ISSUES
◆ Walls were continuously being damaged by equip-
ment, carts, wheel chairs, recliners and gurneys in
high traffic patient areas such as corridors, elevators
and day surgery rooms.
◆ Kitchen and cafeteria walls near the trash cans,
cart wash area and sink needed constant repair
and painting from cart damage and prolonged
hot water exposure.
◆ Short-term repairs and painting were causing costly,
ongoing disruptions in hospital operations and did
not provide the clean, crisp appearance necessary
in the healthcare facility.

CHALLENGES
◆ Finding cost effective surfacing materials that
are durable enough to withstand the high traffic
abuse of a busy hospital.
◆ Using materials that are nonporous and hygienic
in all hospital applications, especially where there
is standing water that can disintegrate the finish
of a surface to the point where it cannot be
properly disinfected.
◆ Selecting surfaces that not only look beautiful, but
are highly versatile for a wide range of hospital
applications.

SOLUTIONS
◆ Corian® is tough, long lasting and can stand up to
abuse in high traffic areas in hospitals where it will
look beautiful for many years.
◆ Nonporous and virtually seamless Corian® is resistant
to stains and mold, mildew and bacteria growth. It is easy
to clean as there are no grout or seam gaps to trap soil.
◆ Corian® can be fabricated for use in many durable
applications such as wall cladding, corner guards,
hand rails, back splashes, elevator cab cladding, trash
receptacle covers, nurse’s stations and windowsills.

BENEFITS
◆ Corian® saves Bozeman Deaconess Hospital $30,000
– $50,000 per year in wall repair and painting costs.
It is durable and renewable helping to eliminate
inconvenient patient area maintenance.
◆ Corian® is solid all the way through. It resists chips,
scratches and scorching. Corian® will remain looking
as clean and new as the day it was installed with
proper cleaning and maintenance.
◆ The versatility and extensive color palette of Corian®
provides unlimited options in healthcare applications.

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Discover the many great healthcare applications for Corian®:

- Worktops at nurses’ stations and other reception areas
- Windowsills and wainscoting
- Way-finding
- Cafeteria counters and tables
- Patient and public restroom vanities and bowls
- Patient bath and shower surrounds
- Wall cladding
- Tables, laboratory sinks and work surfaces
- Slabs and cladding for mortuaries
- Pharmacy counters and stair railing banisters for histology labs
- Operating room walls and surfaces

Corian® is...

- NONPOROUS: Will not support the growth of mold, mildew or bacteria.

- EASY TO CLEAN: No grout or seam gaps; maintenance costs and time are greatly reduced.

- STAIN-RESISTANT: Stains can’t permeate and are easily removed.

- DURABLE: Tough and long lasting; stands up to heavy use and abuse; problems with wall damage are virtually eliminated.

- EASILY INSTALLED: Can be installed or retrofitted over existing, sound tile—saving downtime.

- RENEWABLE: Marks and scratches can be removed easily to restore it to its original condition.

- CODE COMPLIANT: Code 1 (A) Rated and NSF/ANSI 51 Certified for food contact of all food types. Can be molded and formed with no sharp
edges or corners for ADA compliance.

- WARM AND INVITING TO THE TOUCH: The practical surface material that creates a unique, beautiful statement.

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- PROJECT COLOR: Aurora
In the kitchen cart wash area, Corian® eliminated constant wall repair caused by cart and hot water damage.

▲ Corian® can be fabricated to ADA requirements for durable, stain-resistant handrails.

▲ More than two miles of Corian® look beautiful, reduce maintenance costs and protect the corridors of the Bozeman Deaconess Hospital.

▲ Nonporous and virtually seamless, Corian® wall cladding does not support the growth of mold, mildew or bacteria, creating a sterile environment in the Operating Room.

▲ Durable windowsills made of Corian® are easy to clean and coordinate beautifully with the wall cladding in patient wings.

▲ The walls in the tray return/trash area of the cafeteria are protected with Corian® wall cladding to eliminate constant damage. Trash receptacles were designed to give the entire area a neat and clean appearance.

▲ Elevator cab cladding made with Corian® holds up to the daily abuse of wheelchair and stretcher traffic, while its appearance coordinates with the entire patient area.

▲ The Corian® backsplash in the kitchen sink area resists damage caused by constant hot water exposure where the painted cinderblock wall underneath had to be repainted constantly.

▲ Durable window wells made of Corian® are easy to clean and coordinate beautifully with the wall cladding in patient wings.