# Greening Infrastructure Programmes in South Africa

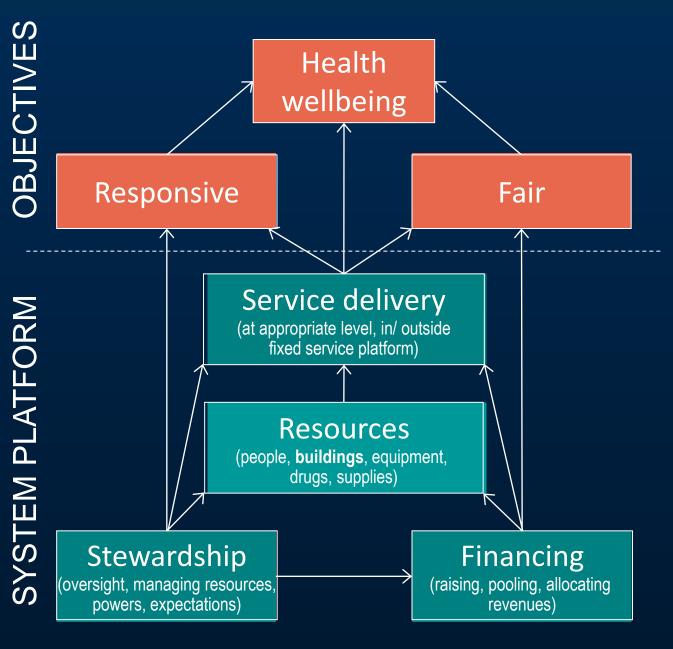
Case Study 2: Health Care Infrastructure

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## Health system



Public sector health estate ±3 900 PHC facilities

±500 hospitals
±100 000 beds

±R200bn currentreplacement value

InKosi Albert Luthuli Hospital, Durban, KwaZulu-Natal Architects: FGG



Sipetu Hospital, Eastern Cape

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## Tomorrow's healthcare environment

- Healthcare infrastructure in South Africa
  - Legacy estate poor condition, location (?), functionality
  - Incremental replacement/ growth
  - Refurbishment requirement
- Drivers for change
  - Health service transformation policy, NHI, PHC reengineering...
  - Population growth, distribution, migration...
  - Disease profile SA's triple burden of disease, HIV/ TB...
  - Technology medical, IT, communications, engineering systems...
  - Environmental climate change, sustainability
  - Efficiency people, funding...
- Health system / facilities
  - Complex, many interacting and interrelated variables
  - Function paramount



*"It may seem a strange principal to enunciate as the very first requirement of a hospital, is that it should do the sick no harm."* 

"In attempting to arrive at the truth, I have applied everywhere for information but scarcely in an instance have I been able to obtain hospital records fit for any purpose of comparison"

Florence Nightingale. Notes on Hospitals, 1863

"First we shape our buildings, then they shape us"

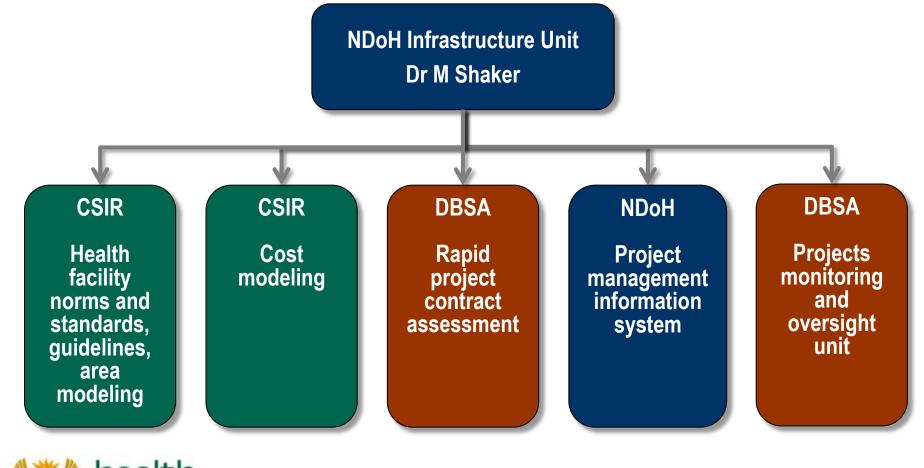
Winston Churchill, 1943



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## **IUSS** project National Department of Health – 2010 to ...





health Department:

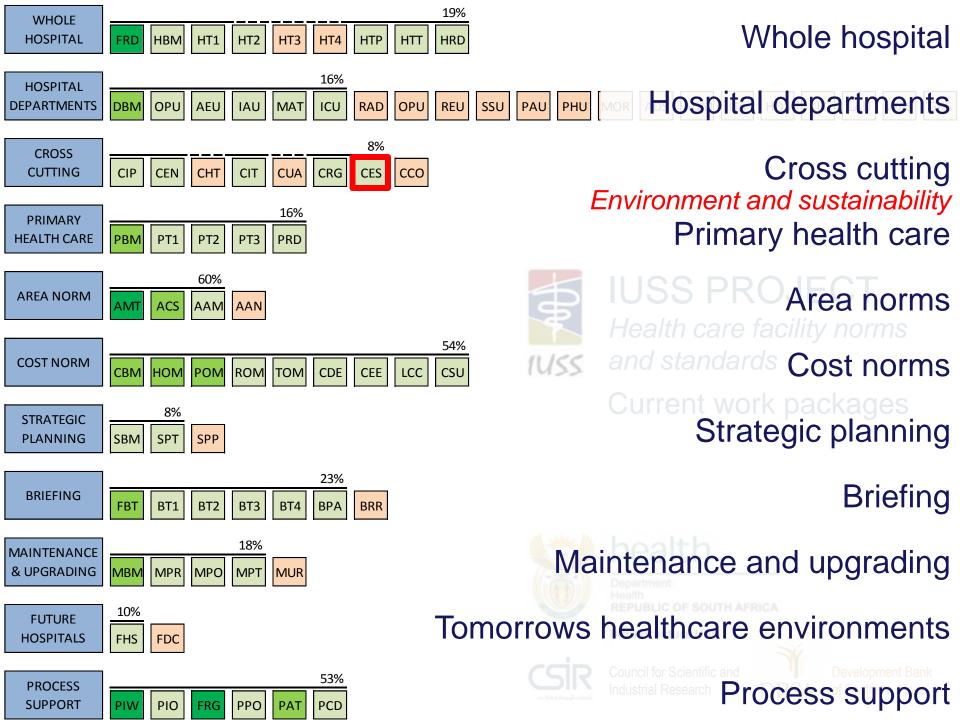
Health **REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA** 

Infrastructure Unit



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# Hospital N&S Guide Framework

	NDOH	Health service context / policy framework / NHI	Department 1 Policy & service context manual	Department 2 Policy and service context manual	Department 3 Policy and service context manual	Departr Policy a context
	SS team	General (whole hospital) design principles	Department 1 Planning & design manual • function • relationships • people • environment	Department 2 Planning & design manual • function • relationships • people • environment	Department 3 Planning & design manual • function • relationships • people • environment	Departr Plannin manual • functio • relatic • people • enviro
		Room data, layouts• dept. specific• dept. specific• dept. specific• dept. specific• generic – whole hospital				
	$\square$	Cross cutting – Infection prevention and control				
		Cross cutting – Engineering services				
		Cross cutting – Environment and sustainability				
		Cross cutting – Fire / other regulations				
		Health care facilities	s futures study			

## IUSS norms and standards Environment and sustainability

- IUSS task group public and private sector, health & technical
- South African / international best practice for sustainable healthcare facilities planning, design and operation
- Performance measurement and benchmarking
- Lifecycle guidelines
  - Strategic planning
  - Project planning and briefing
    - Performance targets
  - Design
  - Construction
  - Operational management
  - Retrofitting and refurbishment
  - Disposal
- Case studies



## UK NHS: Towards a sustainable future Focus - low carbon, low energy

- Environmental impact of NHS health estate
  - 893 000 tonnes of carbon emissions per year just under one third of total emissions of public buildings
  - 125 MWh of energy, half of which is electricity
  - £563 million per year

Better building design could save 25% of energy costs

South African health estate equivalent?

• Directives

- The Climate Change Act 2008 focuses on reducing carbon emissions by 80% between 1990 and 2050
- UK budget statement from 2008 requires all public buildings to aim to be zero carbon by 2018. All new buildings to achieve this from 2019 onwards

Tomorrow's healthcare environments: Towards a sustainable future, June 2011 Department of Health Gateway Review and Estates and Facilities Division, UK



## South Africa Estimate of current energy cost and potential savings

- Total SA beds (public and private, 2010)
- Assume occupancy
- Total occupied beds
  Assume energy consumption / bed day
- Estimated the gy consumption / year
- Estimated energy cost / year \*
- Potential operational cost saving with 25% energy saving (increasing with tariff increases) R600 m/year



126 000

101 000

3 495 400 mWh

R2.4 bn

80%

95 kWh

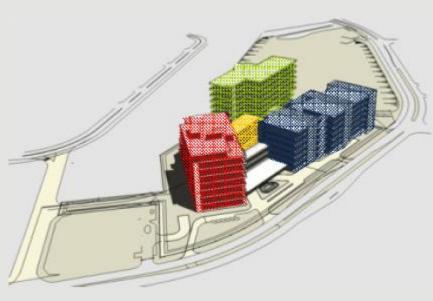
### Case study – environmentally conscious design Khoo Teck Puat hospital, Singapore



Offering a comprehensive range of medical and healthcare services, Khoo Teck Puat Hospital is a 550bed hospital with integrated approaches to environmental sustainability, climate control, patient care, disease and disaster management.

VIEW FROM YISHUN CENTRAL





#### **Distinct Blocks for Different Functions**

- a. Specialist Outpatient Clinics
- b. Podium (Dignostic & Treatment)
- c. Private Ward Tower
- d. Subsidised Ward Tower



#### **TOTAL BUILDING PERFORMANCE**

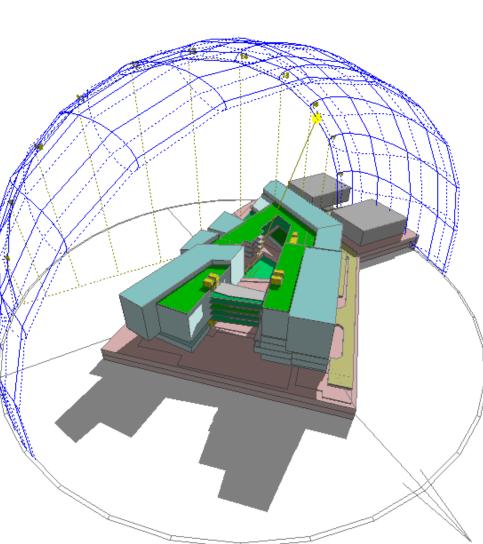
**Passive and Active Systems** 

Form & Orientation *responsive* to sun-path

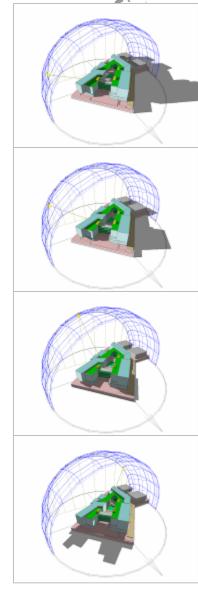
Shaded Internal Courtyard & Multiple Landscaped Decks *reduced heat island effect* 

Permeable Form enhanced natural airflow and daylight access

Self-Shading Geometry *reduced façade solar gains* 

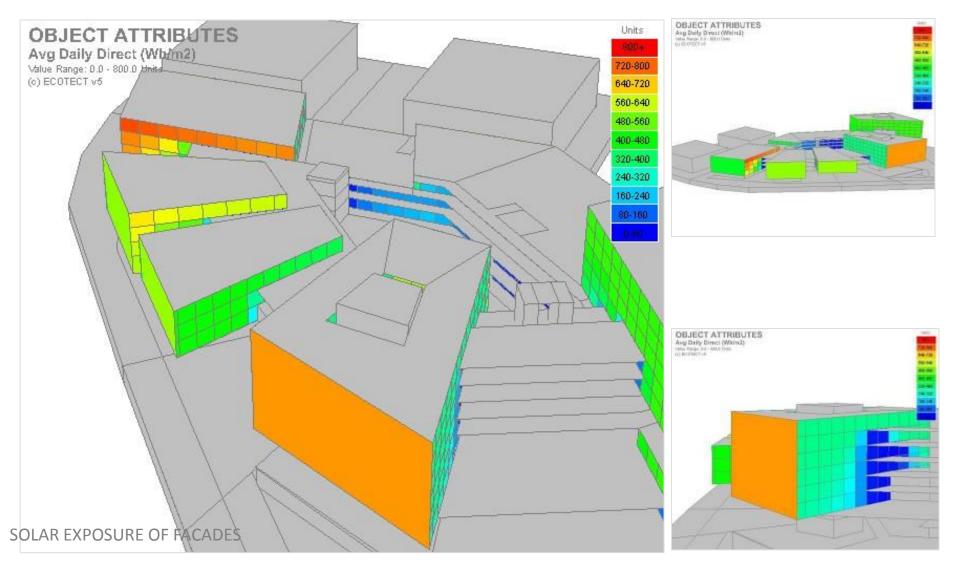


SUN PATH & BUILDING FORM



#### **TOTAL BUILDING PERFORMANCE**

#### Passive Design – Form and Geometry





ETTV : Envelope Thermal Transfer Value

It is the measure of thermal transfer from the facade into the building interior. Baseline ETTV is 50 W/m2.K

#### KTPH ETTV: 38.2 W/m2.K

23.6% less heat gain through facades over current standard.

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#### HIGH RISE GREENING FOR A HEALING ENVIRONMENT

Planter boxes for green respite in every subsidized ward

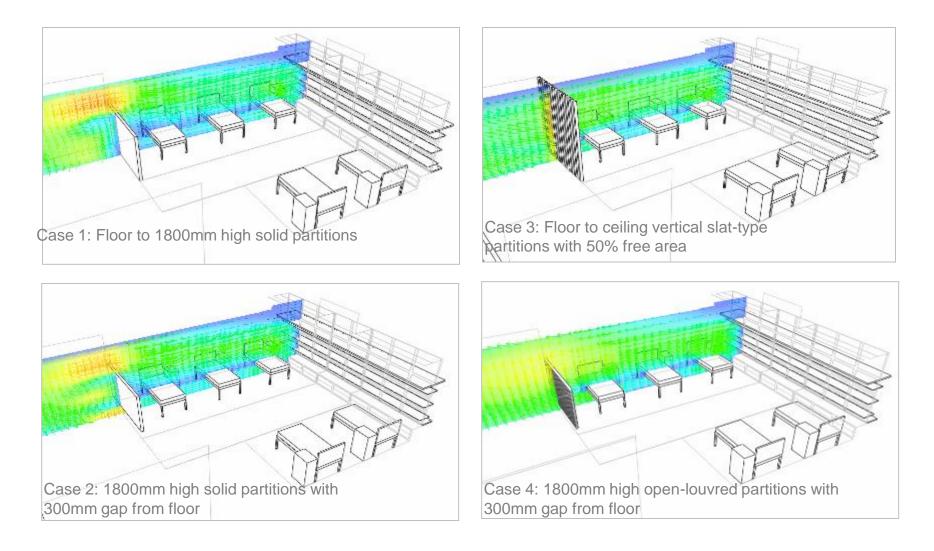
Bringing a garden right outside the window





#### **TOTAL BUILDING PERFORMANCE**

Passive Design – Airflow and Natural Ventilation Impact on Ward Design and Patient Comfort









## Khoo Teck Puat Hospital Total building performance

### Energy efficiency

Reduction fromNew AH@Yishun3.26 MWh/month-bed1.63 MWh/month-bed

Achieve target yet presenting a high comfort, high performance, aesthetic hospital building

- Enhanced daylight design, reduced gloominess.
- ✓ Enhanced thermal comfort with personal control.
- Enhanced air quality through ventilation and materials usage.
- Enhanced aural comfort by suitable noise control design.
- Enhanced spatial quality through visual design.



# Khoo Teck Puat Hospital Total building performance

### Energy efficiency

1. Lighting: Integrated daylight design Energy efficient lamps Lighting design

Save 40% Total Save 11%

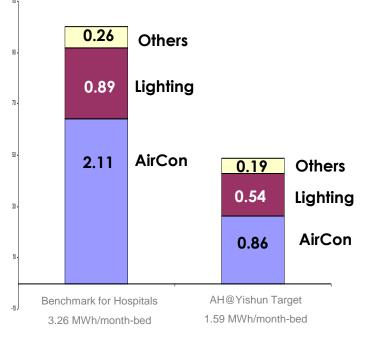
2. Air-con: Absorption chillers with CHP VSD and efficient components Cleaning and maintenance features High performance facades Desiccant cooling

Save 59% Total Save 38%

3. Others: Heat recovery for hot water Energy efficient transportation Solar PV (optional)

Save 28% \_\_\_\_\_ Total Save 3%

**Global Saving 52%** 



#### Design performance 1.59 MWh/month-bed





### **Deventer – Deventer ziekenhuis**

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## Deventer ziekenhuis

- 380 bed teaching hospital 55 000m2, 145m2/bed
- Completed 2007
- EU Hospitals project demonstration facility
- Energy efficiency focus
  - Emissions (CO2, SOx, NOx) 69% below average Dutch hospital
  - Annual energy cost savings payback 13,4 years (8,7 with EU incentives)
  - Heating 73% below average; cooling 50% below average
  - Electricity 16% below average
  - 'Green' planted roof over 13 300m2 out-patient view from overlooking blocks
- Patient care focus
  - Single, double, triple patient rooms away from high traffic areas, daylight, views, operable windows



#### Hospital +

United net for hospital architecture

### Carbon Neutral Hospitals Knokke Hospital Campus Competitiion

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de Jong Gortemaker Algra / STABO / ARUP Roelof Gortemaker





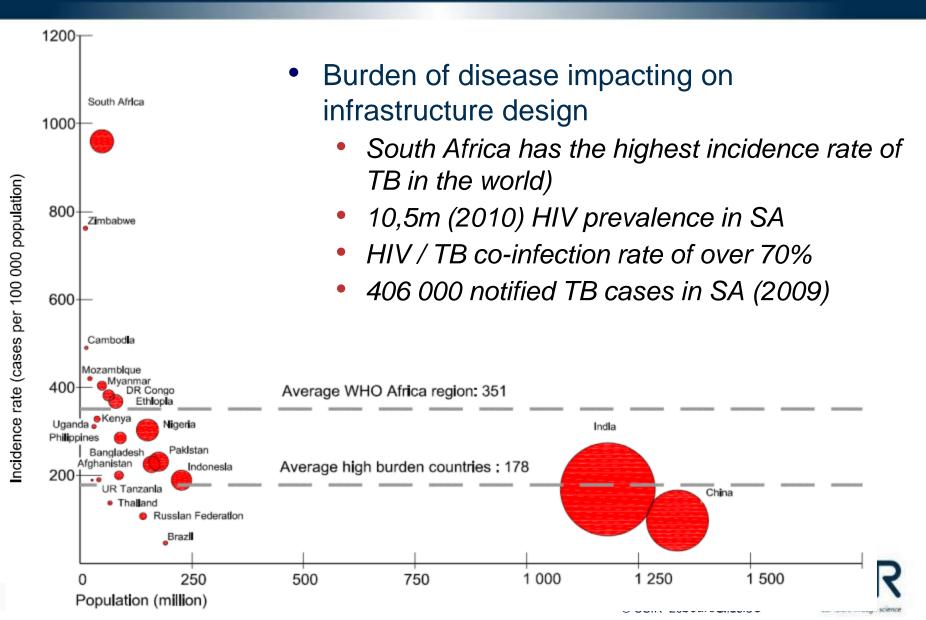


Design

The hospital has a compact structure which allows for good orientation and short walking routes. The teardrop form also has certain technical advantages such as recared, and influence, improved direct sunlight and improved energy yield

UN Studio / AR-TE/ de Jong Gortemaker Algra / STABO / ARUP

## Safer hospitals – airborne infection control Incidence of TB in high-burden TB countries : 2008



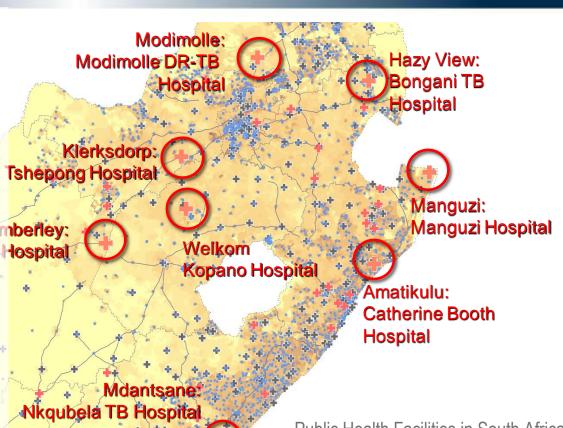
## Global Fund DR-TB Infrastructure Project Reducing airborne cross infection

### Global Fund Project statistics

- 9 sites (of 22 MDR facilities in SA)
- 400 new long term care beds

### Project deliverables

- Safer facilities for patients and staff
- Guidelines for natural ventilation for airborne IPC
- Sustainable solution
- Capacity development



t Elizabeth: Pearson TB Hospital Public Health Facilities in South Africa *Hospitals* 

- Primary health centres

Overlay on population distribution



# Modimolle XDR-TB unit

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## Regulations and targets

- SANS 10400-XA
  - Part X Environmental sustainability
  - Part XA Energy in buildings
  - Building should be designed to reduce energy usage
    - All buildings shall obtain at least 50% of water heating from sources other than electrical resistance heating
    - Design orientation, floors, walls, fenestration, roof assembly
    - Design to meet set energy consumption values for occupancy types - health buildings excluded; however need to comply with deemed to satisfy design principles or rational design



## IUSS way forward Greening health infrastructure in SA

- Significant MTEF public sector investment in new and upgrade health capital projects
  - HRG/HIG: 12/13 R6.1bn (2012/13) R6.0 (2013/14), R6.3bn (2014/15)
  - Equitable share about R4bn/annum
  - Total: Over R10bn/year over MTEF
- Private health sector making it core business
  - New and retrofit projects
- IUSS N&S guidelines, including environment and sustainability
  - Input into process welcomed
  - Benchmarking website being developed
  - Case studies
  - Design targets should be included in all new health project briefing
  - Retrofit project guidelines



## Thank you

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