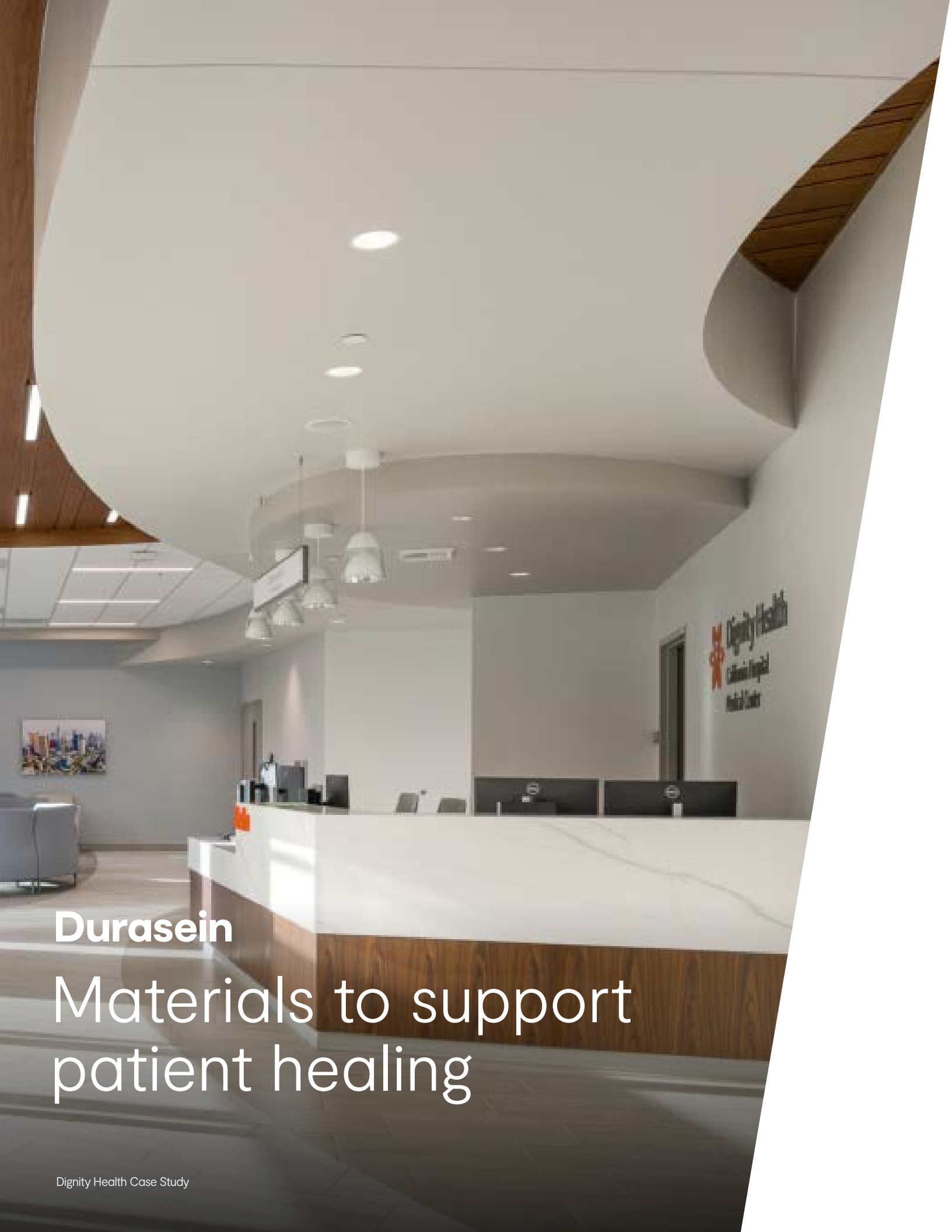




Durasein

Materials to support
patient healing



The Project

**Dignity Health Hospital and Medical Center
Los Angeles, CA
Completed 2024**

- Healthcare Sector
- Architect: Devenney Group
- Application: Check in Desks and Wall Cladding
- Material: DM5043 Ever After
- Design Build: Swinerton

The Challenge

Healthcare designers understand that soft, soothing colors and natural elements can support patient healing. However, these materials don't always align with the high-traffic demands, infection prevention requirements, and rigorous cleaning schedules of healthcare environments. Devenney Group sought materials that could withstand these challenges while providing a calming aesthetic to help ease patient anxiety.

The Materials

The designer selected Ever After from our Dreamy Collection, a best-seller and winner of *Architectural Record's* Best Architectural Products of 2023 (Kitchen and Bath). Its cool white background creates a bright, clean, and uplifting atmosphere, while the flowing wisps of gray evoke soft clouds and marbled hallways—offering patients a sense of calm and a place for their minds to wander.



DM5043
Ever After
Dreamy
Collection

The Result

Durasein Solid Surface fit those criteria while giving the design team plenty of creative latitude. They used it to coordinate several 2D and 3D applications, including the check-in desk, matching wall cladding, a counter in the lounge area, and a dramatic arc-shaped counter. Because the material can be thermoformed, it wraps around curves effortlessly, and invisible seaming keeps surfaces smooth and easy to clean.

Durasein in Healthcare

Our solid surface is surprisingly tough at heart, making it a great match for healthcare. Engineered to be scratch- and dent-resistant, it also stands up to water and stains. The material is naturally microbe-resistant, and its lack of seams means there's no place for germs to hide. Plus, even the harshest healthcare-grade cleaning chemicals won't dull its surface over time.

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