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North Central Texas College, Health Science Center Gainesville, Texas

The Leo and Mabel Scott Health Science Center is a state-of-the-art training facility for nursing. It is a two story, steel framed structure. The training functions include LVN classrooms and labs, ADN classrooms and labs, a simulation lab and radiology labs and classrooms. The simulation lab is designed to simulate typical hospital Med/Surg bedrooms, Labor Rooms, ICU rooms, Emergency Exam and Trauma rooms as well as spaces for simulation of clinical Exam and Home Health situations. The simulation lab is used for training and testing of students on the Gainesville campus as well as nursing students from NCTC's satellite campuses.

The radiology lab is equipped with a mock radiology unit as well as a functioning radiology unit and it used with model body parts. The LVN and ADN labs are equipped with mock headwall units incorporating medical gases, patient beds and curtains for training of nursing students for the full range of nursing situations. The Health Science Center also incorporates the office functions for the Health Science department, and the LVN, ADN, Radiology, and Simulation functions. The various components of the health sciences training share a 152 seat lecture hall, classrooms and computer labs.

The Health Science building serves as an anchor to the south side of the campus. Various training functions previously dispersed on the campus in multiple structures will be brought together in this one two story structure. The design fits into the context of the rest of the campus through the use of brick veneer matching the newer buildings on the campus and the use of contrasting masonry reflecting the use of cast stone quoins on other structures. The entry to the building is accentuated by a two story atrium surrounded by glazing and the second floor incorporates a large, open student lounge.





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Construction Completed: July 2016

Total Square Footage: 48,770 sf

