



**PLANNING UNDERWAY**



**Psychiatric Emergency Center and Garage**

- Approximately 28,000 sq ft vs. current 12,500 sq ft
- Puts patients and families closer to caregivers in an easily accessible location
- RFQ for architecture firm to design PEC and new inpatient behavioral health center in phase two
- Approximately 1,500 ED patients every month could be better served by going directly to a dedicated first-floor emergency center for their behavioral health needs, freeing space to serve more patients in the emergency department.

“The ability to more quickly connect patients with the provider who can best meet their needs, the more efficient and effective their care will be.”  
 Dr. Jessica Kirby, Medical Director, JPS Emergency Medicine

**Medical Homes with Behavioral Health**

- Two community care sites; minimum of two more in later phase
- Similar design as Medical Home Northeast, opened in October 2018.
- Consulting firm hired to assess community needs for site locations
- In the first year with behavioral health specialists in clinics: 386 high risk patients identified and treated.

“If we’re able to manage their medical and behavioral healthcare outside of the hospital in the clinics, you’re avoiding an emergency room visit which is going to be more costly. You’re potentially avoiding an inpatient hospitalization stay which is much more costly. By avoiding these high-dollar interventions and identifying issues earlier, we’re able to treat patients in their local community which reduces expense.”  
 Zelia Baugh, Executive Vice President, Behavioral Health

**Behavioral Health Center (Hospital)**

- Additional beds for inpatient care
- To be designed by same firm as PEC

**Patient Care Center and Patient Parking Garage**

- Specialty clinics relocated and centralized with support services
- E4H under contract for architectural/engineering design
- Garage creates space for patients near primary entrances