



Storage

FOR HEALTHCARE

CUSTOM DESIGNED STORAGE UNITS PROVIDE BETTER EFFICIENCY, CAPACITY AND SECURITY FOR MEDICAL CENTER

- WHAT:** Shands Jacksonville (formerly University Medical Center), Jacksonville, FL.
- PROBLEM:** The pathology lab and office at Shands Jacksonville were being moved into a new facility.
- OBJECTIVE:** To maximize capacity and efficiencies, while ensuring security and planning for future growth
- SOLUTION:** High-density mobile storage was selected by departmental staff.
- PRODUCT:** Spacesaver Mobile Storage Systems.

UNIQUE FEATURES

- Each system includes safety sweep and safety brake features that protect both users and items in the aisles.
- The system makes efficient use of vertical space with heavier slides at eye level and below, while the lighter blocks are in cabinets above.
- All slides and blocks have numerical reference numbers that are displayed on the ends of the rows to aid in finding and re-filing.
- Additional features on the systems protect stored items. For example, customized wood inserts cushion slides when drawers are opened or closed.
- The system has built-in controls limiting access to department employees.

BENEFITS

- Storage capacity of previous shelving was nearly doubled at half the cost.
- Lab efficiencies increased due to better organization of stored items.
- Built-in access controls and locks improved security and patient confidentiality.
- Storage density allowed the facility to keep 10 years' worth of current and archival documents in one place.
- Current storage needs were met and future storage needs will be accommodated in both areas.



"Storage capacity, department efficiency and item security have all improved, and the system has accommodated most of pathology's growing storage needs."

