




Visit in the center hospital of
Kainuu in Finland in February
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(texts and photos)

Basics of the center hospital of Kainuu

- Built in 2020.
 - New one replaced old one which was demolished finally in 2022.
- The hospital serves the area of 70 000 people (Kainuu).
 - But maternity ward brings women together around Northern Finland -> the new modern ward attracts mothers from outside of Kainuu
- The primary structure is based on unburnt materials but wood materials has been used on cladding and decoration.
 - This document presents wood materials indoor.

A photograph of a modern interior space, likely a waiting area or entrance. The space features a large, curved wall with vertical wood cladding. On the left, there is a wall with wood art, including a large yellow fish-shaped sculpture and other wooden cutouts. A sign above a doorway reads "Odotus 1" and "Huoneet 316-325". In the center, a large white oval contains the text "3rd floor: the waiting area." To the right, a large window looks out onto a snowy landscape. Above the window, there are several pendant lights and a large wooden branch sculpture. In the bottom right, a white oval contains the text "2nd floor: the entrance and the waiting area." In the bottom left, a white oval contains the text "Wood cladding between floors." In the top left, a white oval contains the text "Wood art on the wall." In the top right, a white oval contains the text "Wood art in the air."

Wood art
on the wall.

3rd floor:
the waiting
area.

Wood cladding
between floors.

Wood art
in the air.

2nd floor:
the entrance
and the
waiting area.



Wooden stairs

- There is stairs until to 4th floor.
- The stairs has been protected by strips of steel.
- Very light colour of wood will become a bit darker during aging and wearing.



4th floor


- This photo is a detail.
- This number is close to the lift.
- The number tells people it is the fourth floor.



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4rd floor:
meeting
rooms and the
restaurant.



Wood cladding
on the walls
improving room
acoustic.

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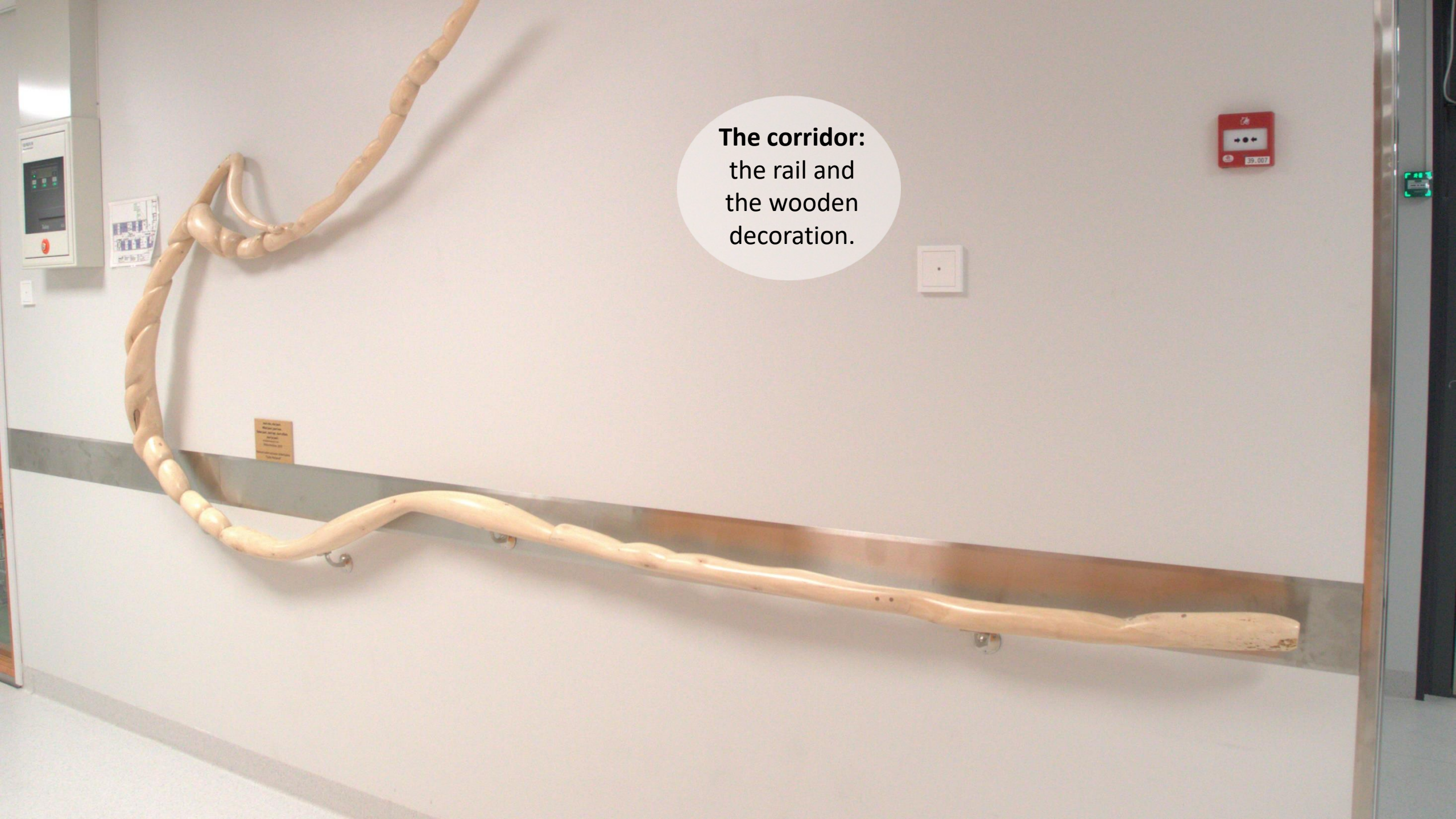
Avannehoitajan
vastaanot
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90 % of patient
rooms are like this
room

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The wood door and
two wood slices on
the wall.





The corridor:
the rail and
the wooden
decoration.

The door into
"the
rehabilitation
street".

Kuntoutuskatu

Ei potilassänkyjä
Kuntoutuskadulle

Mikäli haluat omaisena osallistua
potilaiden ruokailuun, toivomme
että tällöin ruokailu tapahtuisi
potilashuoneessa.
Kuntoutuskadulla potilaiden
ruokailussa mukana ovat hoitajat.
Kiitos!

HUOM. OSASTOLLA VIERAILLIJAT

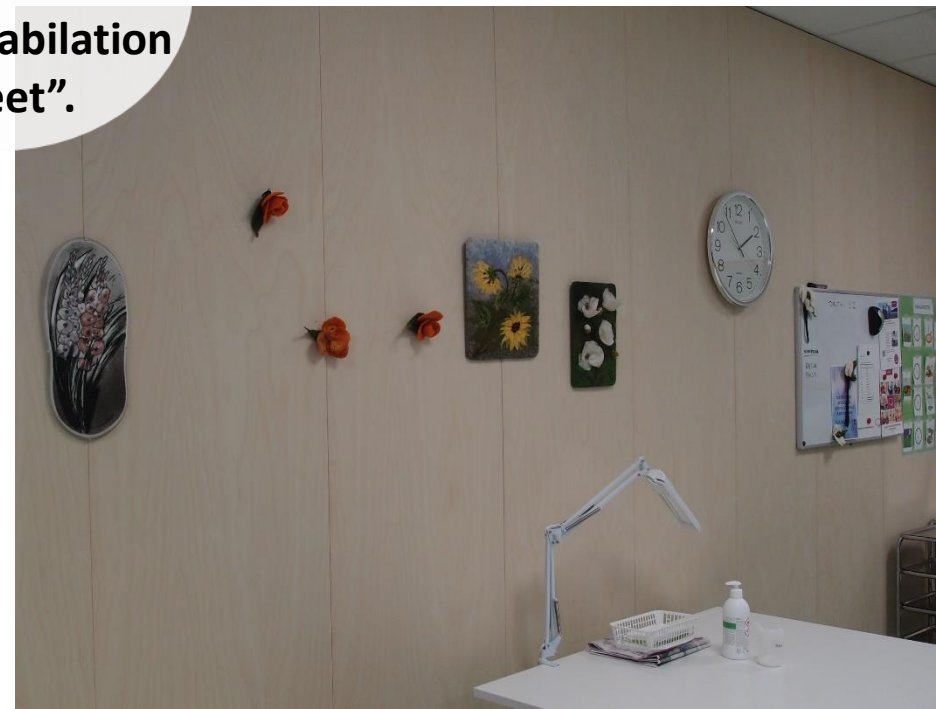
OTA HUITEY HENKSI OIKUNTAAN. ENNEN KUIN TÄRJOAT
OMANTELLEN SYÖTÄVÄÄ TÄI JUOTAVAA.

Asuunenkärschäritiä ahtattavat syömis- ja nukkemissälänsä, joiden
vauka tyyty ruuat ja juomat voinvat olla kuntoutushuone vauraksi.

Kiitos!



Wooden details
on
"the rehabilitation
street".



Thanks!
Hopefully, you
enjoyed.



Some details

- "rehabilitation corridor" is on each floor
- Wood cladding next to restaurant improves acoustic, since in the restaurant there otherwise could be lot of small noise
- In the restaurant also chairs contain wood
- There are some wooden cupboards in the corridors
- There is not wood in the patient room of retarded (undeveloped) patients - > hygiene reasons
- No wood in the emergency department, surgery operating room, kitchen and a room where instruments are taken care of (including sterilization)
- At the beginning of planning, also wooden primary structure was discussed, but it was regional fire and rescue professionals who said that it is not possible