

The New **Chemotherapy Unit** at the Cayman Islands Hospital

**A new state of the art Chemotherapy facility
for the people of the Cayman Islands**

About the Chemotherapy Unit

The new Chemo Unit will be located at the Cayman Islands Hospital in an existing building formerly occupied by the old Lighthouse School, Smith Road, George Town, Grand Cayman. The project encompasses a complete renovation and fit out of 1000 sq ft of existing building. This project is being developed by the Cayman Islands Cancer Society to serve any patient who desires to receive Chemotherapy treatment in the Cayman Islands. The Cayman Islands Cancer Society will hand the Unit over to the Health Services Authority (HSA) upon completion. Going forward, the Unit will fall under the auspices of the HSA, and will be operated as part of the health care facilities that are available to all visitors and residents of the Cayman Islands. All contributions received will be used to fund the construction/renovation of the building, purchase all the medical equipment required, purchase special comfortable chemo chairs for patients and pay for one full time chemo nurse. The target amount required for this project is CI\$750,000.

Concept Sketch

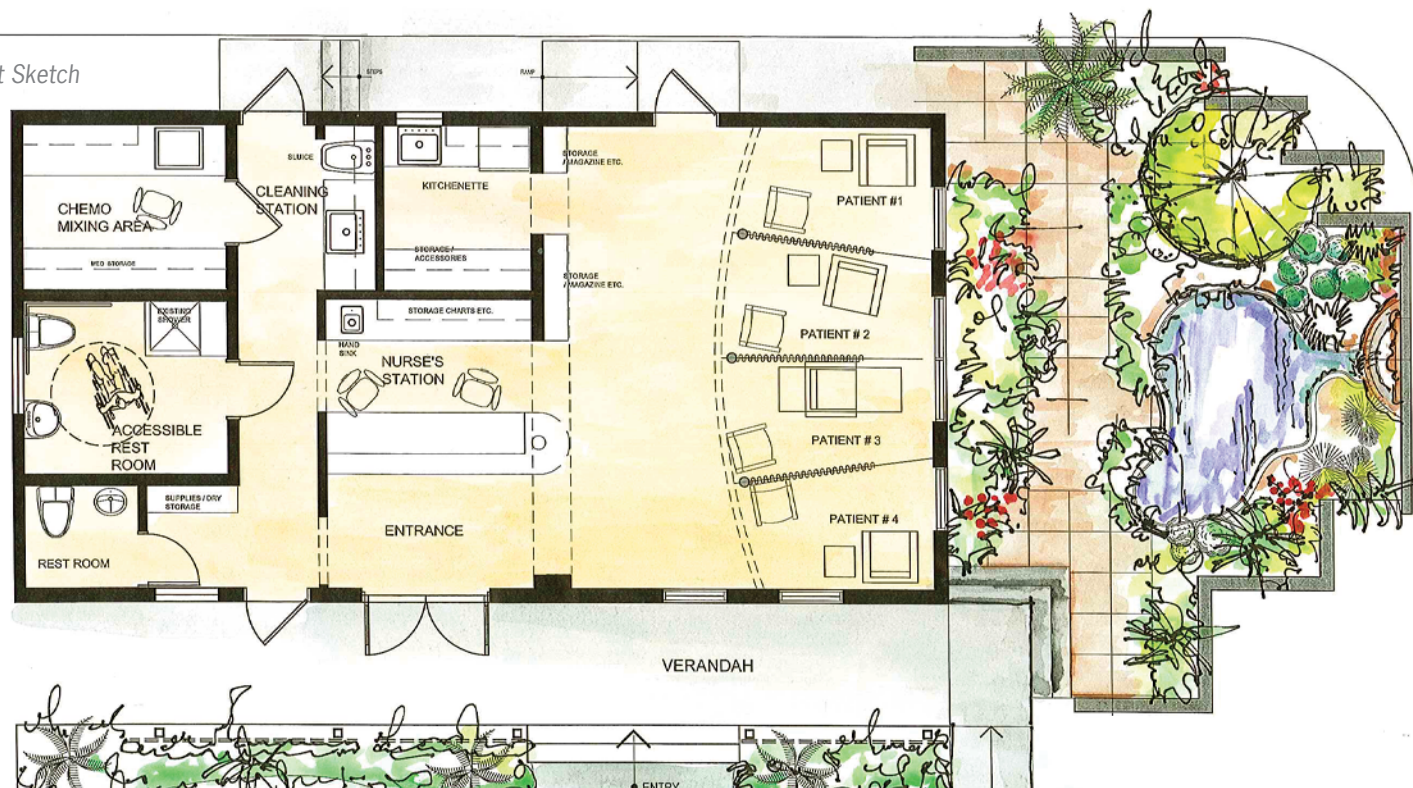


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The new Chemotherapy Unit will be an expensive project but it's worth it because it will more than double the current Chemo unit's capacity to provide healing treatment which will allow more patients to be treated locally, where they can recuperate surrounded by the comfort of loved ones and home. The unit will feature four infusion chairs in an open, bright, state-of-the-art space where patients will have a view of a beautiful garden to inspire feelings of hope.

- General Entrance Area
- Nurse's Station
- Patient Treatment Area
- Consultation/Examination Room
- Secured Medical Supplies Storage Area
- General Storage Area
- Medical Disposal Area
- Patient Rest Room(s)
- Staff Rest Room
- Kitchenette
- Tranquility Garden

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About the Cancer Society

The Cayman Islands Cancer Society is a non-profit organization formed in 1995. The Society is funded through charitable donations and its fund-raising events. The mission of the Cayman Islands Cancer Society is to increase awareness amongst the people of the Cayman Islands of cancer, which is a major health concern, to initiate positive change in all areas relating to cancer, to prevent the development of cancer and to counsel and support cancer patients and their families.

Our vision foresees a reduction in the incidence of cancer cases and an improvement in the quality of life of all those touched by cancer in the Cayman Islands through focusing on education and prevention programmes for children and adults, providing financial and counseling support to cancer patients and their families, facilitating a cancer survivor's network, reviewing matters of interest to the Society and initiating and lobbying for relevant changes through legislation and other means, enhancing cancer screening, diagnosis and treatment services.



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Partnering to Help

As the primary provider of healthcare services in the Cayman Islands the Health Services Authority prides itself on the quality of care, range of services and the expertise of their staff, who they believe to be the very best in their profession.

The Health Services Authority provides world class healthcare services through facilities on Grand Cayman, Cayman Brac and Little Cayman. These include the nation's principal health care facility - the 124-bed Cayman Islands Hospital on Grand Cayman which provides a comprehensive range of inpatient and outpatient services.

“...The Mission of the Health Services Authority is to provide the highest quality healthcare and improve the well-being of people in the Cayman Islands through accessible, sustainable patient-focused services by highly-skilled, empowered and caring staff in collaboration with our partners.”

Lizzette Yearwood
Chief Executive Officer

The Cayman Islands Hospital is a community resource committed to excellence. As the only public hospital in the Cayman Islands they care for everyone, regardless of their ability to pay, which is a significant strain on financial resources. Recognizing their desire to provide the highest quality standard of care and the limits to their budget, The Cayman Islands Cancer Society, is proud to partner with the HSA to build a new Chemotherapy Unit as a gift to the Hospital for the people of the Cayman Islands.

Help us help others

All gifts, regardless of size, are meaningful and appreciated. This is a project for the whole community so we are reaching out to the whole community for financial support of this meaningful project. When you make a donation toward the new Chemo unit you offer everyone hope for the future.

Contributions will be acknowledged on the wall of appreciation in the following categories:

Platinum – over US\$50,000

Gold – US\$25,000 - US\$50,000

Silver – US\$15,000 - US\$25,000

Bronze – US\$5,000 - US\$15,000

Partner – US\$1,000 - US\$5,000

Supporter – US\$100 - US\$1,000

Other recommended donation suggestions:

Thank you

After fighting cancer, many patients and their families feel special gratitude for their gift of life. A thank you gift, is a wonderful way to say thank you to the doctors, nurses and other staff while honoring the work they do.

Special Tribute

A gift for the chemo unit is a special way to honor someone on their birthday, anniversary or other special day.

Memorial

A memorial gift is a lasting way to remember someone at a time of sadness. Flowers are always nice, but a memorial gift to the Chemo unit can do something special.

How to donate

Please contact the Cayman Islands Cancer Society directly for details on how to contribute:

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