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FOR HOSPITALS

Healthcare Illuminated

HUMBER RIVER HOSPITAL

Humber River Hospital
Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Accelerated patient healing and increased staff productivity

Hospitals are increasingly focused on the quality of the healthcare environment to contribute to better health outcomes. View Smart Windows maximize daylight with unobstructed views while blocking heat and controlling glare, enhancing patient and staff comfort.

Studies have shown that exposure to natural light accelerates healing and improves over-all comfort. Specifically, daylight contributes to shorter stays for depression, reduced hospitalization times and reduced pain medication for patients. It also leads to higher job satisfaction and improves diagnostic ability for physicians and nurses. A study done in collaboration with Alta View Hospital showed that View Smart Windows resulted in a 53% increase in occupant access to daylight and views and a 73% decrease in heat and glare complaints when compared to traditional windows.

View also can provide upfront cost savings through the removal of shades, down-sizing HVAC, and reducing energy. With View, you can create a delightful healthcare experience and save energy, while driving positive business outcomes - a triple play!



“Natural light plays a huge role. 53% decrease in heat and glare complaints increase in occupant access to daylight View Smart Windows help us create an environment that is warm, friendly and where our staff can be productive.”

David Baytos
CEO, Methodist Olive Branch Hospital

95%
overall occupant
delight³

Daylight contributes to:

53%
increase in occupant
access to daylight

73%
decrease in heat and
glare complaints

¹ From surveys conducted with 800 occupants

View Smart Windows are a complete product providing unique benefits

Hospital Benefits



Improve patient recovery and healing time



Increase patient survey satisfaction scores



Increase staff productivity and reduce attrition



Reduce hospital acquired infection rates



Save energy and advance environmental sustainability

Patient & Staff Benefits



Optimize daylight, control glare



Maximize views and connection to outside



Enhance thermal comfort



Provide patients with more control over environment



Increase patient and staff engagement

Dynamic Control of Glare and Comfort

View Smart Windows tint automatically based on outdoor and indoor conditions to offer you optimal comfort at all times.



Tint 1

is clear and lets in the most sunlight and warmth. It is the default level.



Tint 2

manages some solar heat, while still remaining clear.



Tint 3

diverts glare and heat while still allowing for daylight.



Tint 4

controls glare and keeps you cool.



Leading healthcare providers choose View

“View embodies the primary principles of our design—lean, green and digital.”

Lorie Pella
Director of Projects, Humber River Hospital



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