

## Architect's Application Narrative

### GB101010919/D2 - UCLH Phase 6 – Architectural Narrative – Application 2016/3601/P

9<sup>th</sup> August 2016

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Further to your email of 1<sup>st</sup> August 2016 and our subsequent telephone conversation please find below narrative regarding the minor variations between the approved application of 2014 and our recent discharge of conditions application 2016/3601/P.

Please read in conjunction with our Emergency Department Entrance – Infill 9 Phase 6) report dated 15/06/2016. Please refer also to email date 27<sup>th</sup> April 2016 sent to Michael Cassidy (Camden Planning) from Karen Beaty-Pownall (PM Devereux)

The drawings for discharge of conditions submitted provide detailed information regarding the glazing, solid panels and colour finishes of the various elements as required.

Please note the following minor enhancements:-

#### **Gower Street Entrance**

The scale, mass and extent of the entrance lobby remain the same as the original submission. Since the 2014 approval the scheme has been progressed to detailed design during which process the following has been addressed:

- Red A&E illuminated canopy/banding has been extended along Gower Street elevation to better identify the entrance to patients when approached from the South to address the future redirection of the Gower street traffic with 'Emergency Department' signage as defined by the NHS guidance.
- The 'Red Panel' on the Gower Street elevation has been relocated to screen the self-check/ prescription payment machine from the outside.
- A spine wall adjacent to the entrance to support the entrance canopy structure and aid way finding - for eye level with 'Emergency Department' signage at the entrance as defined by the NHS guidance.
- Introduction of two additional bicycle racks.
- The pedestrian entrance hard landscape and ramps have been simplified on the basis of surveyed levels and the number ramps and steps have been reduced.

#### **Beaumont Place Entrance**

The entrance lobby size and scale has not changed. Since the 2014 approval the scheme has been progressed to detailed design during which process the following has been addressed:

- Minor extension to spine wall adjacent to the entrance has been provided to support the entrance canopy structure and for eye level with 'Paramedics Entrance' signage.
- Red A&E illuminated canopy/banding with 'Emergency Department' signage as defined by the NHS guidance.