

Architecture

1. Create boundaries with architectural framework without jeopardizing visual access. Use boundaries to capture and communicate group information. Use architecture to create nooks that provide heads down work on the go **CP IV**

Products to consider: Pathways® Post and Beam, I-line glass walls

Furniture

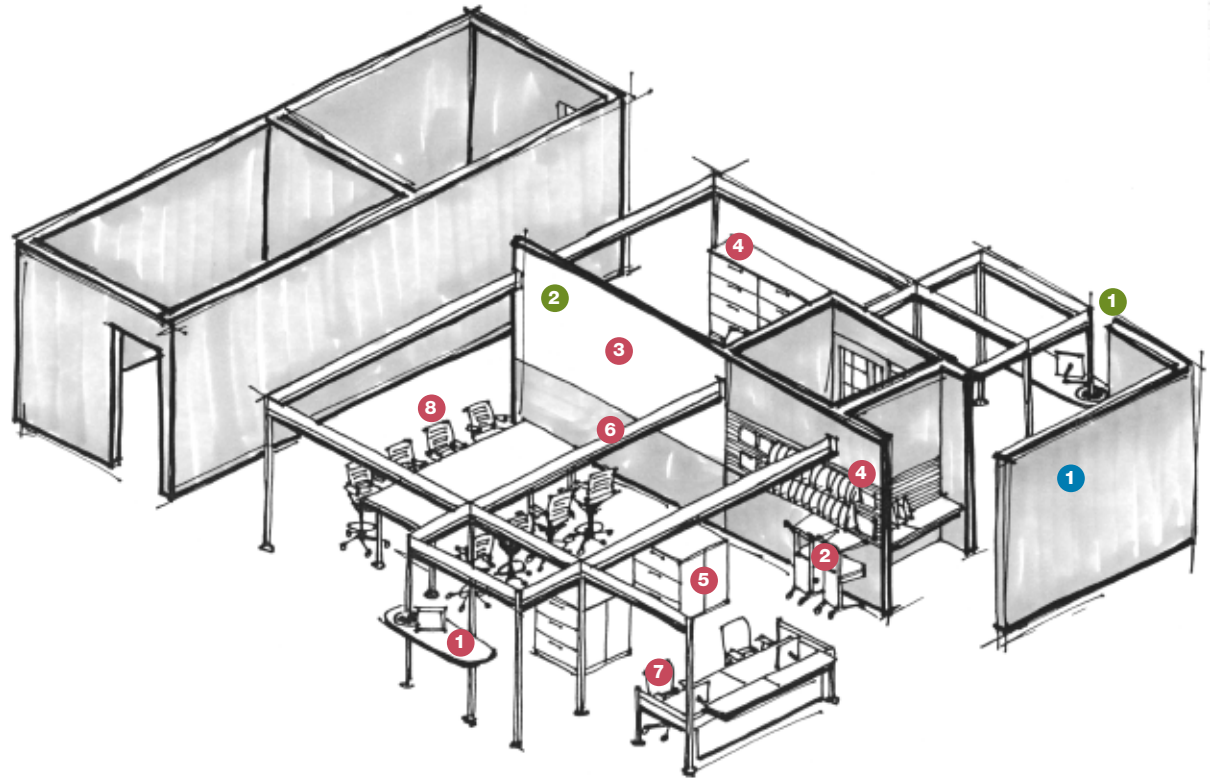
1. Accommodate both sit-down and stand-up interactions everywhere **CP RC**
2. Allow for easy movement for portable technology with lightweight and dual surface carts **CP BC**
3. Keep frequently used information posted and visible in work area via tackable surfaces and markerboards **IV CP**
4. Provide ample storage for charts and supplies **CP IV**
5. Utilize storage units to divide space and serve as stand-up worksurfaces **BC CP**
6. Insure ease of adds, moves and changes by specifying furniture systems that are flexible and simple **RC**
7. Provide ergonomic seating to accommodate multiple users and ensure health and safety of healthcare professionals with easy to use adjustments. Allow for easy cleaning and/or replacement of upholstered parts **RC**
8. Accommodate guests and healthcare staff with ergonomic, lightweight and economical seating. Allow for easy care **CP HS**

Products to consider: Universal Storage, Tethered Capsule Worksurfaces, Huddleboard™ markerboards, Leap® seating, Cachet™ seating, Details® worktools and carts

Technology

1. Provide plug and play access everywhere people work alone as well as together **CP**
2. Provide areas to capture visual display

Products to consider: Pathways® Post and Beam, Technology Hubs CopyCam™ by PolyVision



Managing the healthcare environment strategically

Creating and managing a healthcare environment demands the thoughtful planning of numerous diverse and interconnected issues:

- Define goals and measure results in line with corporate strategies
- Insuring flexibility, dependability, adaptability and environmental responsibility by planning and specifying with architecture, furniture and technology
- Combine efficiency and effectiveness by focusing on how healthcare staff actually work and by applying the appropriate planning principles

Each healthcare work area addresses these principles at varying levels, based on need. This Nurses Hub maps out as follows:

