

Sharp HealthCare Plans New Hospital Tower In Chula Vista, Calif.

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Sharp HealthCare recently broke ground on a new \$244 million, 197,000-square-foot hospital tower at Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center in Chula Vista, Calif.

The project is being funded through philanthropic donations to Sharp HealthCare Foundation, bonds, cash reserves, and the Medi-Cal hospital fee program.

The new tower will add 138 private patient rooms including 10 intensive care suites, five high-tech surgical suites, one hybrid operating room, a redesigned main entrance and lobby, a rooftop café, additional space for support services including pharmacy and kitchen, and more.

The design-build team for the project includes Hensel Phelps, SmithGroupJJR, and AVR Studio.

The grand opening of the Planetree-designated hospital tower is anticipated in 2019.