

# Tammy Felker, AIA, ACHA, RN, EDAC, LEED AP BD+C

Principal, Behavioral Health Expert

With a dual background as a nurse and architect, Tammy specializes in planning, programming, and designing for healthcare facilities. She is widely recognized for her behavioral health expertise and often presents and educates leaders on the dramatic impact design can have on patient outcomes. Tammy utilizes Lean principles and transparent communication to translate the needs of patients, staff, and stakeholders into high-performance facilities.

## RELEVANT PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Montage Health, Ohana Campus for Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health / Monterey, CA / Medical Planner, Behavioral Health Specialist

University of Utah, Huntsman Mental Health Institute / Salt Lake City, UT / Behavioral Health Specialist

Nationwide Children's Hospital Big Lots Behavioral Health Pavilion / Columbus, OH / Medical Planner, Behavioral Health Specialist

Children's Hospital of Colorado, Pediatric Mental Health Institute (PMHI) / Aurora, CO / Medical Planner, Behavioral Health Specialist

Confidential Healthcare Client Acute Psychiatric Hospital, Crisis Stabilization and Behavioral Health Campus / California / Clinical Specialist, Behavioral Health Specialist

Overlake Medical Center, Project FutureCare Behavioral Health Unit / Bellevue, WA / Medical Planner, Behavioral Health Specialist

Seattle Children's Hospital, Inpatient Psychiatric Unit\* / Seattle, WA / Medical Planner, Lean Process Specialist

Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP), Medical Behavioral Unit\* / Philadelphia, PA / Medical Planner, Behavioral Health and Lean Process Specialist

\* Experience prior to NBBJ

## EDUCATION

Master of Architecture, University of Washington

Bachelor of Science, Nursing, University of Virginia

Bachelor of Science, Biology, Emory & Henry College

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Institute of Architects (AIA)

American College of Healthcare Architects

Evidence-Based Design Accreditation

LEED AP Building Design + Construction

## A few of my favorite projects include:

### Montage Health

Ohana Campus for Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health



This innovative child and adolescent behavioral health center provides the full continuum of care, including a 16-bed residential treatment program in a totally new care environment. Building on the Hawaiian concept of Ohana, which means extended family, the environment celebrates people through beautiful, restorative spaces that support the wellbeing of patients, families and clinicians.

#### LOCATION

Monterey, CA

#### CLIENT

Montage Health

#### SIZE

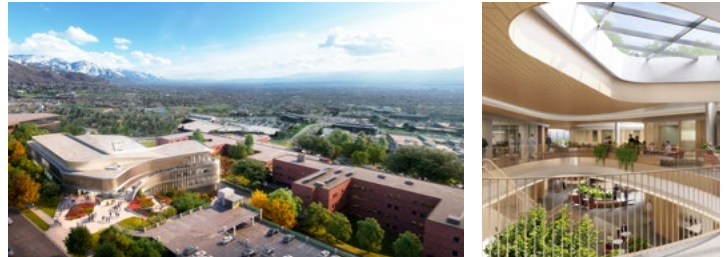
61,000 - 68,000 gsf  
10.2 acres

#### SCOPE

Programming / Master Planning / Architecture / Interior Design / Medical Planning / Graphic Design

### University of Utah

Huntsman Mental Health Institute



This 185,000 sf Translational Research Facility at the University of Utah Research Park will be a critical next step to provide mental and behavioral health support in Utah and beyond. This world-class facility will create a collaborative living lab for leading experts to solve mental health challenges that will have a national impact — from brain disease and behavioral health stigma to policy issues.

#### LOCATION

Salt Lake City, UT

#### CLIENT

University of Utah

#### SIZE

185,000 sf

#### SCOPE

Laboratories / Clinical Research / Kitchen / Community Outreach / Administration / Engineering

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