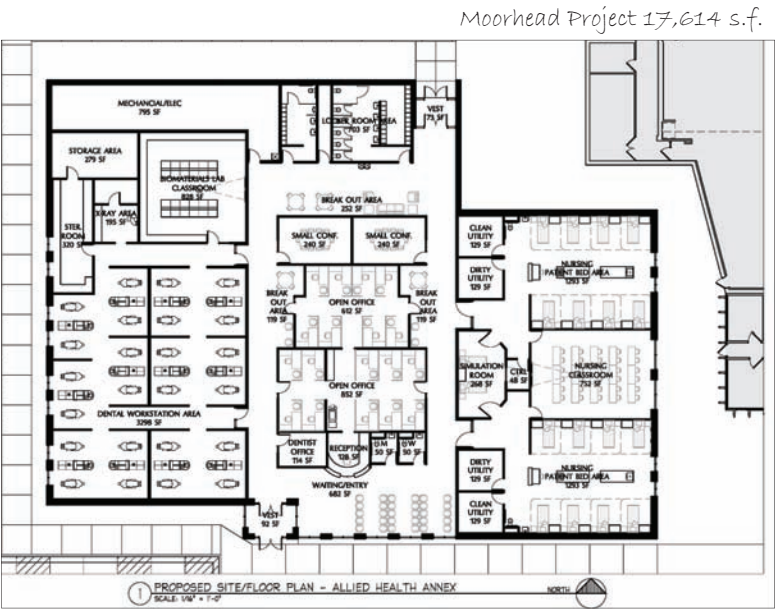


Moorhead

The Associate Degree and Practical Nursing programs at M State prepare graduates to provide for the health care needs of diverse patients in acute care, long-term care and ambulatory care settings. Active learning is an essential part of nursing education. Rapid advances in health care technology, demands of the nursing profession and competition for students have led M State to seek expansion, renovation and relocation of our allied health classrooms and lab.

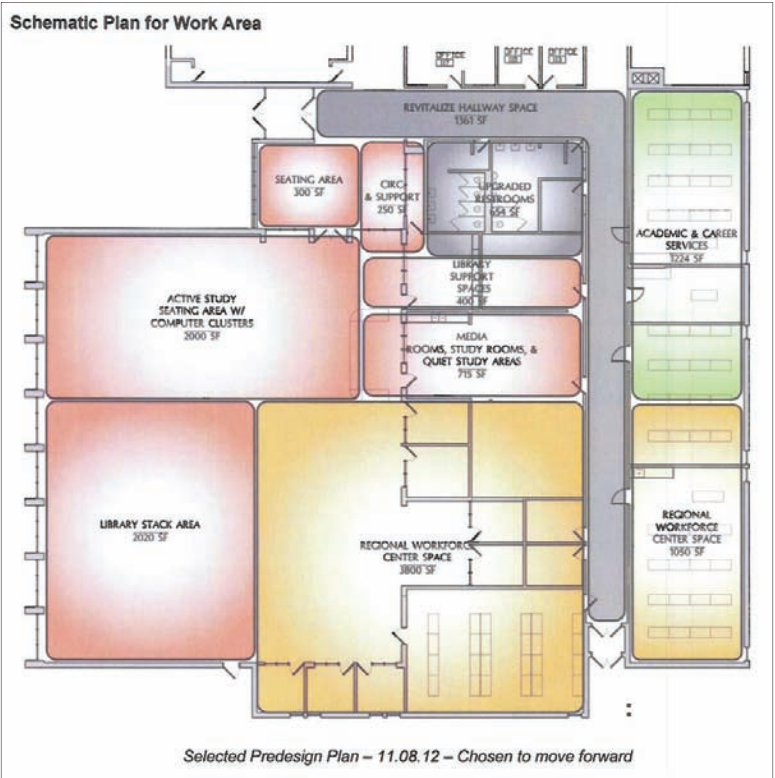


Work Force Transformation

More than ever, colleges must prove that they represent a wise investment for students and their families. Students must persist in the completion of their studies to complete their certificate, diploma or degree that leads to a good-paying job, or successfully transfer to a university for further higher education. M State proposes to meet the needs of its students and community by creating a Center for Student and Workforce Success.

Fergus Falls

The M State - Fergus Falls Campus Center for Student and Workforce Success is a collaboration between M State and Minnesota Workforce Center Fergus Falls. This partnership will expand community access to both education and employment.



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Unwavering
The M State Capital Campaign

Minnesota State
Community and Technical College

Vision

A success story for every student and stakeholder.

Mission

Provide dynamic learning for living, working and serving.

Values

M State is focused on excellence, integrity, respect and innovation.

- Excellence in teaching and service
- An environment conducive to learning and working
- A culture of diversity and inclusiveness
- Responsiveness to communities served
- Respect and civility in communications
- Openness to innovation and change
- Accountability and transparency in decision-making

Strategic Framework

Aligned with the Strategic Framework of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities System

- Ensure access to an extraordinary education for all Minnesotans
- Be a partner of choice to meet Minnesota’s workforce and community needs
- Deliver to students, employers, communities and taxpayers the highest value and most affordable option for higher education

Unwavering Steady or resolute; steadfast

Minnesota State Community and Technical College will celebrate its first decade as a combined college in 2013-14. Although each of our campuses in Detroit Lakes, Fergus Falls, Moorhead and Wadena has a rich history spanning more than 50 years, coming together as one college has proven to be a strategy for success. Together, we represent the fifth largest college in the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system.



With an unwavering commitment to education, M State prepares students for high-demand roles in our region through customized programs which teach specialized skills and faculty and staff who work closely with businesses and industries to ensure we are on the cutting edge of workforce education and training. M State has a profound impact on west central Minnesota with an annual economic impact of \$197 million.

M State needs your unwavering support of education to sustain top-quality health care education and continuing student success. Rapid advances in technology and health care innovations require facility expansion and renovation. Specifically, we need your financial contribution to help build, remodel and incorporate new technologies which will better simulate modern health care environments and implement an innovative student and community success model.

Although our campuses have served area students and employers extremely well over the years, our current facilities limit our ability to ensure the vitality of our learning environment and our communities.

The goal of this capital campaign is to raise the much-needed dollars to provide state-of-the-art nursing, dental and health care education and the establishment of a collaborative center for student and workforce success — all necessary to strengthen our regional economy and workforce. I hope that we may count on your support of this important endeavor. I look forward to working closely with you to provide dynamic learning for living, working and serving!

Sincerely,

Peggy D. Kennedy

Dr. Peggy D. Kennedy
President

Unwavering Commitment to Education

In the 2012-2013 academic year, 9,065 students were enrolled at M State. Consider the impact this had and will have on the region.

M State prepares students for career success:

- Customized programs provide focused education.
- Hands-on training helps students develop specialized skills.
- Faculty and staff work within industries to stay on the cutting edge.

M State has a profound effect on the region’s economy:

- The college has an annual economic impact of \$197 million in west central Minnesota.
- During 2010, the college and its students generated an estimated 2,500 jobs in the region.
- The 1,038 degrees awarded by M State in 2011 created the equivalent of \$27.7 million of future value in Minnesota.

M State is focused on ensuring Minnesota’s prosperity



Unwavering Support of Education

A contribution to the capital campaign will provide much-needed improvements to M State’s teaching and learning environments.

M State needs your support to sustain top-quality health care education:

- Rapid advances in technology within health care professions require expansion and renovation of facilities.
- Active learning is essential to health care education. Simulation centers provide safe, controlled environments where students develop hands-on skills and foundational proficiency.
- Specifically, we need your financial support to help build, remodel and incorporate technologies to better simulate modern health care environments.

Help us prepare skilled graduates for the future:

M State has served area students and employers well over the years, but our current facilities limit our ability to respond to changing needs. Your support will help M State:

- Provide modern, progressive facilities to attract promising students.
- Enhance our ability to provide affordable, top-notch, valuable health care and medical education in our region.
- Ensure the future vitality of both our campus and our community.

Health Care Transformation

Changes in patient acuity, health care technology and the delivery of health care education require improvements and enhancements in the nursing program facilities on the M State campuses.

Why Renovate?

Renovation will allow M State to create an environment conducive to vibrant and engaging nursing education. We envision:

- A simulation center where faculty can create real-life patient care situations for active learning.
- An environment that encourages the development of soft skills such as communication and teamwork.
- Facilities that allow for the delivery of collaborative health education.
- Forward-thinking facilities that will allow for the integration of new technology in the future.
- An environment that fosters safety and evidence based practice of nursings skills and procedures.

Detroit Lakes and Wadena Nursing Renovations

The renovation projects will enhance the existing programs and attract well-qualified students and faculty. This will provide the regional workforce with well-trained health care professionals who are equipped to meet future health care demands:

- Population growth
- Advances in medical technology
- Growing need for skilled patient care

