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- Volume 2 of the five-part building monograph on Zurich-based Fawad Kazi Architects' rebuilding and extension project St Gallen's cantonal hospital (KSSG) and the new regional children's hospital for eastern Switzerland (OKS)
- The extension St. Gallen's hospital complex is one of Switzerland's most ambitious undertakings in construction for public health
- Hospitals are among the most important public construction projects that also have a powerful impact on the cityscape
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In 2011, Zurich-based architect Fawad Kazi, together with the KSSG-OKS planning consortium, won the competition for the rebuilding and extension of St Gallen's cantonal hospital (KSSG) and the new regional children's hospital for eastern Switzerland (OKS). By 2028, this huge undertaking will have transformed the whole area they are built in. This building monograph, laid out in five elegant volumes, documents in much detail the ambitious project, which is a significant trailblazer in the area of hospital design and urban development.

This second volume is devoted to KSSG's Haus 10, situated at the northern end of the site. Connected to the hospital's main building by means of an ingenious passage, it serves to treat walk-in patients. Its flexible structure allows adaptations to suit also future needs of KSSG. The interior design is based on materials and features intended also for the other new buildings still to come.

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