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In conclusion, this dissertation intended to highlight the great disparities that exist between public and private healthcare delivery sectors in this country despite healthcare being a constitutional right for all people living in South Africa. The over arching research question aimed to investigate how primary healthcare delivery may be reconsidered in order to make healthcare a more accessible amenity to all. However, the solution to this proved to be a much larger programmatic issue than what could be investigated in this dissertation, and so the research process focused in on what is currently being proposed from a governmental approach and from a community driven approach, in order to understand how architecture may then be used to spatially support these proposals.

In order to achieve this, a number of valuable precedent studies into past and present healthcare models, both programmatic and spatial were undertaken. These precedent studies highlighted the importance and advantages of a largely preventative approach to healthcare, where health is defined as not only being free from disease or infirmity, but rather a complete state of mental, physical and social well being. Another important result from these studies was the preference for a de-centralised model as opposed to a hospital centric model in order to effectively spread resources across the healthcare delivery sector. This is what informed the approach adopted throughout the project, namely the consideration of how this de-centralised preventative approach to healthcare may be used to support the larger healthcare model.

The resulting project aimed to reconsider the way healthcare facilities are currently being designed in South Africa, in order to create a physical environment which assists, rather than inhibits the healing process and where healthcare awareness is taken out into the surrounding community, not only provided within the facility walls. The project was considered as a spatial intermediate between the top down and bottom up approaches where not only the visitors to the facility were considered, but also the larger community as a whole passing by the facility in order to design a holistic healing environment for the community at large. Historical healthcare models, and the existing built context and space making principles present in Plastic View and other informal settlements, proved to be viable precedents in informing the architectural language of the project, resulting in a more intimate architecture for the facility.

The main conclusions drawn from the research process in this dissertation, are that the current healthcare models evident in the South African context, are not currently providing an environment that is conducive to healing. Instead, these facilities provide machine like efficient, inhumane environments with the sole aim of delivering curative healthcare often under strained resources which, in poorer communities such as Plastic View, has been proven to make people less healthy.

If this is to change in order to make holistic healthcare a more accessible amenity to all, this model needs to be reinterpretated in order to return to a model which considers the dignity and experience of the user by adopting a primarily preventative approach to healthcare, supplemented by a small scale curative aspect, in order to introduce facilities that are designed to promote healing.



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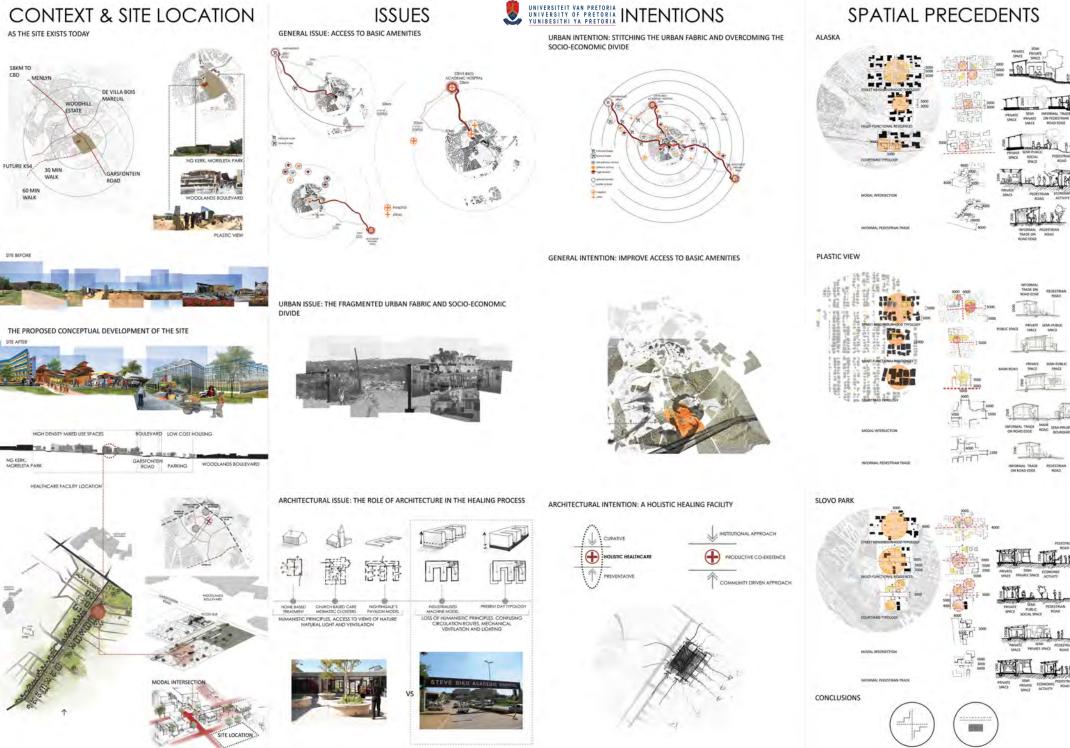


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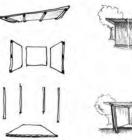
BUILT EXAMPLES IN PLASTIC VIEW











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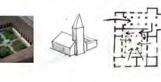
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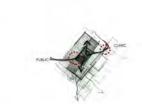






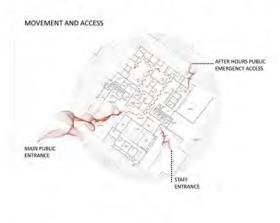
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Figure 81. Final exam presentation pages (Author 2056).

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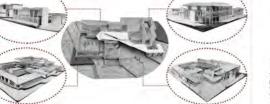


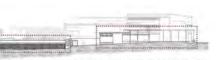












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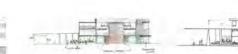
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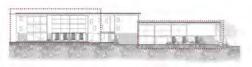


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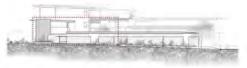
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Figure 86. Section A-A (Author 2016).









Figure 87. Section B-B (Author 2016).









Figure 88. Section C-C (Author 2016).







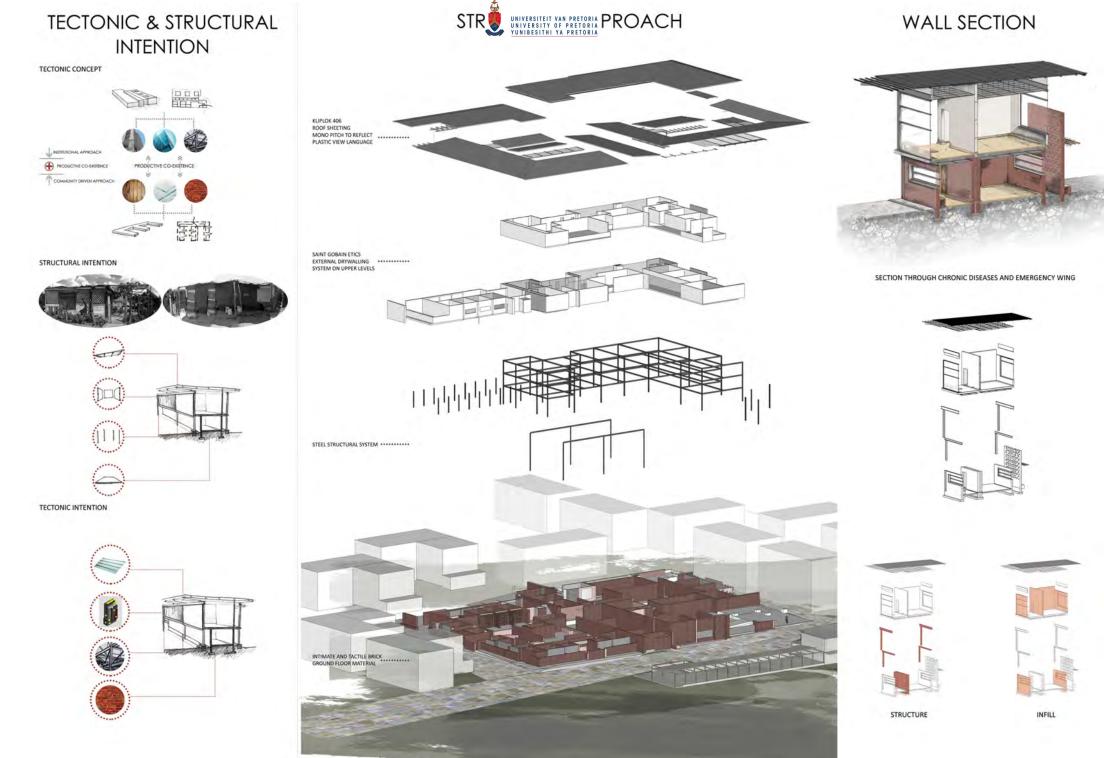
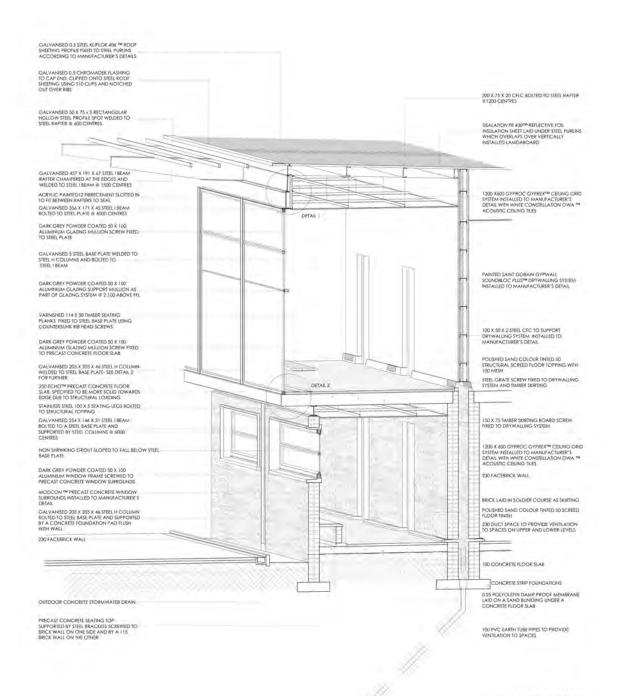


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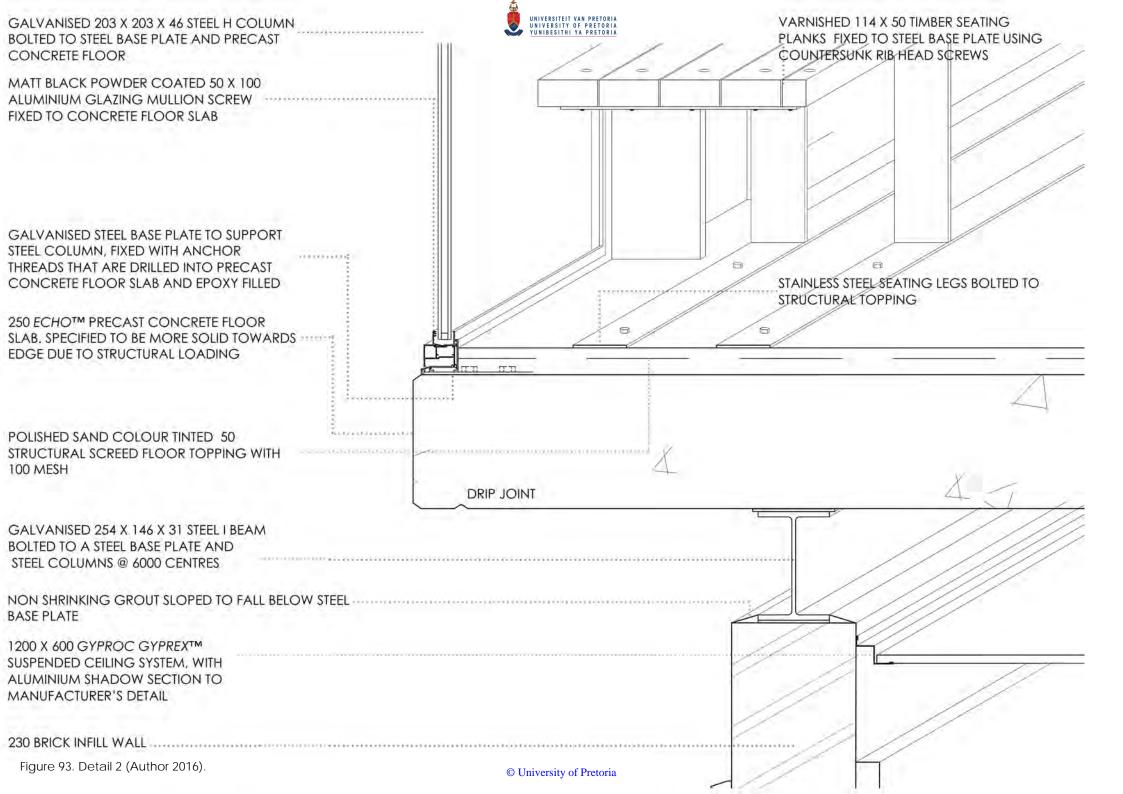


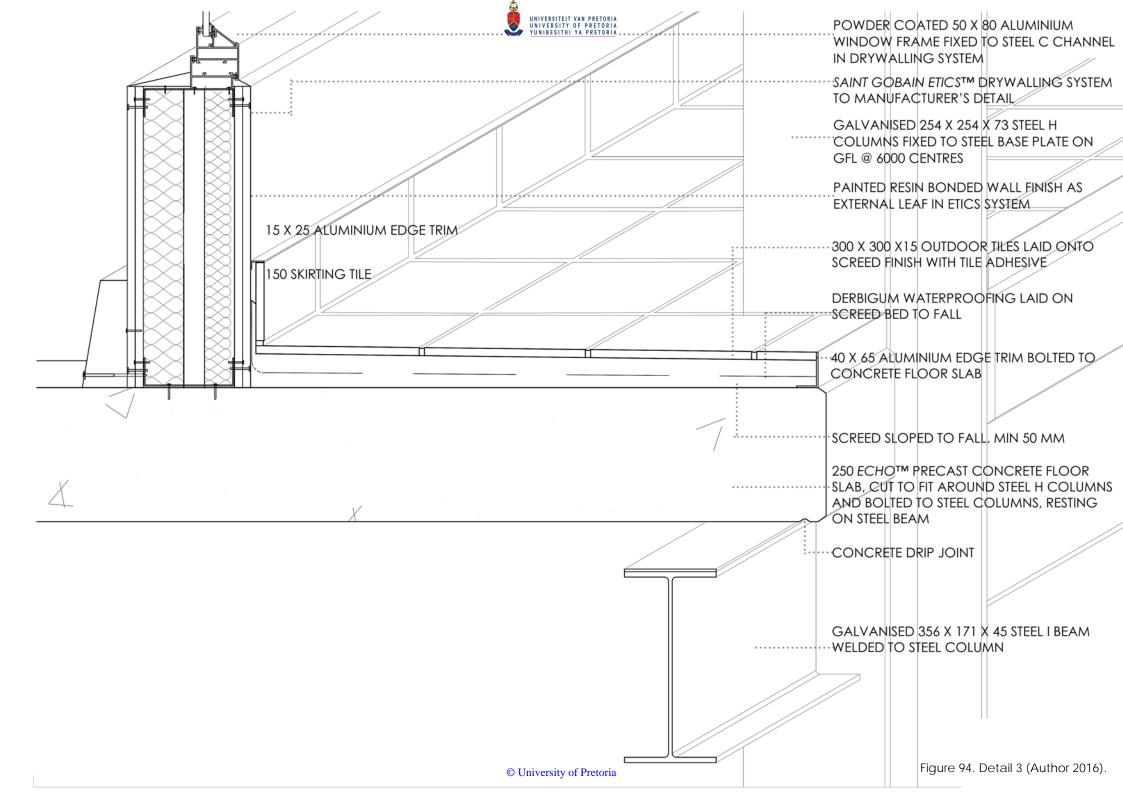


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PERSPECTIVE WALL SECTION SCALE 1:20

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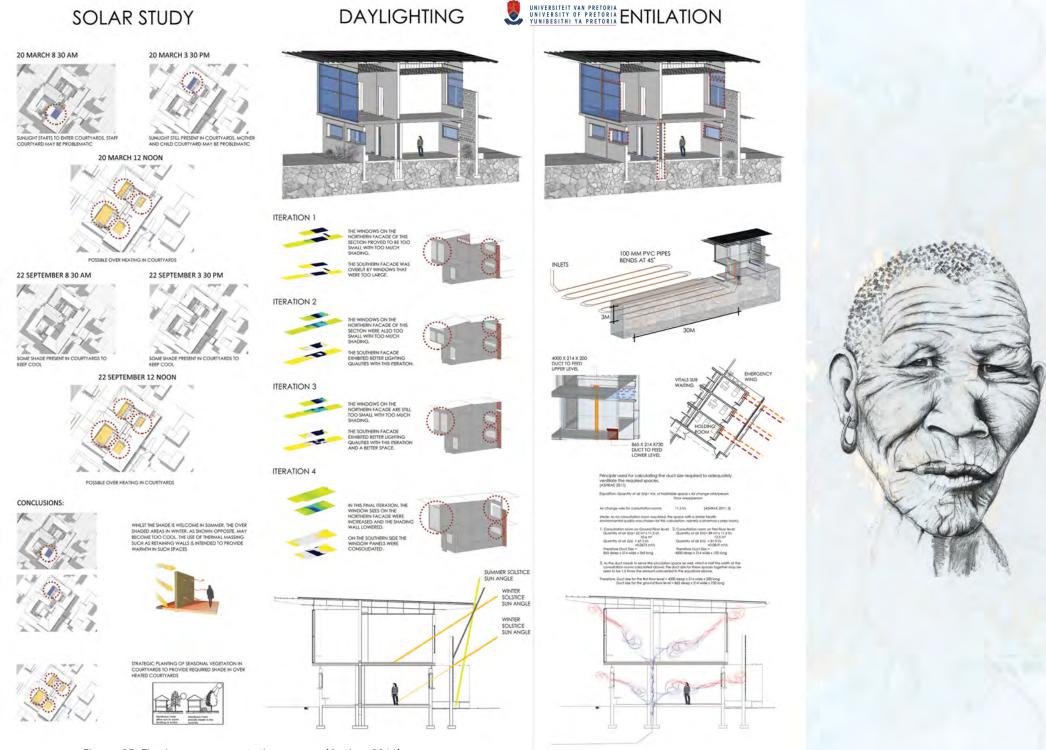


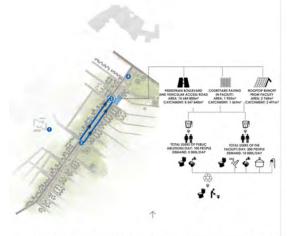
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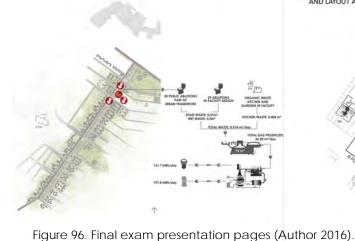
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WATER COLLECTION AND SYSTEMS AT PRECINCT SCALE



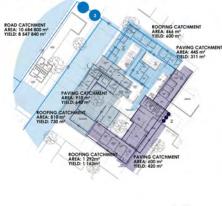
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WATER COLLECTION AND SYSTEMS AT BUILDING SCALE



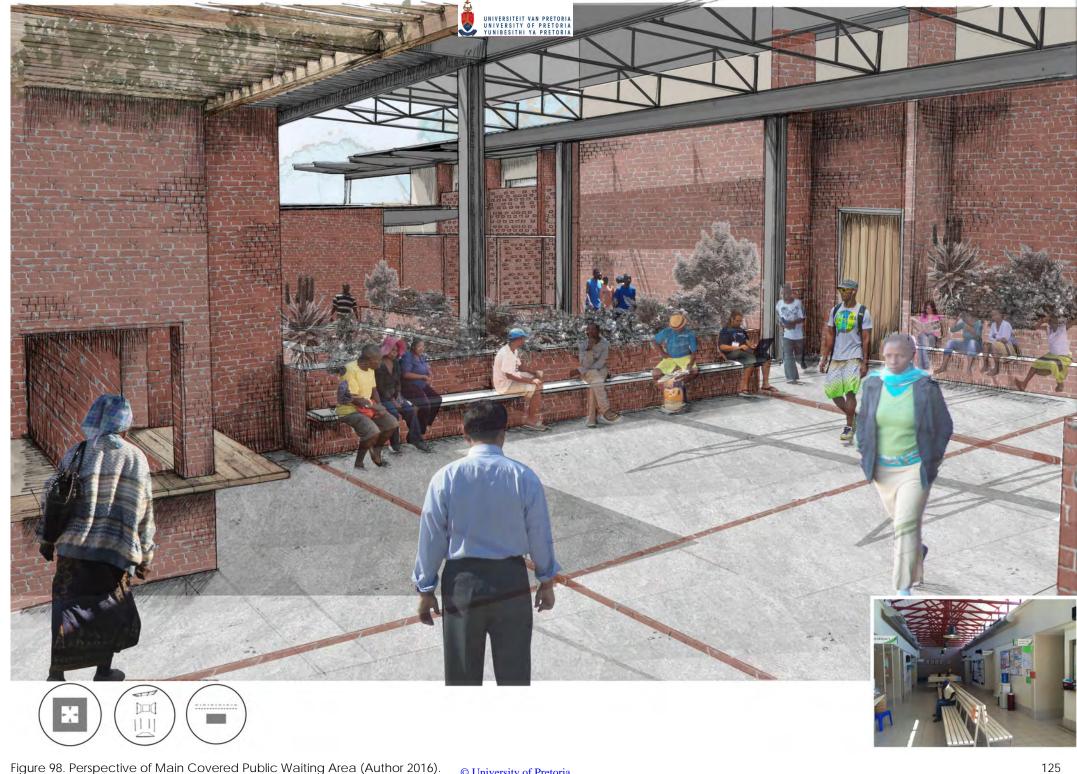
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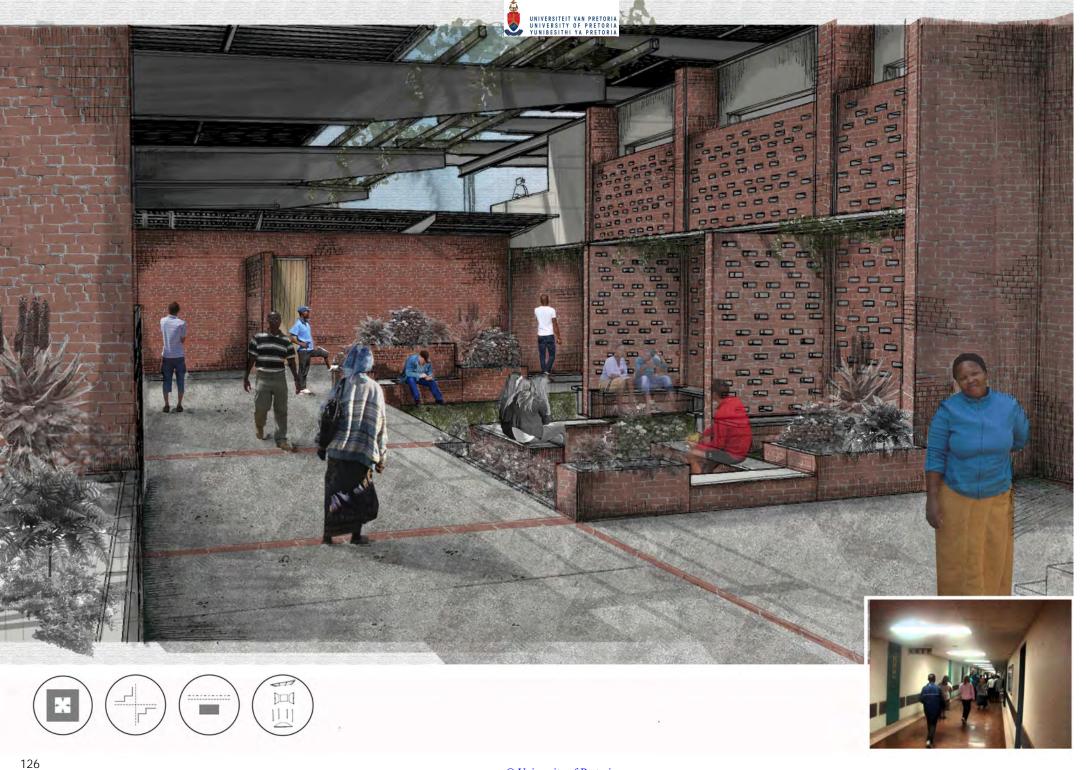


Figure 99. Perspective of Vitals Sub Waiting Courtyard (Author 2016).









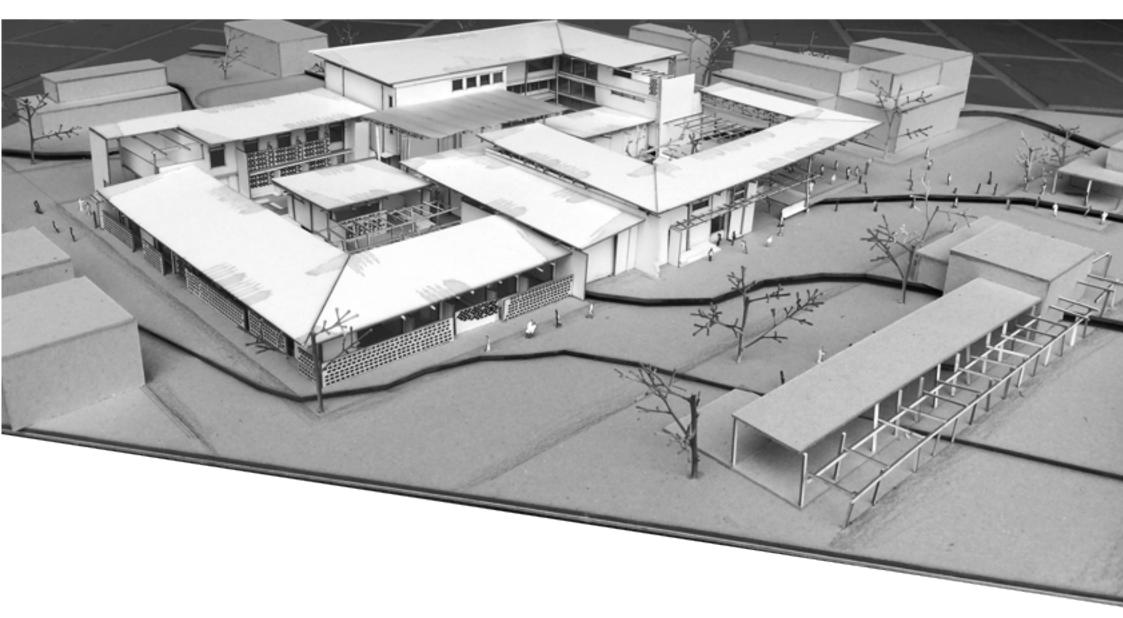


Figure 103. Model image, looking from the clinic side of the facility up to the community interaction section in the background (Author 2016).



Figure 104. Model image, looking from the main entrance and community section of the facility, across to the clinic section in the background (Author 2016).



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Figure 105. Model image, looking from the staff entrance and ambulance access facade of the facility across to the northern facade in the background (Author 2016).





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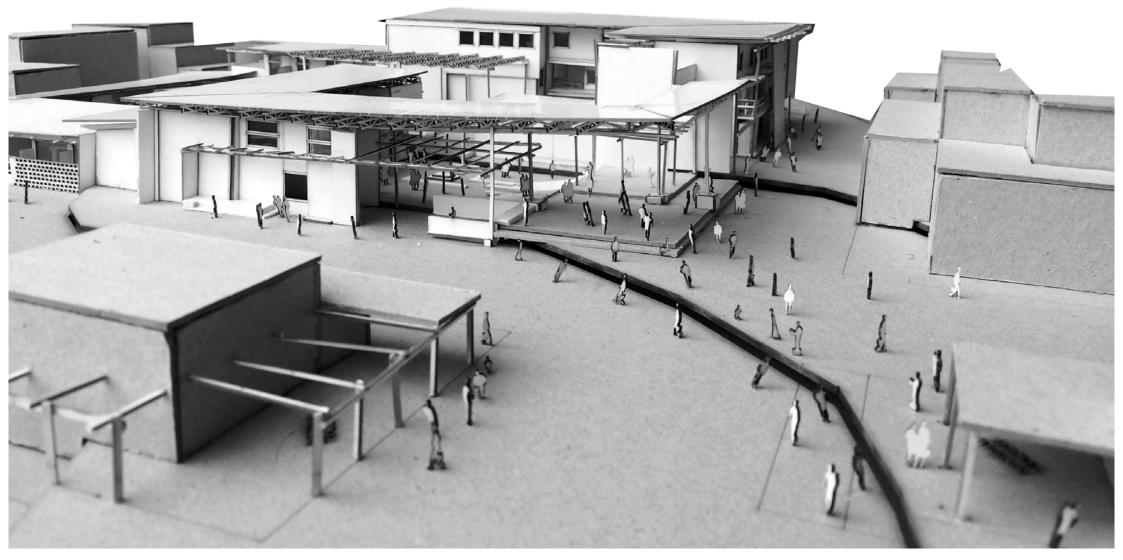


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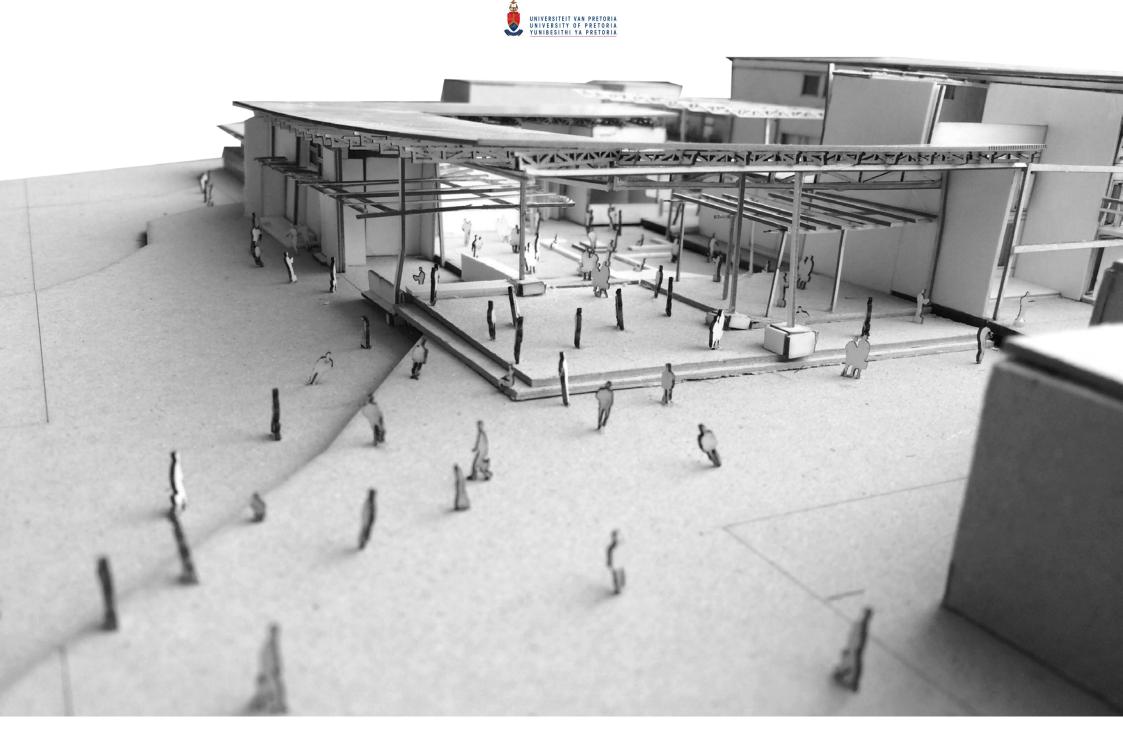


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APPENDIX

		ELECTR	ersiteit van pretoria ersity of pretoria besithi va pretoria ICITY USAGE			
ltem/Appliance	Power draw per item (W)		Total Power draw (W)	Average hours run time per week:	Total hours run time per week:	Watt-Hours per week:
Computer screen	30	2	60	40	40	2400
Computer server	400	2	800	40	40	32000
Laser Jet Printer	500	2	1000	5	5	5000
Alarm System	40	2	80	84	84	6720
Wifirouter	6	1	6	40	40	240
Cordless Phone	2	6	12	20	.20	240
Laptop	60	30	1800	40	40	72000
Kettle	2000	2	4000	10	10	40000
Microwave	1000	2	2000	4	4	8000
Bar Fridge	77	J	77	56	56	4312
Fridge	400		400	56	56	22400
Freezer	400	1	400	56	56	22400
UV Water Purification System	45	2	90	50	50	4500
Cellphone Charger	28	15	420	15	15	6160
Washing Machine	2300	1	2300	8	8	18400
Projector	410	10	4100	10	10	41000
Solar Geyser	0	2	0	20	20	0
Incandescent Light Bulbs	60	7	420	84	84	35280
LED Lights ER Section	8	6	48	84	84	4000
LED Lights	8	74	640	7	7	4480
Stove Oven	3000	1	3000	35	35	105000
					Total watt hours /week:	434532

	Average W/hours per day
Appliances	62076
Lighting	0

1	TOTAL Wh/day	62076
	TOTAL kWh/day	62,076

A WATER RESOURCE INFORMATION (YIELD, m³)

A1 RAIN WATER HARVESTING DATA

DESCRIPTION	AREA (m²)	RUNOFF COEFF. (C)
Roof structures	2768	0.9
Paving A	1955	0.7
Paving B	10684800	0.8
Lawn	385	0.1
Other	0	0
TOTAL AREA (A)	10689908.00	
WEIGHTED C		0.8

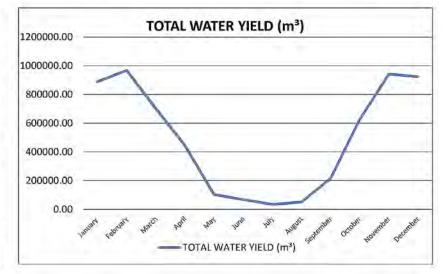


A2 RECYCLED / ALTERNATIVE WATER SOURCE

	Grey	Water	No Source		
MONTH	WEEKLY YIELD (m ³)	MONTHLY YIELD (m ³)	WEEKLY YIELD (m ³)	MONTHLY YIELD (m ³)	TOTAL / MONTH (m ³)
January	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
February	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
March	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
April	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
May	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
June	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
July	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
August	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
September	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
October	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
November	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
December	0.05	0.20	0	0.00	0.20
ANNUAL AVE		2.40		0.00	2.40

A3 TOTAL WATER YIELD

MONTH	AVE RAINFALL , P (m)	CATCHMENT YIELD (m ³) (Yield = PxAxC)	ALTERNATIVE WATER SOURCE (m ³)	TOTAL WATER YIELD (m³)
January	0.10	887670.43	0.20	887670.63
February	0.11	967201.59	0.20	967201.79
March	0.08	701242.53	0.20	701242.73
April	0.05	444690.39	0.20	444690.59
May	0.01	102620.86	0.20	102621.06
June	0.01	68413.91	0.20	68414.11
July	0.00	34206.95	0.20	34207.15
August	0.01	51310.43	0.20	51310.63
September	0.03	213793.46	0.20	213793.66
October	0.07	624276.89	0.20	624277.09
November	0.11	940691.20	0.20	940691.40
December	0.11	923587.73	0.20	923587.93
ANNUAL AVE.	0.70	5959706.35	2.40	5959708.75



B WATER DEMAND



B1 LANDSCAPE IRRIGATION DEMAND (m³)

DESCRIPTION:	LAWN (m²):	385	AGRI (m ²):	76.55	PLANTING (m ²):	67.8	10
MONTH	WEEKLY IRR. (m)	MONTHLY DEMAND (m ³)	WEEKLY IRR. (m)	MONTHLY DEMAND (m ³)	WEEKLY IRR. (m)	MONTHLY DEMAND (m ³)	TOTAL MONTHLY IRR DEMAND (m ³)
January	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
February	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
April	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	0.01	15.4	0.025	7.655	0.005	1.356	24.411
June	0.01	15.4	0.025	7.655	0.005	1.356	24.411
July	0.01	15.4	0.025	7.655	0.005	1.356	24.411
August	0.02	30.8	0.025	7.655	0.005	1.356	39.811
September	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
October	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
November	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
December	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANNUAL TOT	AL	77		30.62		5.424	113.044

B2 DOMESTIC / ALT DEMAND

MONTH	PERSONS	WATER/ CAPITA/ DAY (I)	DOMESTIC DEMAND (m ³ /month)
January	165	50	255.75
February	165	50	231
March	165	50	255.75
April	165	50	247.5
May	165	50	255.75
June	165	50	247.5
July	165	50	255.75
August	165	50	255.75
September	165	50	247.5
October	165	50	255.75
November	165	50	247.5
December	165	50	255.75
ANNUAL TOTAL			3011.25

B3 EVAPORATION LOSS (For 'open' reservoirs)

35mm - 45mm/week in summer

B4 TOTAL WATER LOSS & DEMAND

AREA OF RESERVOIR (m ²):		0		
MONTH	EVAPORATIO N RATE (m/week)	EVAPORATION RATE (m/month)	TOTAL LOSS (m³/month)	
January	0.04	0.16	0	
February	0.035	0.14	0	
March	0.025	0.1	0	
April	0.02	0.08	0	
May	0.015	0.06	0	
June	0.01	0.04	0	
July	0.01	0.04	0	
August	0.02	0.08	0	
September	0.03	0.12	0	
October	0.035	0.14	0	
November	0.035	0.14	0	
December	0.04	0.16	0	
ANNUAL TOTAL	0.32	1.26	0.00	

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MONTH	TOTAL DEMAND (m³/month)
January	255.75
February	231.00
March	255.75
April	247.50
May	280.16
June	271.91
July	280.16
August	295.56
September	247.50
October	255.75
November	247.50
December	255.75
ANNUAL TOTAL	3124.294

C WATER BUDGET

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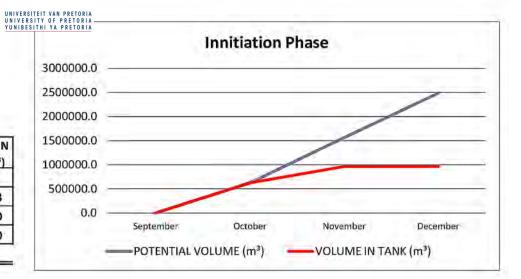
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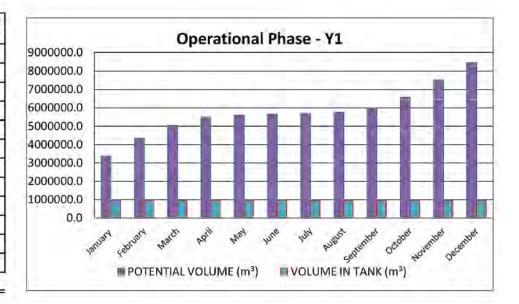
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WATER BUDGET		INNITIATION PHASE			-
MONTH	YIELD (m³/month)	DEMAND (m ³ /month)	MONTHLY	POTENTIAL VOLUME (m ³)	VOLUME IN TANK (m ³)
September	213793.7	247.5	213546.2	0.0	0.0
October	624277.1	255.8	624021.3	624021.3	624021.3
November	940691.4	247.5	940443.9	1564465.2	967000.0
December	923587.9	255.8	923332.2	2487797.4	967000.0
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MONTH	YIELD (m³/month)	DEMAND (m ³ /month)	MONTHLY BALANCE	POTENTIAL VOLUME (m ³)	VOLUME IN TANK (m ³)
January	887670.6	255.8	887414.9	3375212.3	967000.0
February	967201.8	231.0	966970.8	4342183.1	967000.0
March	701242.7	255.8	700987.0	5043170.1	967000.0
April	444690.6	247.5	444443.1	5487613.2	967000.0
May	102621.1	280,2	102340.9	5589954.0	967000.0
June	68414.1	271.9	68142.2	5658096.2	967000.0
July	34207.2	280.2	33927.0	5692023.2	967000.0
August	51310.6	295.6	51015.1	5743038.3	967000.0
September	213793.7	247.5	213546.2	5956584.5	967000.0
October	624277.1	255.8	624021.3	6580605.8	967000.0
November	940691.4	247.5	940443.9	7521049.7	967000.0
December	923587.9	255.8	923332.2	8444381.9	967000.0
ANNUAL AVE.	5959708.8	3124.3	5956584.5		





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