


Announcing Mercy Ships’ newest ship, its second purpose-built vessel to join the fleet of the world’s largest civilian hospital ships. The state-of-the-art floating hospital will further expand the organization’s capacity to provide free surgeries and training, allowing even more people to receive life-changing hope and healing. By adding a new custom-designed vessel to its fleet, Mercy Ships will be able to better answer the growing need in sub-Saharan Africa, where 93% of the population currently can’t access safe, affordable, and timely surgical care. Made possible by the generous support of key partners like the MSC Group and MSC Foundation, the new ship will further Mercy Ships’ mission of coming alongside African nations to create sustainable change long into the future.

OUR MARITIME PLATFORM

Built in collaboration with highly respected maritime professionals from around the world, the new ship will keep efficiency and sustainability at the forefront.

 Ship systems provide **reliable and efficient power, clean water, and air conditioning** for the hospital and crew.

 Modern, efficient systems **reduce total energy consumption**.

 Filtering and treating AC condensate water for technical **reduces potable water use** by approximately **50%**.

SPECIFICATIONS

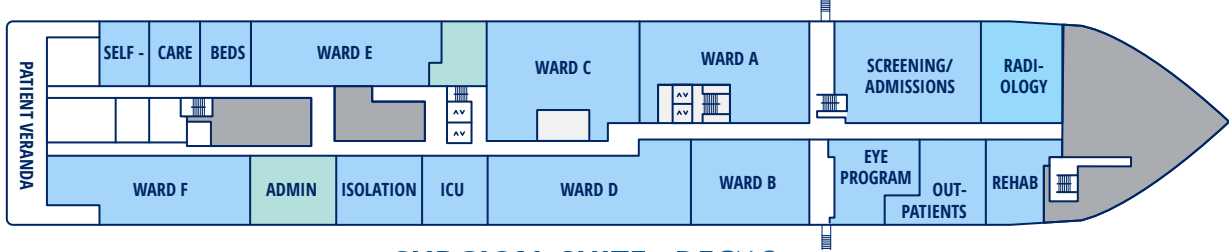
Length.....	174m
Breadth.....	28.6 m
Draft.....	6.1m
Decks.....	12
Gross Tonnage.....	37,856
Crew Capacity.....	640

BUILT TO TRAIN

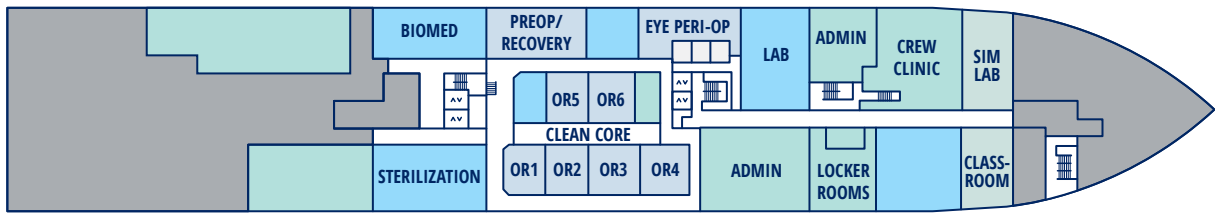
Using the ship as a platform for education, training, and advocacy Mercy Ships will continue to focus on long-term, sustainable surgical education, working to create lasting impact by increasing surgical capacity in partner nations. To facilitate this, the new ship will feature dedicated training spaces, classrooms, and a simulation lab that will allow trainers to simulate local conditions in order to teach relevant best practices. Built to train, with similar specifications to her sister ship the *Global Mercy*, the new vessel will enable us to accelerate our training capacity and ensure that a tangible difference can be made to strengthen healthcare systems long after the ship sails away.



HOSPITAL WARDS - DECK 4



SURGICAL SUITE - DECK 3



Hospital Area: approximately 7,000 m2

TRANSFORMING LIVES

Designed with state-of-the-art hospital facilities and equipment, the new ship will provide world-class surgeries as well as quality pre-operative and post-operative care.



6
operating
theatres



7
ICU/isolation
beds



102
acute care
beds



90
self-care
beds



HOUSING A COMMUNITY

In order to ensure surgical care and surgical education can continue sustainably, the new ship will be built to accommodate spaces for meetings, work, and life for the international crew, which includes medical, maritime, and general volunteers.



Accommodation for up to **640 Crew members**



Auditorium with 682 seats



Pre-K—12 Academy for 110+ students



Café & Ship Shop

Additional crew facilities will include gym, pool, and library.



Announcement Video