

Prairie du Chien  
Memorial Hospital



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After more than one year of careful consideration and extensive research, the Board of Directors of Prairie du Chien Memorial Hospital voted unanimously to engage an architect in anticipation of building a new hospital. “This is a bold and visionary decision and we want to take the time to do it right,” said Bill Sexton, Prairie du Chien Memorial Hospital Chief Executive Officer. “We will release more information as it becomes available, but what we know for certain is that we’re focused on patient-centered care for the future. Ultimately, our goals include providing the communities we serve with a state-of-the-art, energy efficient hospital, enhanced emergency services and 100 percent private rooms,” Sexton stated.

Prairie du Chien Memorial Hospital, a non-profit, 25 bed Critical Access Hospital, was established in 1957 from very humble beginnings. In the last half-century the hospital has grown to serve approximately 400 people per day and employs more than 300. This positive impact reaches throughout Southwest Wisconsin and Northeast Iowa. “Planning for the future health care needs of the people of our communities is one aspect of our never-ending pursuit of excellence,” Sexton stated.