About the Project
As New York State’s largest healthcare provider and private employer, Northwell Health continuously strives to improve the health of the communities it serves and is committed to providing the highest quality clinical care and educating the current and future generations of healthcare professionals. With 23 hospital locations, one of the cornerstones of Northwell Health is North Shore University Hospital (NSUH). Located in Manhasset, NY, this healthcare institute provides a full spectrum of clinical healthcare services for patients of all ages, embodies a staff of 2,800 specialty and subspecialty physicians, and is a major university teaching hospital for the Donald and Barbara Zucker School of Medicine at Hofstra/Northwell, which spans a 58-acre campus.

Design Goals
Recently, NSUH relocated their employee entrance and wanted to incorporate a way to show their gratitude to their staff. The goal was to create a welcoming atmosphere that would promote positivity and a sense of unity in the hopes of emphasizing their sincere appreciation for their employees’ hard work and contributions. The hospital needed doors for their team entrance that were customizable and capable of withstanding high traffic abuse from the hundreds of people entering the building daily.

At a Glance:
- Acrovyn Doors by Design™ transformed NSUH’s employee entrance into a welcoming space.
- NSUH’s staff entrance exudes a feeling unity and positivity.
- Customizable doors withstand high traffic abuse day in and day out.

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Results
By teaming up with Northwell Health’s design team and project manager, Joe Unino, Construction Specialties (CS) was able to capture the hospital’s vision and turn it into a reality. Acrovyn Doors by Design’s endless customizable elements and durable, long-lasting capabilities transformed this entranceway into an inviting and uplifting space for staff to enjoy as they arrive at work. Northwell Health’s logo and signage design was imbedded behind durable PVC-free Acrovyn®, providing an engaging visual statement that unifies this highly trafficked area. NSUH employees were ecstatic about the doors to their new entrance. The stunning results prompted Northwell Health to incorporate more specialty doors into other areas of their hospitals and are currently in the process of designing their restroom doors.

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