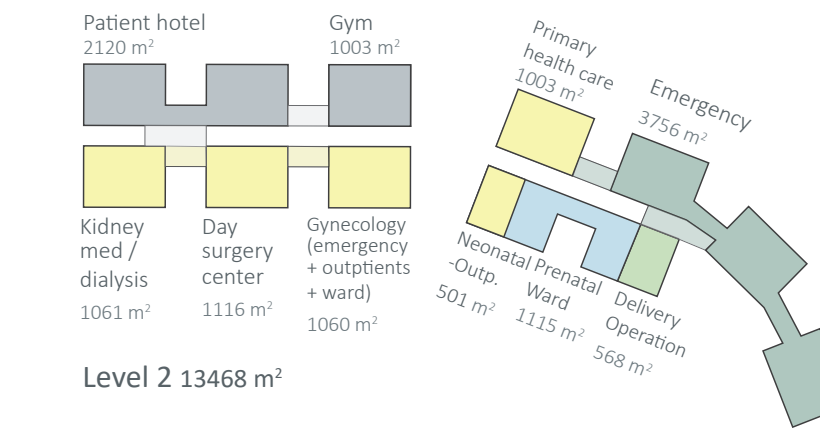
Inpatient wards	
5 wards, Each ward is	2694 m <sup>2</sup>
+ common & staff area	2773 m <sup>2</sup>

Staff & Public functions	
Administration	2317 m <sup>2</sup>
Dressing rooms	2270 m <sup>2</sup>
Public & Commercial	5014 m <sup>2</sup>
Gym	1504 m <sup>2</sup>
Patient hotel	3740 m <sup>2</sup>

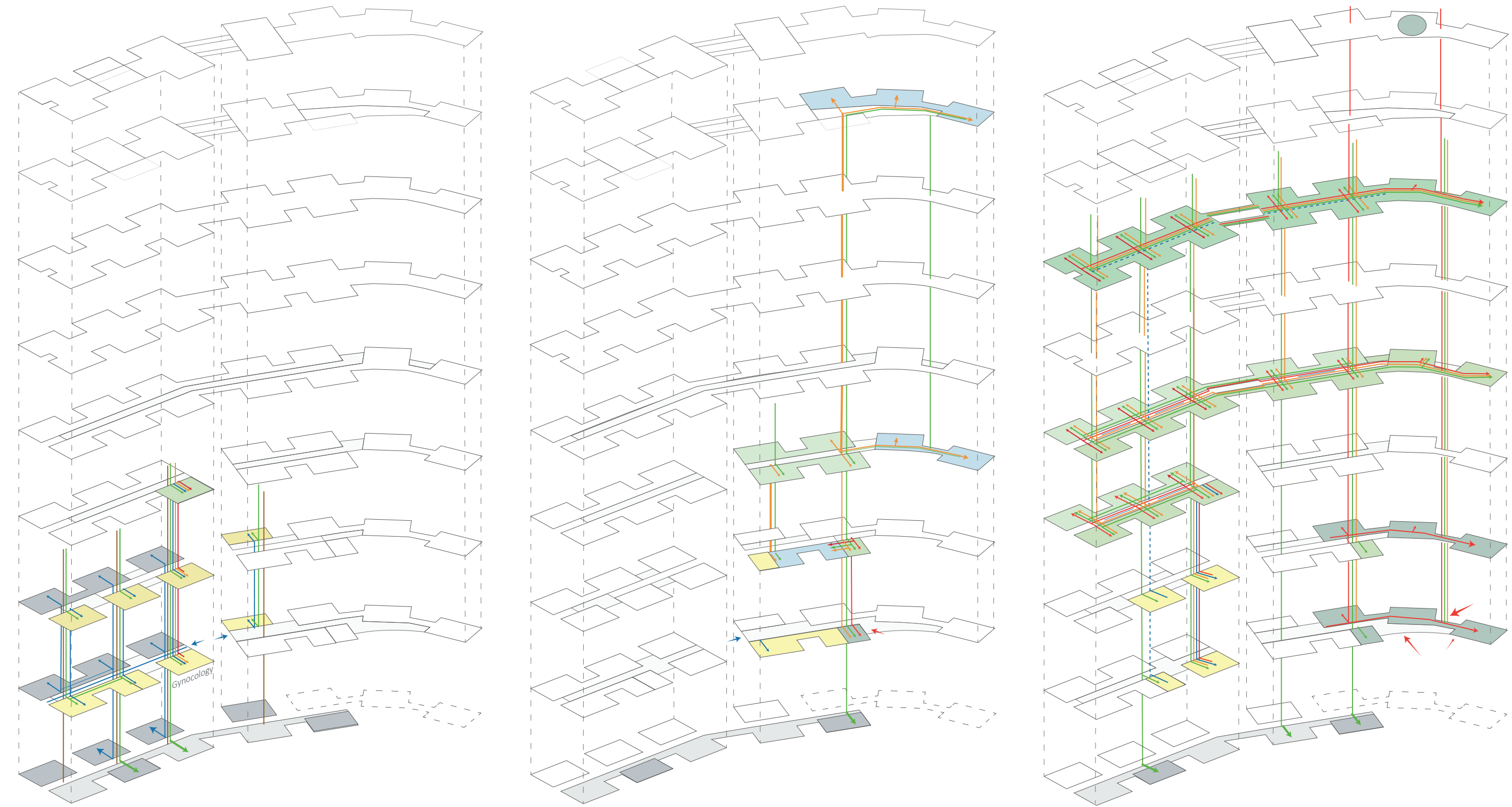
Medical Supply & Technical functions	
Cyclotron + STE	4260 m <sup>2</sup>
Technical floor	15700 m <sup>2</sup>
+ Storage areas, AGV ( Automatic Guided Vehicle) in the hot floor + Inpatient wards	



# SCHEMATIC LAYOUT



## MAIN CLUSTERS ANALYSIS



OUTPATIENT FUNCTIONS

WOMEN & NEONATAL

HOT FLOOR

● Emergency ● Staff ● Inpatient ● Outpatient/ Visitor ● Goods

## CORRIDOR FLEXIBILITY

### Central corridor

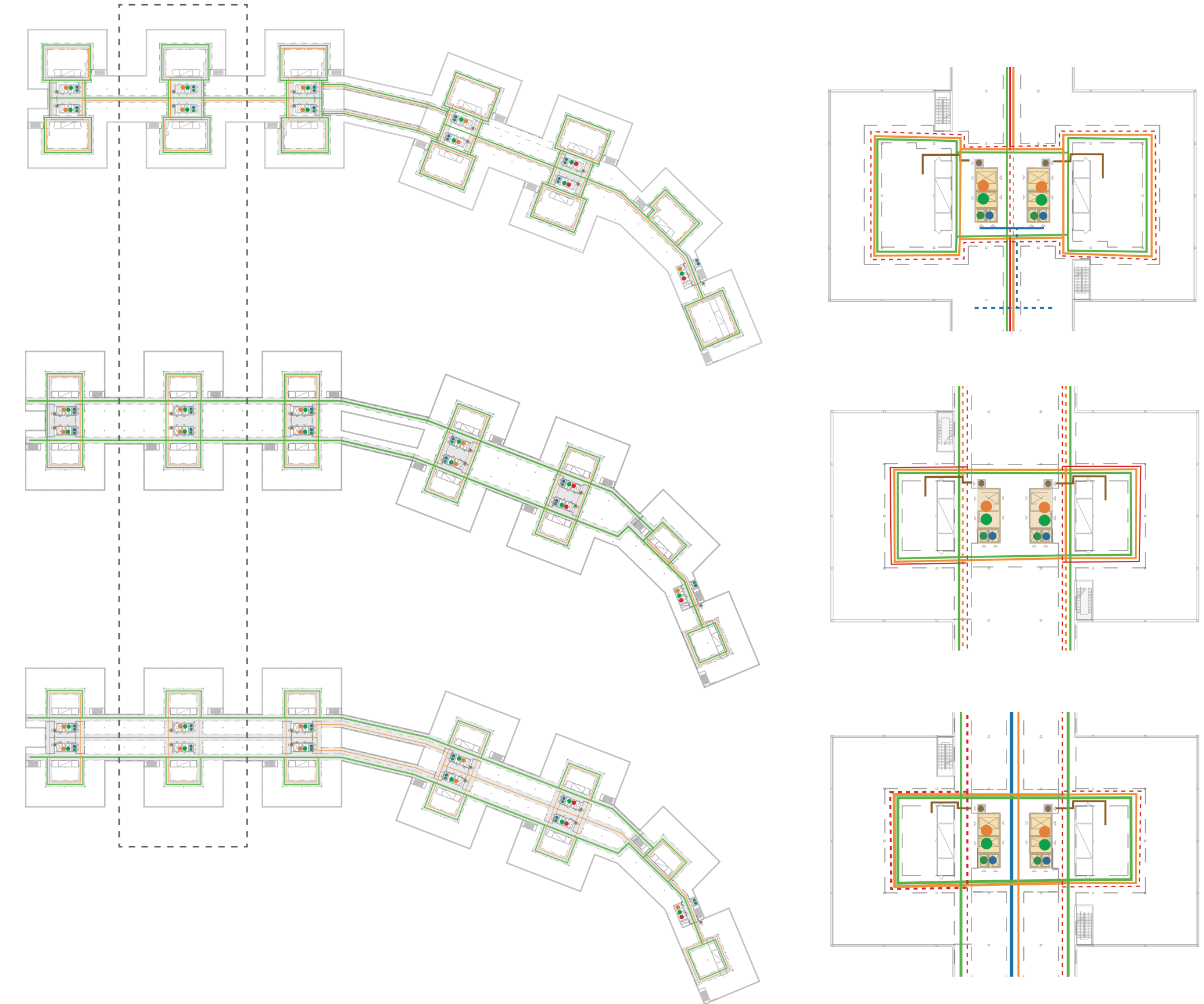
The single corridor scheme is favourable where the public/patients and the staff could share communication space, for example on Ward levels. The central corridor makes it easy to walk between the elevator cores and makes possibility to create public spaces in between the function modules, as on the ground floor.

### Double corridor

The double corridor scheme is mainly for levels/parts of the building that is not accessible for the public, but is for staff and inpatient only, such as surgery and ICU. The corridors provide a fast connection in between function modules and since the corridor goes along the facade in between the function modules the staff will experience the outside while walking in the corridor. The space in the core of the building can be used for supporting the functions within the modules.

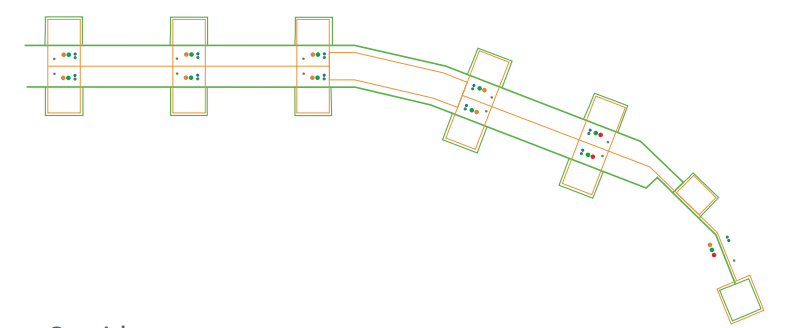
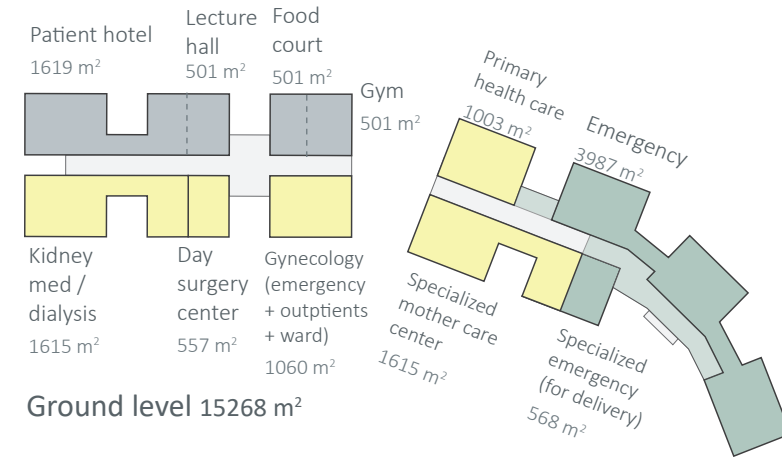
### Triple corridor

The triple corridor scheme is for parts of the hospital where the public and the staff flows are separated. This scheme could for example be used in the mothercare cluster, where one can expect a lot of outpatients and also visitors. These groups can use the central corridor while the staff and inpatients could use the more private outer corridors.

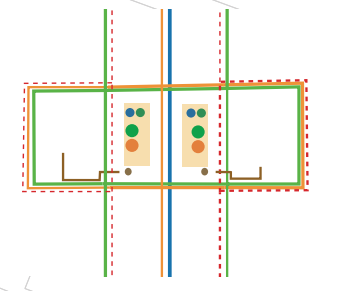
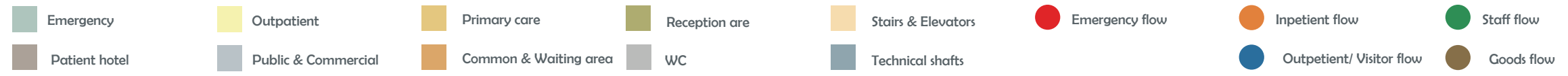
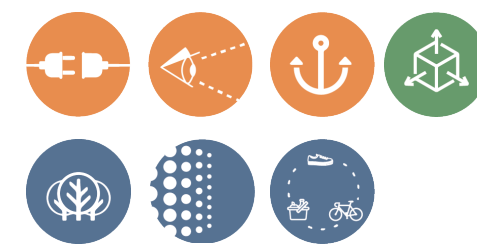


● Emergency ● Staff ● Inpatient ● Outpatient/ Visitor ● Goods

GROUND Level | 1:500

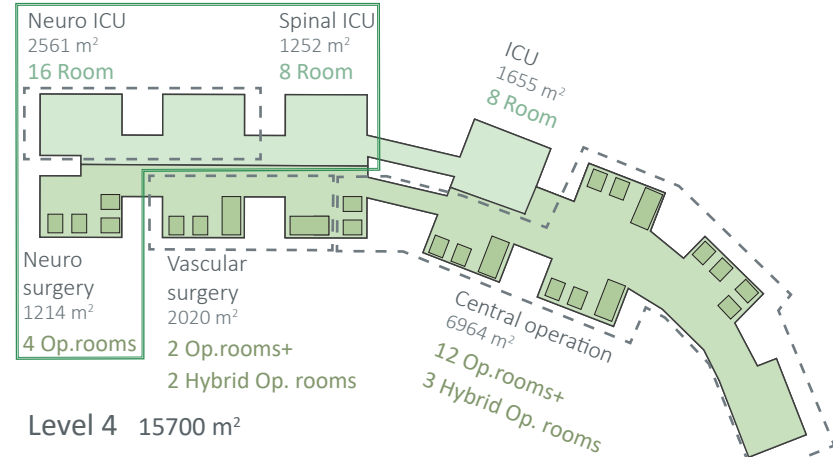
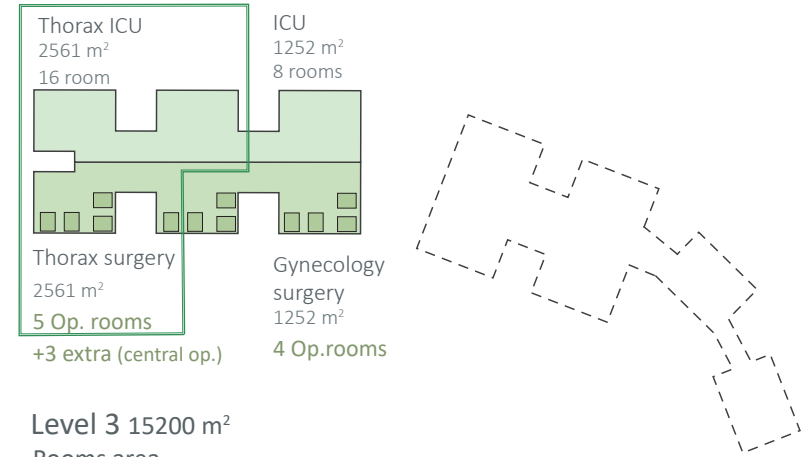


Guideline Strategies for designing level 0





## OPERATION & ICU\_LEVEL 3 | 1:500



Level 3 15200 m<sup>2</sup>

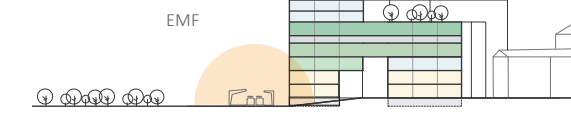
Rooms area

- . ICU room 43 m<sup>2</sup> ( 37 m<sup>2</sup> + Bathroom 5.6 m<sup>2</sup>)
- . Normal Op. room 60.6 m<sup>2</sup>
- . Hybrid Op. room 132 m<sup>2</sup>

In this level, extra rooms were provided in both the ICU and Operation departments, as a result of applying (space and structure flexibility) strategy within the modules.

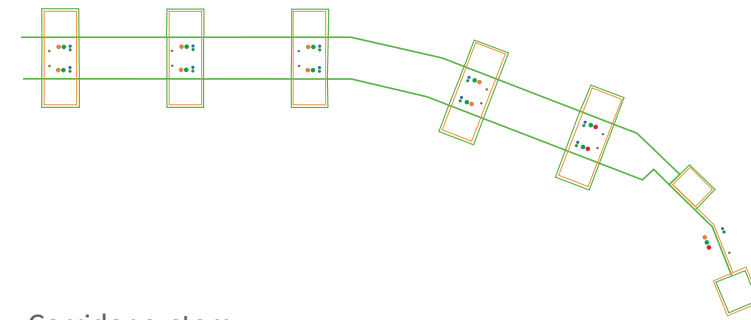
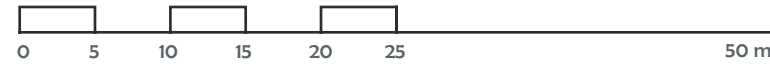
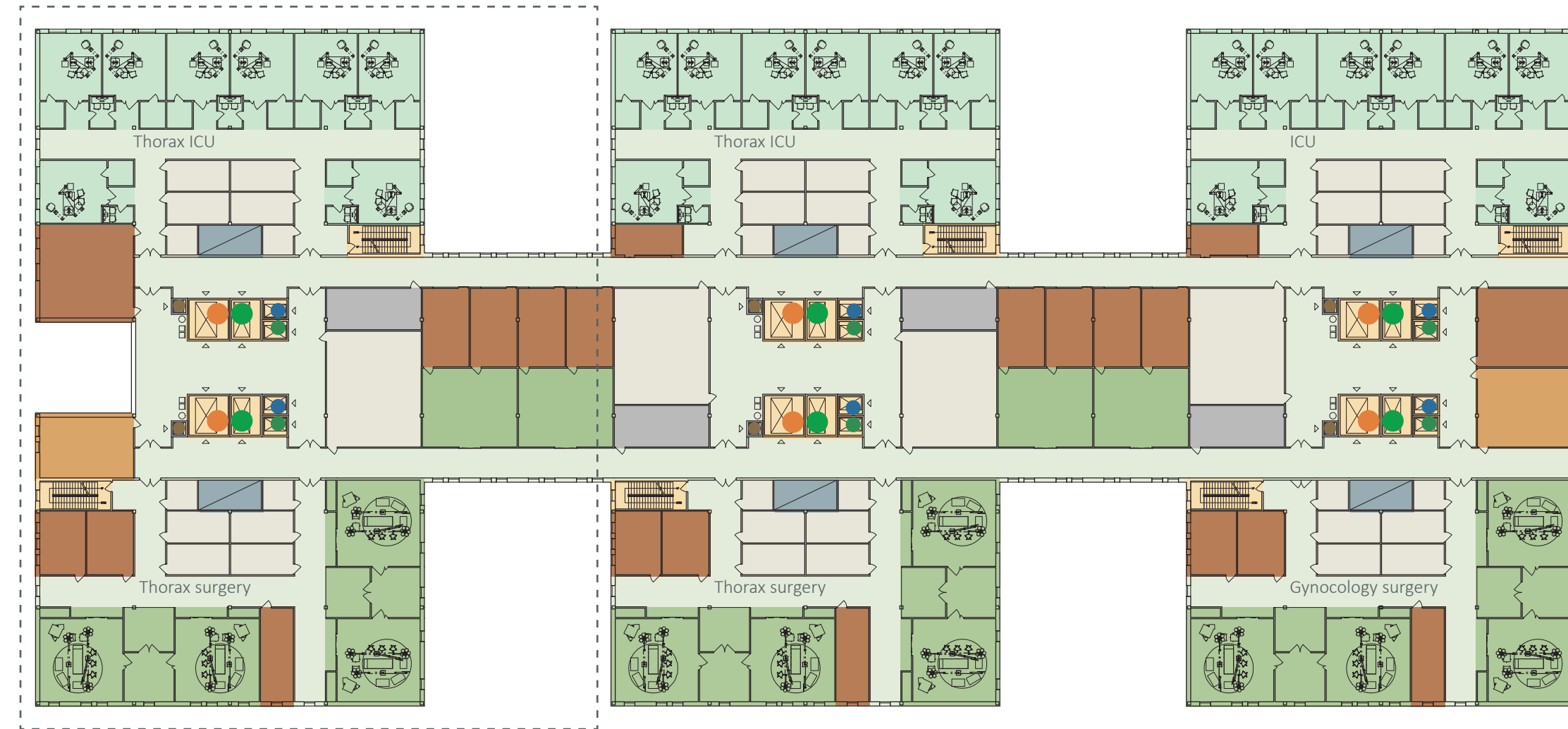
- . 1 extra room for each ICU departments.
- . 3 extra central operation rooms
- . 1 Module (1000 m<sup>2</sup>) that can be used for fitting more operation rooms, or for other functions.

There has been raised concerns about the impact of the electromagnetic (EMF) field from the tramline on the plot of the new hospital. As a response to this we have tried to place high-tech functions, that have a risk of being affected by the EMF on level 3 and above.

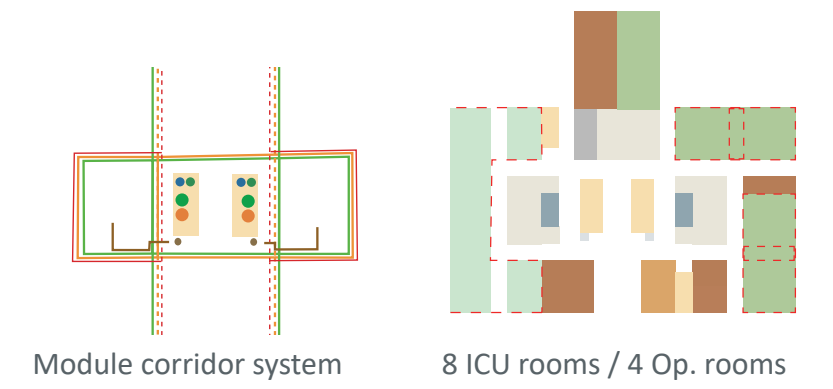
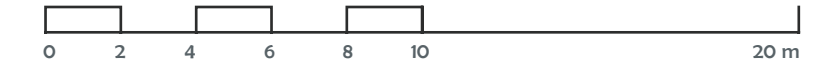


Additionally, for the future proofing, all the close normal operation rooms can be combined and transformed into Hybrid rooms if needed.

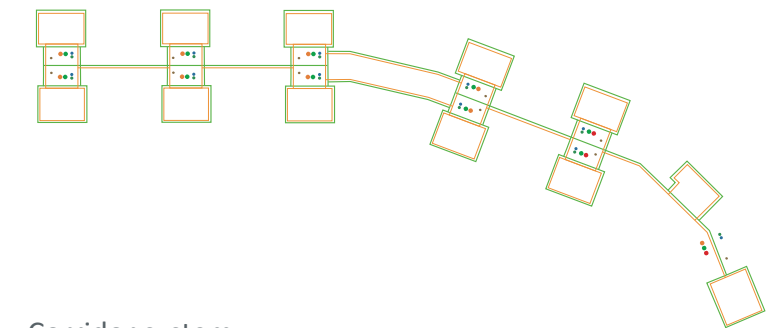
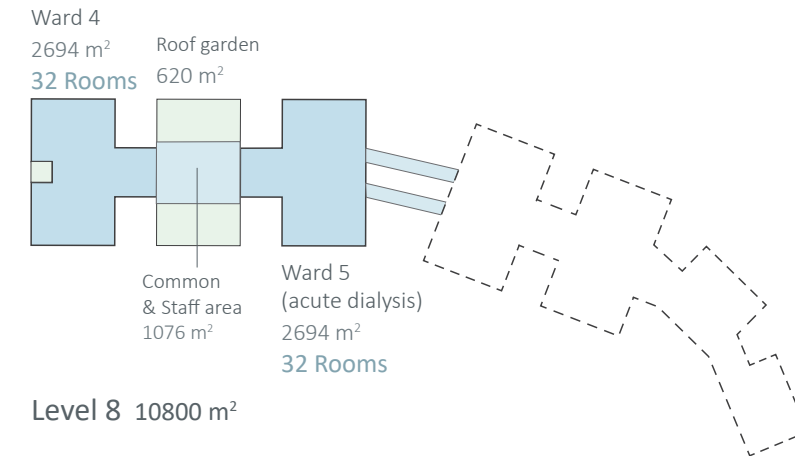
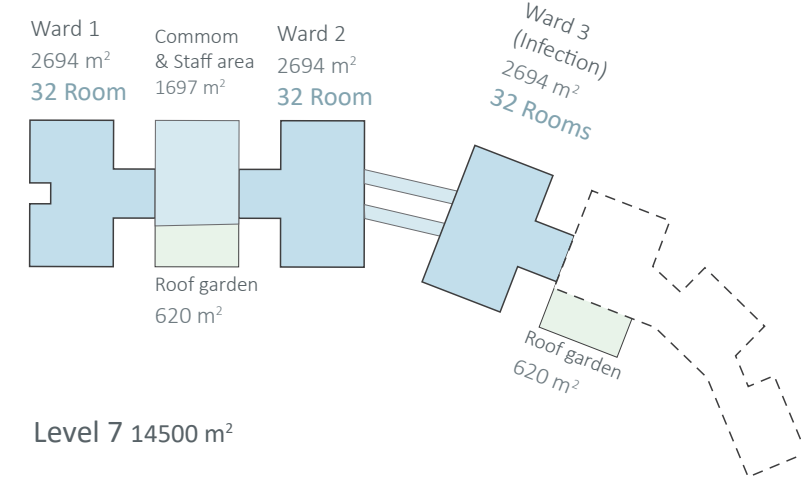
Guideline Strategies for designing level 3- 4



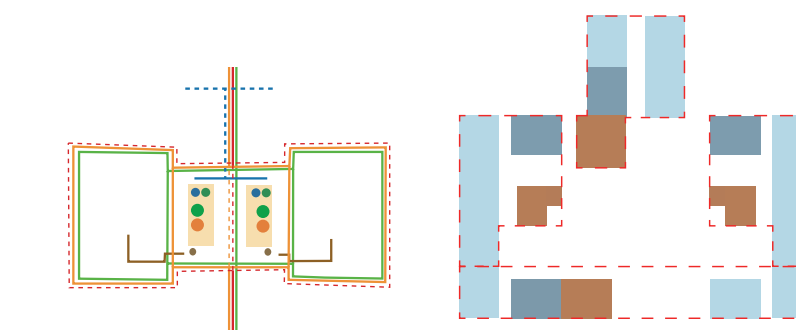
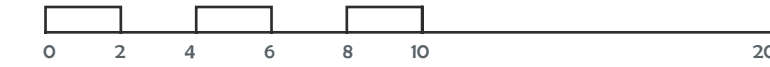
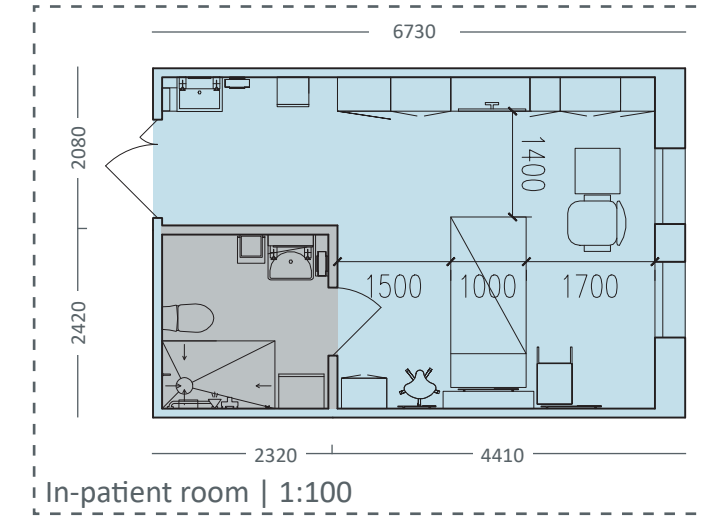
## OPERATION & ICU MODULE | 1:200



# IN-PATIENT WARD \_ LEVEL 7 | 1:500



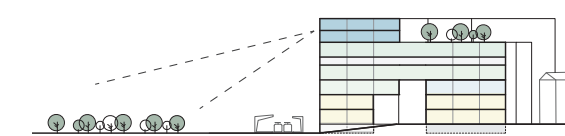
# IN-PATIENT WARD | 1:200



## Rooms area

. In-patient room , IMCU : 28.5 m<sup>2</sup>  
(22.7 m<sup>2</sup> + Bathroom 5.6 m<sup>2</sup>)

- Level 7 & 8 were chosen for the wards, to provide the following:
- . View on the cemetery.
  - . Roof gardens
  - . Privacy

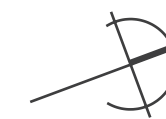


The distribution of function is focusing on the patients and the staff at the same time, giving the staff a separated area beside the common area, in order to apply our (promotin the social sustainability) strategy.

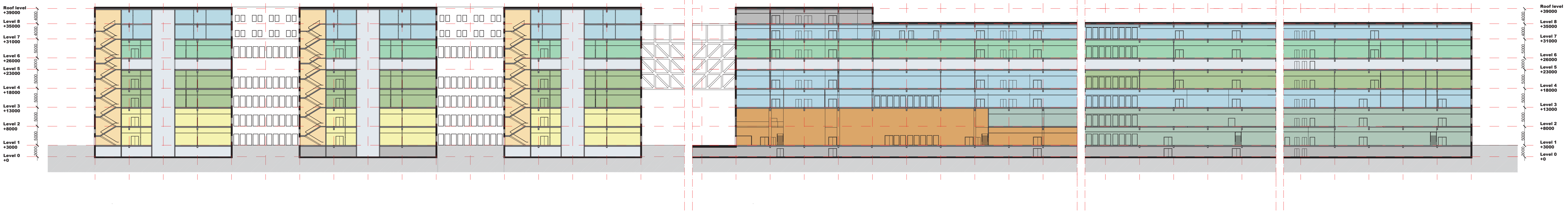
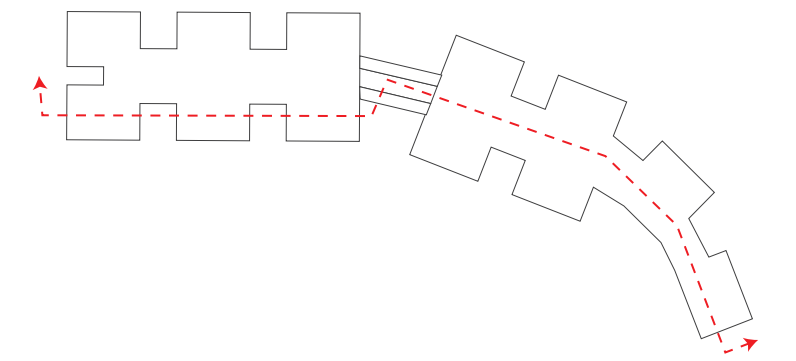
## Guideline Strategies for designing level 7-8

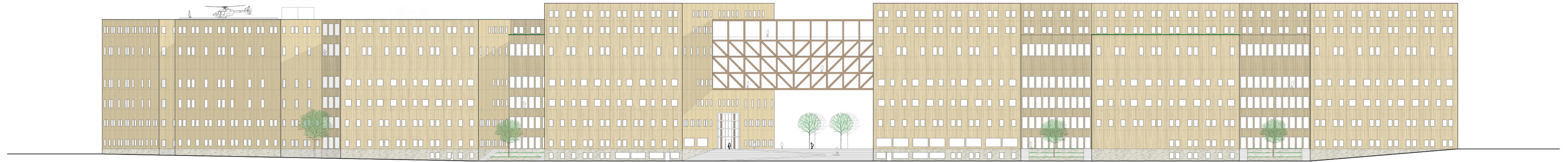


- Inpatient ward
- IMCU
- Staff area
- Stairs & Elevators
- Common & Waiting area
- Storage area
- Technical shafts
- WC
- Reception are
- Roof garden
- Emergency flow
- Inpatient flow
- Outpatient/ Visitor flow
- Staff flow
- Goods flow



NORTH SECTION | 1:500





## VISUALIZATION OF THE NEW HOSPITAL

