

# Construction Update: Critical Care Building

*For our Avondale neighbors and community partners*

## What's Happening Onsite

- Level 4 of the Critical Care Building is underway. It will house the Newborn Intensive Care Unit (NICU). When complete, a total of 85 beds will serve our youngest and most critical patients.

## Thank You Avondale

- About 500 neighbors stopped by for food and fun at the Building Together Block Party on May 18, at Harvey Park. Thank you for coming out. It was a great turnout!



*Building Together Block Party*

## What is that building?

- We have received questions about the building on Erkenbrecher next to the North Garage. It is an infrastructure building that will house generators, power and plumbing for the new Critical Care Building.

## Traffic Alert

- Concrete and construction vehicles entering and leaving the site could create backups. Flaggers will be onsite to help direct traffic.

## Construction Jobs for the Community

- After completing the Building Value work training program, currently 19 men and women from the Uptown area have full-time jobs in construction and related fields. Eight additional trainees are currently enrolled. For more information about the Uptown Workforce Development Initiative (UWDI), contact Stanley Warrenhuffman at 513-532-5165 or [swarrenhuffman@eastersealsgc.org](mailto:swarrenhuffman@eastersealsgc.org).

## Key Dates

**Now - Dec. 2019:**

Structure/framing work

**May 2019 - Nov. 2019:**

Exterior work

**April 2019 - July 2021:**

Interior work

**July – Nov. 2021:**

Move-in/training

**Nov. 2021:**

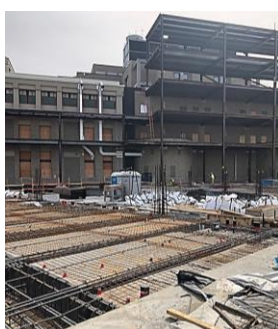
New building opens

*Reminder: Per the City of Cincinnati, construction activities can begin as early as 4 am to help reduce traffic congestion and ensure the safety of the community. Thank you for your patience.*

**Latest updates at:** [cincinnatichildrens.org/critical-care-building](http://cincinnatichildrens.org/critical-care-building)  
**Questions? Call 513-636-9327**



*View from Erkenbrecher Avenue, facing east*



*Preparations to pour concrete*