

Macmillan Cancer Centre

THE BRIEF

Macmillan Cancer Support in partnership with University College London Hospital set out to develop a centre that could provide innovative and ground breaking services to put the needs of patients and families at the heart of cancer care. Patients were involved in the design of the centre including the light and airy entrance hall and uplifting colour schemes throughout. The centre's ambition is to become a leader in the provision of cancer care and provide a blue print for future developments. It set out to achieve both clinical and environmental excellence so the entire specification including the furniture needed to reflect a sustainable philosophy. JPA Furniture was successful in supplying all the furniture for the social areas across the centre.



CASE STUDY





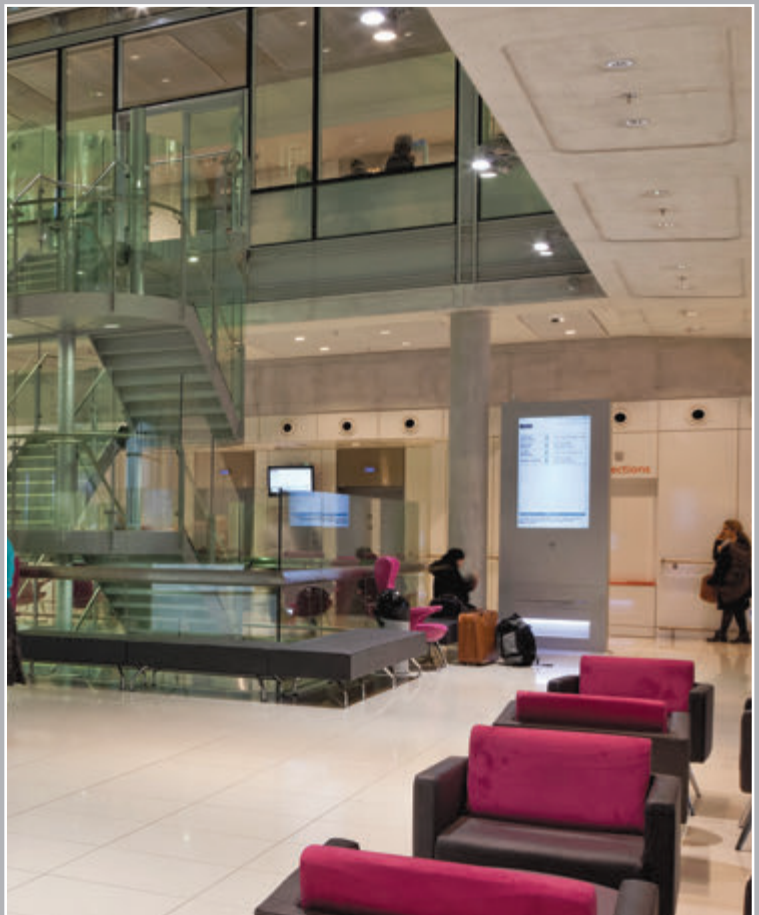
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THE SOLUTION

Working closely with the architect and the client the design included the use of natural light which would enhance the soft comforting colour palettes. Each part of the entrance hall had to provide sufficient seating both large open sofa's and but intimate areas for families and friends to sit together with privacy with high back chairs and tables. Other areas around treatment rooms and coffee area gave more relaxed seating.

THE IMPLEMENTATION

With over 500 individual units to be positioned and installed, planning was the key element in making this project successful for the client. This critical project worked smoothly with each different element, be it tables, chairs and sofas were placed in the right position first time. JPA Furniture devised a plan and ensured that careful liaison with the client and architect was maintained throughout the project.



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