

Site visit to University of San Diego La Jolla Campus
Wednesday, June 24th

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7:00 am	Breakfast for site visit attendees at hotel
7:25 am	Attendees meet in hotel lobby to board bus to UC San Diego La Jolla Campus
7:35 am <i>sharp</i>	Bus Departs for UC San Diego La Jolla Campus from hotel main entrance
7:50 am	Arrive Moores Cancer Center Goldberg Auditorium
8:00 am	Welcome and overview by Paul Viviano, CEO (includes Q&A)
9:00 am	Break (bathroom, emails, or calls)
9:15 am	Groups assemble according to tour selected
3 Concurrent Site Visit Tours	
9:30 – 11 am	Sulpizio Cardiovascular Center Ramesh Sivagnanam, Director of Cardiovascular Operations
9:30 – 11 am	Moores Cancer Center Bobby Cherry, Assistant Director, Moores Cancer Center Ashley Robinson, Director of Patient Access and Clinic Operations
9:30 – 11 am	Jacobs Medical Center Jennifer Ries, Vice President and Senior Medical Planner for Cannon Design Aaron Byzak, Director of Government and Community Affairs
11:00 am	Groups walk back to auditorium
11:15 am	Continued Q&A with tour leaders and information sharing
11:30 am	Networking Lunch
12:30 pm <i>sharp</i>	Bus departs for hotel
1:00 pm	Arrival at Westin Gaslamp
2:00 pm	VITAL2015 Programming Begins

Sulpizio Cardiovascular Center (Tour 1 with Carmen Harris, Staff)—Leader: Ramesh Sivagnanam, Electrophysiology Manager, Sulpizio Cardiovascular Center. As part of the only academic health system in San Diego, the Sulpizio Cardiovascular Center is a hub of discovery and innovation. When it opened in 2011, it became the only facility in San Diego providing all cardiovascular research, services and programs in one location.

Our physicians and researchers are on the front lines of fighting heart and vascular diseases — at the patients' bedsides, in the research lab, and in our community. The technologies, techniques and treatments we develop are setting standards in cardiac and stroke care.

Moore's Cancer Center (Tour 2 with Tara McFann, Staff)—Leader: Bob Cherry, Assistant Director Moore's Cancer Center. Moore's Cancer Center is one of just 41 National Cancer Institute-designated Comprehensive Cancer Centers in the United States, and the only one in the San Diego region. Such centers are prominent among the leading institutions in the nation dedicated to scientific innovation and clinical excellence, and studies show that outcomes are better at NCI-designated centers. We are unique in bringing clinical care together with support services, clinical trials, prevention and outreach programs, and cancer research laboratories — all under one roof.

Established in 1979, the UC San Diego Moore's Cancer Center is one of just 40 National Cancer Institute-designated Comprehensive Cancer Centers in the United States. Such centers are prominent among the leading institutions in the nation dedicated to scientific innovation and clinical excellence. Moore's Cancer Center is the only place in San Diego and Imperial counties to have earned this honor. The Cancer Center's mission is to translate promising scientific discoveries into new and better options for the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of cancer, and for the amelioration of pain. Our unique "bench-to-bedside" approach to cancer research and patient care supports the broadest range of cancer activities in the San Diego region. From research in molecular genetics to the most advanced treatments, Moore's Cancer Center is at the forefront of the fight against cancer; developing promising new therapies and making them available to cancer patients throughout the region. In 2005, the Cancer Center dedicated its new home, adjacent to Thornton Hospital. The new facility unites cancer-related research laboratories, clinical trials, prevention and outreach programs, and clinical care under one roof. The building comprises two structures — a three-story facility for clinical services and administration, and a five-story research tower — that share a common base. This design encourages interaction and intellectual exchanges between our world-renowned clinicians and researchers.

Jacobs Medical Center (Tour 3 with Maeceon Lewis, Staff)—Leaders: Jennifer Ries, Vice President and Senior Medical Planner for Cannon Design, and Aaron Byzak, Director of Government and Community Affairs, UC San Diego Health System. UC San Diego Jacobs Medical Center is the largest hospital project in southern California. As the building rises into La Jolla's skyline, it offers a visible reminder of UC San Diego's deep commitment to creating a healthier world – one life at a time – through new science, new medicine and new cures. The \$839 million facility is part of a multi-billion dollar university investment in the future of health care for the entire region. It will allow UC San Diego Health System to fulfill its potential of becoming one of the country's premier academic health systems.

UC San Diego Health System is building the future of health care at UC San Diego Jacobs Medical Center, and literally tearing down the walls separating patients from new ideas, new questions and new cures.

The 10-story, 509,500-square-foot facility, named in recognition of the \$75-million gift from the Joan and Irwin Jacobs family, is being built next to – and will be connected on multiple floors with – the existing Thornton Hospital on UC San Diego's east campus in La Jolla, in the heart of the area's nexus of biomedical research centers. The \$839-million, 245-bed advanced medical center will support primary and specialty medicine at the UC San Diego Moore's Cancer Center, Sulpizio Cardiovascular Center and Shiley Eye Institute and aim to catalyze "bench-to-bedside" discoveries. The medical staff of the UC San Diego Health System will also be able to expand partnerships with physician groups and community clinics, while offering services to those newly insured through Covered California.

Construction for the visionary Jacobs Medical Center began in 2012. Its completion in 2016 will position the UC San Diego Health System to become a national referral center for highly specialized, multi-disciplinary advanced medical care requiring hospital stays, including high-risk obstetrics, complex cancer treatments and bone marrow transplants.