EMMC’s aging facilities must be updated now to ensure the advances of tomorrow will continue to be available in our region.

Level 7 Neonatal Intensive Care Unit
The project creates 29 private rooms for our smallest patients and their families along with a lounge with a river view. Grant 7 Women and Infants will be renovated to offer the amenities and privacy of a modern birthing center.

Level 6 Medical/Surgical Telemetry Inpatient Unit
A new 32-bed inpatient unit with cardiac monitoring will provide the most comfortable, quiet environment we can create. All patient rooms in the new building will be private. This level also has a family riverview lounge.

Level 5 Cardiac Surgical and Critical Care Units
The Cardiac Critical Care Unit will relocate in closer proximity to where cardiovascular patients undergo surgery and other interventions. Locating this 24-bed Unit on the floor above the new operating rooms centralizes all cardiac services within the new building and increases efficiency and coordination. This level also has a family riverview lounge.

Level 4 is mechanical support only.

Level 3 Surgical Care and Pre-/Post-Anesthesia Care
A new advanced surgical suite will replace the decades-old operating rooms. Fourteen new operating rooms will be located adjacent to the operating suites in the Kagan building. A 67-bed Pre/Post-Anesthesia Care Unit (PACU) will link the new operating suites to the existing Kagan operating suites.

Level 2 Invasive Cardiovascular
Nine dedicated cardiovascular procedure rooms will house the modern technology that our talented physicians use for heart catheterization and electrophysiology, including pacemaker implantation and other heart treatments. A new cafeteria and dining areas will overlook the main lobby.

Level 1 Lobby and Non-Invasive Cardiovascular
The new entrance will offer comfortable central access to the EMMC campus with a registration area - the starting place for all patients. A new Non-Invasive Cardiology department will be located on the first floor, just a doorway from the main lobby. This location gives immediate access to one of the busiest services at EMMC, with more than 50,000 procedures completed each year. The new facility will expand the Emergency Department adding more treatment rooms.

Level 0 is central sterile supply.

Project Improvements 2014 2017
- Operating Rooms 22 25
- Pre/Post Anesthesia Care Bays 48 67
- Neonatal Intensive Care Beds 23 29
- Private Women & Infants Rooms 14 25
- Heart Care Inpatient Beds 64 84
- Total Private Rooms 158 231
- Total Beds at EMMC 346 411

An architectural rendering of the envisioned tower as if viewed from across the Penobscot River.