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for Skillful Balance of Energy and Aesthetics

Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital

Boston, MA

LIGHTING DESIGN

AKF Lighting Design

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ighting has the power to enhance, to reveal, to guide and to delight. Interior and exterior lighting solutions for the new 350,000-square-foot Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital were designed to allow maximum healing for patients and visitors. Tremendous care was given to accommodate long patient stays in rehabilitation units and to provide the healing power of a warm and comforting environment. Careful balance of light levels and quality was required to meet the needs of the local community, safety and the aesthetic goals of the architect and the design team. Our integrated approach met these requirements, while providing aesthetic lighting solutions to make certain that each patient’s experience is both positive and curative.

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“Not sexy, but clean, inviting, energy efficient, and well done. It balances energy with good design in a challenging situation.”
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