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Skanska Begins Construction on Danbury Hospital

Skanska USA Building Inc. announced that construction has begun on Danbury Hospital's new Outpatient Diagnostic Building in Danbury, Connecticut. The total project is valued at \$ 44 million.

Skanska is providing construction management services for this new 60,000- square-foot, three-story building as well as a new 366-space parking garage. The Outpatient Diagnostic Building will include an endoscopy suite, a medical imaging department with mammography, ultrasound, MRI, CT and CT/PET capabilities, cardiology testing, outpatient laboratory, gastroenterology, surgical, and cardiology/vascular/thoracic exam rooms, as well as associated conference areas, offices and support spaces.

The project also includes a 30,000-square-foot space in an adjacent parking garage with dialysis, nephrology, office and support spaces. The facility is scheduled for completion in October, 2007.

Skanska USA Building Inc. is a leading national and local provider of construction, pre-construction consulting, general contracting and design-build services to a broad range of U.S. industries including life sciences, healthcare, education, high-tech, aviation, transportation and sports and entertainment. Skanska USA Building also provides pharmaceutical validation services to clients. The company, part of the Skanska AB global group of companies, is headquartered in Parsippany, New Jersey, and has approximately 4,100 employees.

Skanska is one of the world's leading construction groups with expertise in construction, development of commercial and residential projects and public-private partnerships. The Group currently has 54,000 employees in selected home markets in Europe, in the U.S. and Latin America. Headquartered in Stockholm, Sweden and listed on the Stockholm Stock Exchange, Skanska's sales in 2005 totaled \$17 billion.

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