University Medical Center
Drawing on industry research indicating that good design in medical centers influences well-being and a heightened quality of patient care, Ballinger and Polshek Partnership Architects designed this 330,000-square-foot, 15-floor clinical facility for a New York-based university teaching hospital. Natural finishes and earth-tone colors create a spa-like feel in this award-winning project, while large windows offer contemplative skyline views. KnollStudio® furnishings are featured extensively here in waiting areas, conference rooms, libraries, diagnostic centers and public areas, while the Knoll AutoStrada system was selected for staff offices.

At this medical college, state-of-the-art technology combines with contemporary and mid-century furnishings from Knoll. In the library, cover, Barcelona® chairs, Divina™ lounge seating and Tulip tables by KnollStudio® create an elegant and relaxed reading room. Also there, a Propeller® table unites with Flat Bar Brno chairs, left, to create an upright reading area or conference table. In a waiting area at the hospital, above right, Krefeld™ lounge seating and tables provide comfort with a classic aesthetic. Finally, a doctor’s private office, below right, is outfitted with the Knoll AutoStrada™ system, a Tulip table, Life® chair and Brno side chairs.