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The planning and design of healthcare facilities has evolved; the impression a hospital conveys to its patients and community has now become a primary concern. Facilities must be welcoming, comfortable, and exude a commitment to patient well-being. Rapid changes and burgeoning technologies are now major considerations in facility design, so hospitals face quicker obsolescence if designs are not forward-thinking. This book explains strategies for ensuring efficiency and economy of scale in operations of healthcare facilities, exploring the methods by which providers aim to reduce healthcare delivery cost whilst maintaining the same standard and quality of care.

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