

U. N. Mehta Institute of Cardiology & Research Centre (Paediatric Cardiac Hospital Building)

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Location	: Ahmedabad
Site Area	: 20,992 m ²
Built-up Area	: 25,801m ²
Typology	: Hospital building
Energy Consumption Reduction	: 68.61% reduction in Energy Consumption compared to GRIHA benchmark
EPI	: 141.27 kWh/ m ² /year
GRIHA Provisional Rating	: 4 Star Rating (Version: 3.1)
Year of Completion	: 2021

The following strategies were adopted to reduce building impact on the natural environment:

Sustainable Site Planning:

- Air pollution control measures such as site barricading, wheel washing facility and other appropriate measures were strictly adhered to during construction.
- Out of 19 existing mature trees, 16 trees were cut and 124 new trees were planted.
- 596.8 m3 top soil was preserved within the site and was reused for landscaping.

Water Management:

- Reduction of 55% from the GRIHA base case has been demonstrated in the building water demand by installing water efficient fixtures.
- Reduction of 72.89% from the GRIHA base case has been demonstrated in the landscape water demand.
- · Hessian cloth was used for curing of columns and ponding technique was used for curing of slabs.

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- · For achieving visual comfort:
- » 44.41% of the regularly occupied spaces are day-lit and meet the daylight factor as prescribed by NBC Code 2005.
- » Astronomical timer control has been provided for 100% of the outdoor lighting system.
- For achieving thermal comfort:
- » EPI reduction of 68.6% from the GRIHA base case has been demonstrated through the integration of high performance systems.

Renewable Energy Technology installed on site:

· Solar photovoltaic system of capacity 80 kWp has been installed.

Provide State State (1997) Sustainable Building Materials:

- · Fly ash bricks have been used for walling in the project.
- · Kota stone, granite and vitrified tiles have been used as flooring materials in the project.

The Waste Management:

- · Multi-colored bins have been provided segregation of dry and wet waste.
- Waste collection area has been provided has been provided for storage of segregated waste on site.

Integrated Design Team:

Client	: M/s. U N Mehta Institute of Cardiology & Research Center
Principal Architect	: M/s Helix Healthcare Architecture
Landscape Architect	: M/s Helix Healthcare Architecture
Structural Consultant	: Peekay Structural Consultant
Electrical Consultant	: ACROBAT ENGINEERS PVT. LTD.
Green Building Design and Certification	1: GODREJ & BOYCE MFG. CO. LTD