



Item: SP-I1

STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE

Wednesday, December 13, 2006

**SUBJECT: BOCA RATON COMMUNITY HOSPITAL PRELIMINARY
CONSTRUCTION PLAN**

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

None

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FAU has entered into an agreement with the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine (UMMSM) and the Boca Raton Community Hospital (BRCH) to develop a regional campus for the purposed of medical education of students and residents)and potentially other health professionals). BRCH seeks to relocate onto the FAU campus and build a new community/university hospital. This will enable the regional medical campus to have access to a state of the art teaching hospital to achieve the objectives of responding to the physician shortage in the state, develop a new curricular experience emphasizing chronic and comprehensive care as well as interdisciplinary education. It will also provide FAU with additional conference and teaching space for the medical education program and provide FAU biomedical scientists to become more competitive for extramural research funding. Other FAU components will also have opportunity to participate in educational and research activities with the hospital as an integral component of the campus.

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN/DATE

Proposed construction start	2008
Proposed completion of Phase I	2011

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

As outlined in approved agreements.

Supporting Documentation: None

Presented by: John Reiling, BRCH

Phone: 561-297-2663