

Largo Medical Center

Largo, FL

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Greg Stein
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Project Summary

- Client
Hospital Corporation of America
- Location
201 14th Street
Largo, FL
- Project Size
4 Levels, 1,000 Spaces
344,101 Square Feet
- Building Systems
Pretopped Precast Double Tees
Vibrofloatation, Auger-Cast, and Micro
Pile Foundations
(3) Eco-Space Elevators
- Building Features
Vertical Expansion to Existing Structure
Fully Fire Protected
Multi-Phased Construction

Project Highlights

The Client originally expected to build a five-level vertical expansion to their existing 1+grade level parking structure. However, during the due diligence phase and after careful forensic study of the existing structure, R.R. Simmons concluded that the existing structure was not capable of supporting the proposed 6-levels of parking. R.R. Simmons provided the Client with an alternative solution that not only created the number of parking spaces needed, but also incorporated a more efficient layout. The existing structure was already designed with a ramp for vertical movement. Therefore, the solution to add another separate deck adjacent to the existing allowed R.R. Simmons to take advantage of this existing ramp and build the levels of the new deck flat. The lack of a ramp meant that the new deck would not lose spaces on the ground floor and was also an important cost-saving strategy for the client. R.R. Simmons delivered the newly expanded, existing deck to its Client in only two months - an incredible feat.

Another challenge encountered during the preconstruction phase was the decision by the Client to increase the size of its proposed medical office building to be built adjacent to the two parking structures. Originally, the MOB was to sit approximately 20' from the structures. The revised size meant that the MOB would now sit only 2" from the structures. R.R. Simmons was able to quickly adjust its design to meet the more stringent codes required by this change including: new 4-hr rated walls, fire suppression system, and multiple foundation types.

