# 2024 VISTA AWARDS

Recognizing teamwork and communication in developing innovative health care spaces.







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## What is the Vista Award program?

Every year, the Vista Awards aim to highlight professionals who are at the forefront of health care design and construction innovation. The American Society for Health Care Engineering (ASHE) of the American Hospital Association (AHA) firmly believes in recognizing teams who work together to develop and maintain safe, quality health care environments; demonstrate effective and efficient communication; and rely on data-based decision-making processes.

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#### New Construction This award is presented to a team that has constructed a new facility essentially from the ground up. The new facility may be connected to an existing facility, but must have its own identity and be a new space.

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The Vista Awards are given in three different categories:

**Renovation** This award is presented to a team that has altered existing conditions or added new space to existing structures. The original building envelope must remain essentially intact.



Infrastructure This award is presented to a team that has modified or replaced major portions of a facility's utility generation, distribution, or control systems. This type of project involves significant project planning.

## Why Vista? Award benefits include:

- One complimentary registration to attend the 2024 International Summit & Exhibition on Health Facility Planning Design and Construction (PDC Summit)
- A special overall team project award to be presented at the 2024 PDC Summit
- Complimentary exposure in the Architecture for Health Showcase
- Feature in ASHE's Health Facilities Management Magazine and hfmmagazine.com



It's time for your team to be recognized for their hard work. Visit ashe.org/awards/vista and submit your application today!

Please review the Vista Award Application Guidelines on **ashe.org/awards/vista** before submitting your application.

#### **REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY**

Eligible applicants include design professionals and other individuals working with the design and construction of hospitals, ambulatory care facilities, long-term care facilities, and medical buildings.

- Projects must have been completed between January 1, 2017 and December 31, 2022.
- Projects must have a minimum of six months post-occupancy or post-completion data.
- Only one project can be submitted per category from any single health care facility, although an organization may submit more than one project from different facilities in its system or alliance.

The following will deem an entry ineligible:

- Failure to adhere to the instructions as noted in the Vista Award Application Guidelines posted to ashe.org/vista
- Lack of team representation or support from the health care facility.
- Use of water marks or other distracting graphic elements
- Commercial endorsements
- Testimonials
- Incomplete application/submission

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

#### **Vista Award Application Guidelines**

The Vista Award Application Guidelines cover the details and materials needed for application submittals. Please visit ashe.org/vista to download these important guidelines.

#### **Dates/Deadlines**

All entries must be received by September 1, 2023.

#### **Entry Fee**

The Vista Award entry fee is \$425 per submission and is nonrefundable.

#### **Judging Panel**

The panel, which reviews all entries and select winners, will include representatives from the health care planning, design and construction professions. All judging decisions are final.

#### Notification

Organizations and representatives selected to receive an award will be notified by January 31, 2024.

### Questions? Contact Charmaine Osborne at cosborne@aha.org.



#### About ASHE

ASHE is a professional membership group of the AHA. More than 12,500 members count ASHE as a trusted source for professional development, advocacy, and representation on key issues that may affect their work in the physical health care environment. Visit ashe.org to learn more.

#### Disclaimer

ASHE reserves the right to change any part of these rules at any time without prior notification. Submissions become property of ASHE and will not be returned. By submitting an entry, all individuals, organizations, and companies named in the application agree to release their names, their likenesses, and all of the submitted materials for publication at any time by ASHE and/or the AHA. ASHE cannot be held responsible for lost, misdirected, damaged, or incomplete submissions.