

# What's New

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## Modern Healthcare Ranks Building Group No. 8 on List of Top U.S. General Contractors in Healthcare

*Modern Healthcare* magazine's 2010 list of Top General Contractors places the BE&K Building Group at No. 8 nationally among contractors in the healthcare market. The ranking, published in the March issue, is based on U.S. contractors' dollar volume (for 2009). For the past three years, the Building Group has ranked in the Top 10.

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Luther Cochrane, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Building Group, elaborated on the significance of this achievement. "For the Building Group — and its competitors — the national rankings generated by Modern Healthcare's Annual Construction and Design Survey are of major importance. Where a contractor falls on Modern Healthcare's prestigious list of Top Contractors can have significant impact in establishing and/or enhancing credibility with healthcare owners."

According to Ed Smith, executive vice president and healthcare market sector leader for the Building Group, the company's healthcare facility assignments include a mix of vertical expansions, additions and renovations, and greenfield facilities. Our projects range in size from US\$5 million to US\$350 million.

*Modern Healthcare* is the most widely read and respected publication serving the healthcare industry.

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