



The A.H. Meadows Animal Health Care Facility was designed by Oglesby-Greene Inc, to provide state of the art health care and research for the Zoo's population.

The 15,000 sf structure is positioned to fit the site by nestling along the curving base of a wooded hillside. The majority of the building sits atop an existing 30' wide cleared utility easement to minimize tree removal and to link existing service roads at each end.

Due to this sensitive site response, the facility becomes a sedate setting for the animal patients. The animal treatment area is clerestoried, as it is the center of activity and operation. Emerging from this area is a trellised pedestrian pathway for staff and visitors, which provides a future connection to the master planned Savannah exhibit.

Materials were chosen that recede, endure and establish a base for future facilities within this master planned area. Materials include native sandstone/fieldstone, flat seamed zinc coated sheet metal, green tinted glass, cedar trellising, cement fiber panels, cmu, and poured-in-place concrete.



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