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SBEC COMPLETES 92,000 SQUARE FEET EAST TOWER ADDITION

Pueblo, CO – In response to increasing spatial constraints and growing needs, on June 15th, Parkview Medical Center celebrated the grand opening of its new \$34 million, 92,000 square feet East Tower Addition. SBEC is the Mechanical and Electrical Engineer of Record for the new state-of-the-art, 6-story tower which adds 54 private rooms to the medical center, increasing licensed beds to 350. Additionally, the tower features an expanded main entrance and lobby, relocated chapel, gift shop, café and support spaces with a mechanical penthouse.



In addition to providing full MEP design services necessary to serve the addition, SBEC was responsible for major infrastructure improvements to the central chilled water plant, boiler plant and primary electrical service which included the addition of a nominal 500-ton chiller and 700 horsepower steam boiler to the existing central utility plants.

Due to the magnitude of the expansion, the project was completed in multiple phases with the second floor opening in March 2010 and remaining operational during the construction of the subsequent floors. Private medical/surgical patient suites occupy second, fourth and fifth floors with the sixth floor shelled for future expansion. This is the ninth major expansion to the original facility since 1923.

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