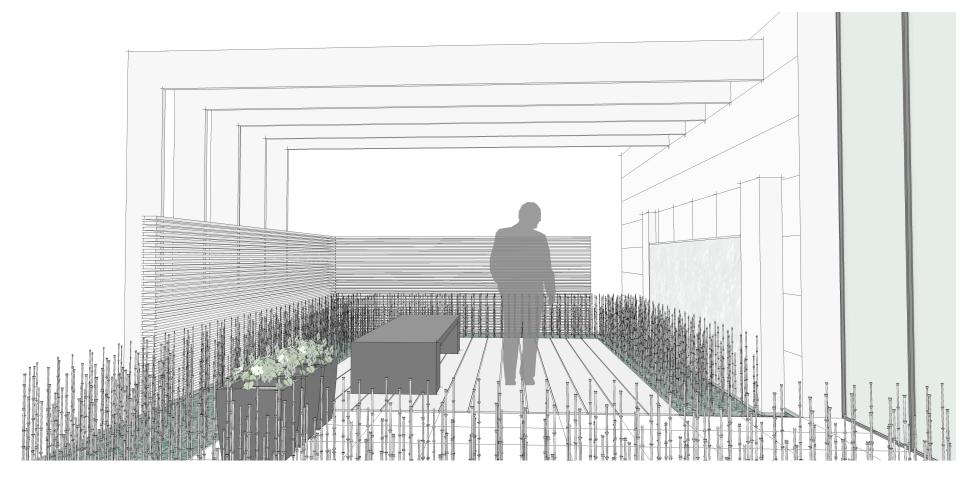
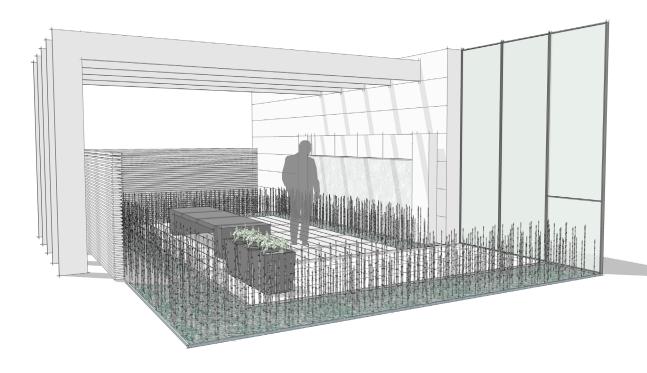
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## GENERAL HEALTHCARE – MEDITATION GARDEN (G-MG)



VIEW #1





#### LOCATION:

GENERAL HEALTHCARE CAMPUS

#### PLACE:

#### MEDITATION GARDEN

Meditation Garden is a small, enclosed, and quiet garden with a central focal point to help patients concentrate and relax as part of the healing process.

#### PRIMARY INSIGHT: NURTURE HEALING

Connecting patients, staff, and visitors with natural light, fresh air, and nature helps to nurture healing, provide moments of respite, and establish a healthy mind-body balance.

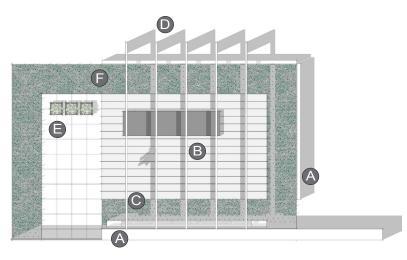
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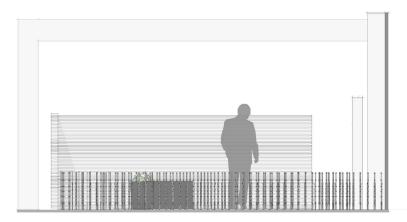
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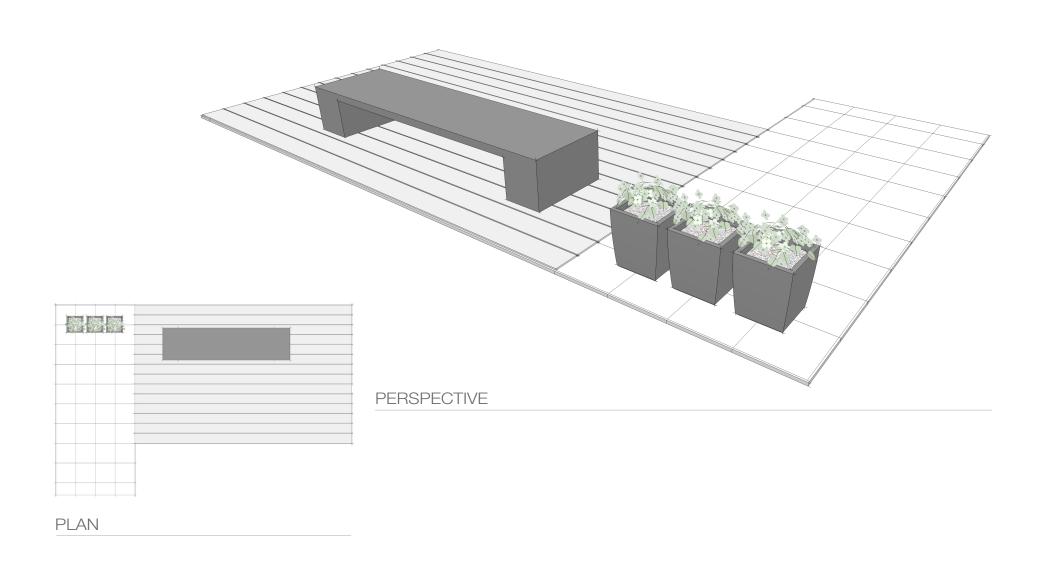
#### PLAN



**ELEVATION** 

# ELEMENTS, ATTRIBUTES, AND USER EXPERIENCE

- A secluded, intimate, and relaxing feel is created through use of a privacy fence (custom element) and positioning of setting adjacent to a building to shield garden visitors from view.
- Abril bench is generous in scale to support quiet socialization for multiple users or reclined postures for lone contemplation.
- A granite water wall (custom element) creates a calming focal point to encourage concentration and healing relaxation.
- An overhead trellis (custom element) creates a layer of enclosure while allowing sunlight to illuminate the space.
- Sorella planters create a sense of place and offer a habitat for colorful flowers which engage visual and olfactory senses to uplift the spirit.
- Reeds surrounding the deck and pavers create a serene floating island effect.



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