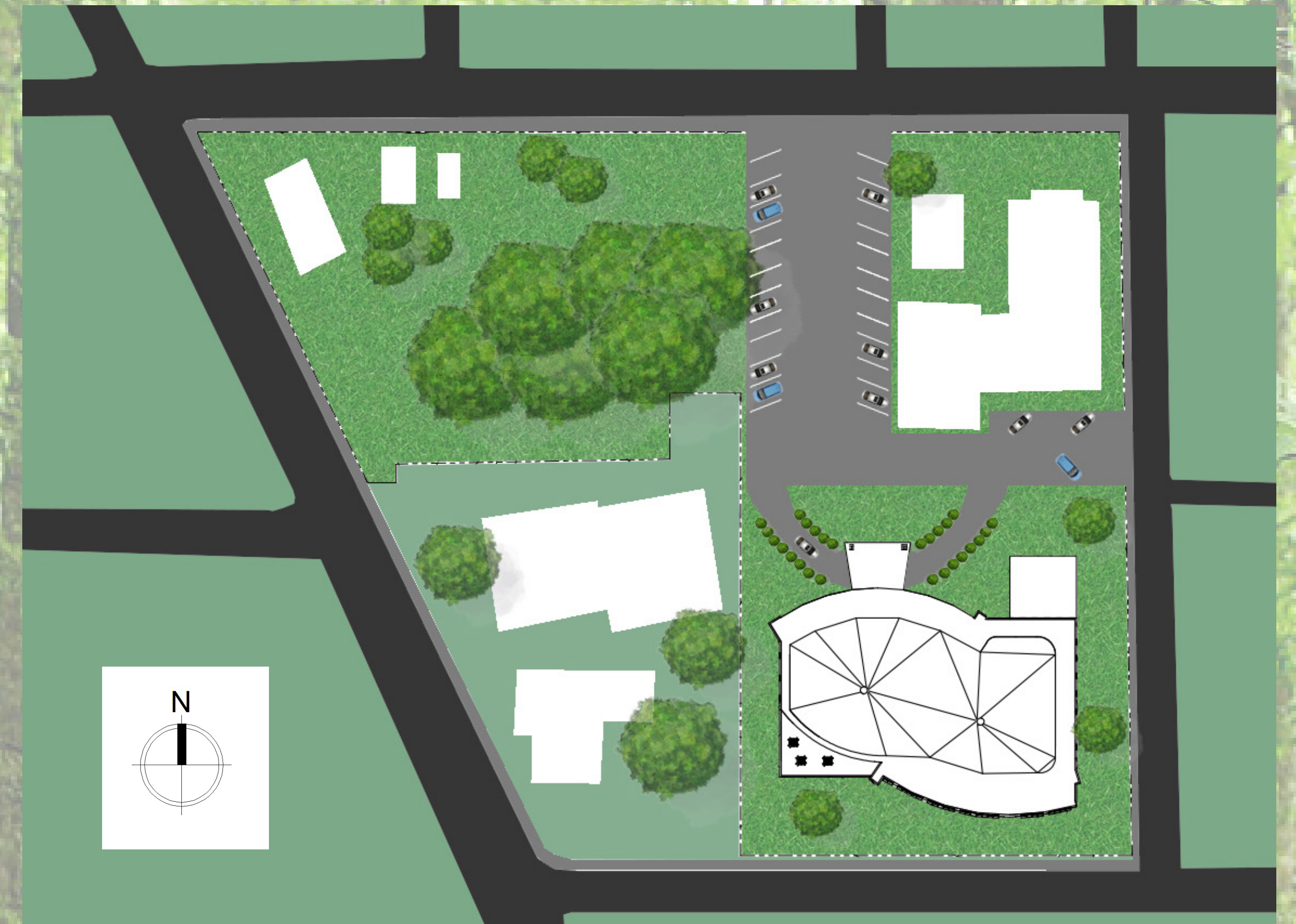


# MBC Assisted/Independent Living Facility

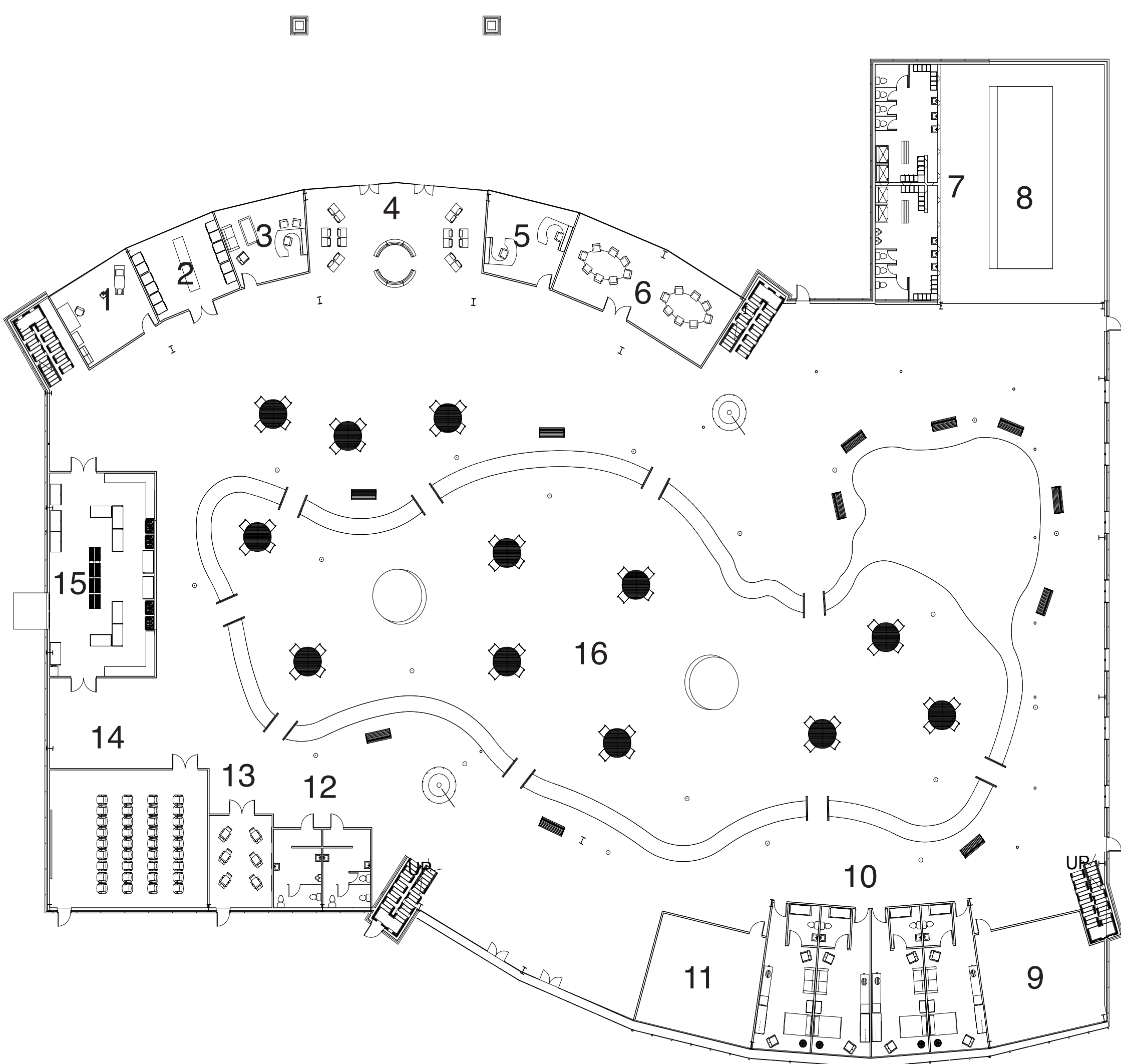
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For this project we were tasked to design a facility that housed both independent and assisted living Individuals, and also build them their own self contained community. For design of the space, I was influenced by the five senses with experience everyday, but as we age we begin to loss some of these senses. Whether it be hearing, seeing, tasting, smelling, or touch our other sense become stronger to make up for the one we loss. I wanted to create a facility that aided in loss of those senses through nature, using its soft, organic shape that are easy to look at, the earthy smell, the sound of running water, the taste of fresh air, and the feeling of nature with you touch it. I wanted to give them all of that in a controlled environment so I created an Atrium space that housed all of that. I wanted to give them the feeling that when they stepped out of their rooms, they were going out into the woods, out to theater, out to beauty shop or a night out to restaurant, but all in a controlled environment. Biophilliac Design is the best way to describe my building type. It brings people closer to nature by giving them views of nature, natural light, and comfort; doing so helps a persons well-being. Studies show with this kind design and the improvement of a persons well-being will decrease the need for medication and help a person live a longer, happier life. These design is become more popular in hospitals and retirement homes were a persons well-being plays a major roll their recovery or final years of life.

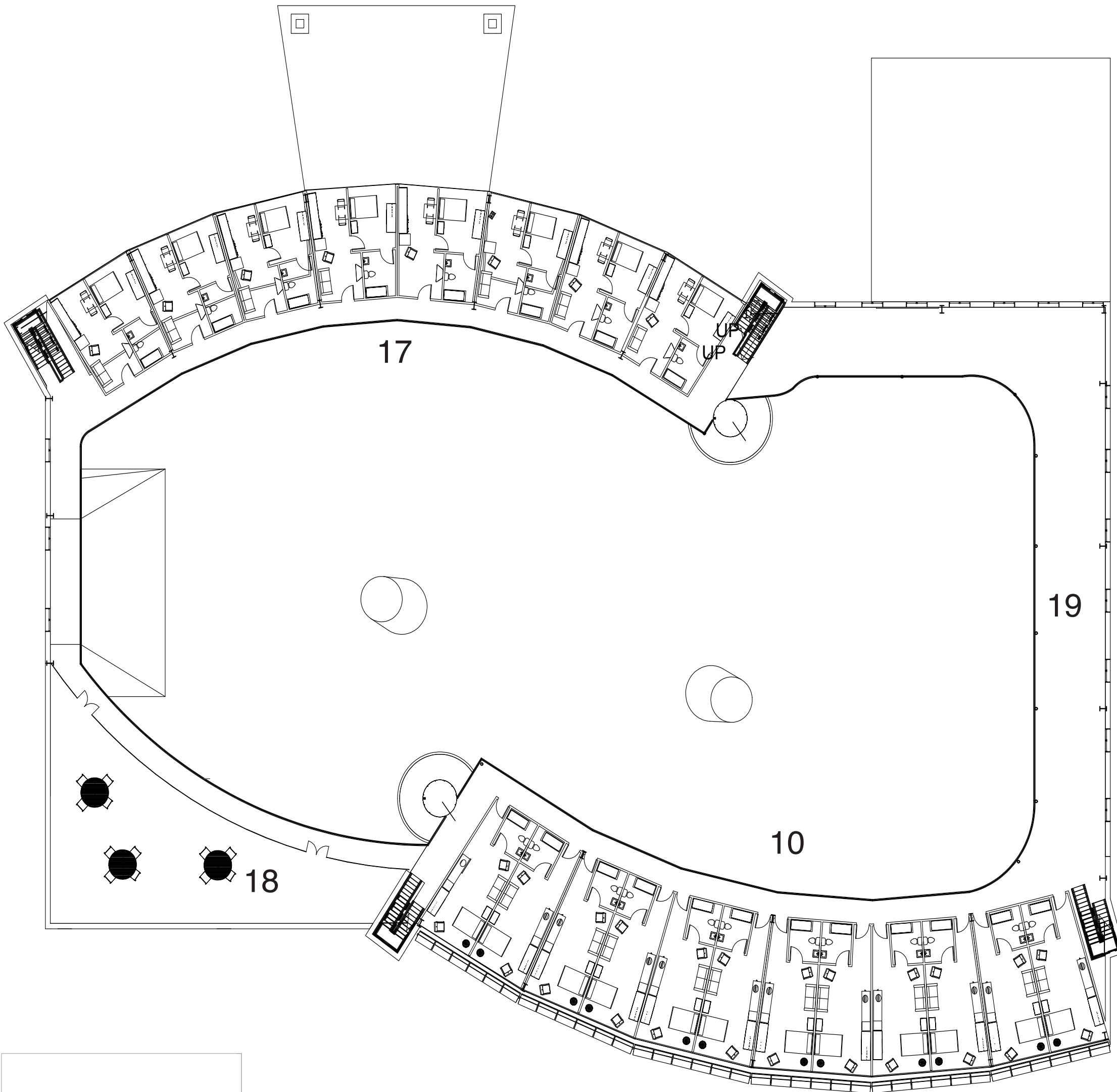




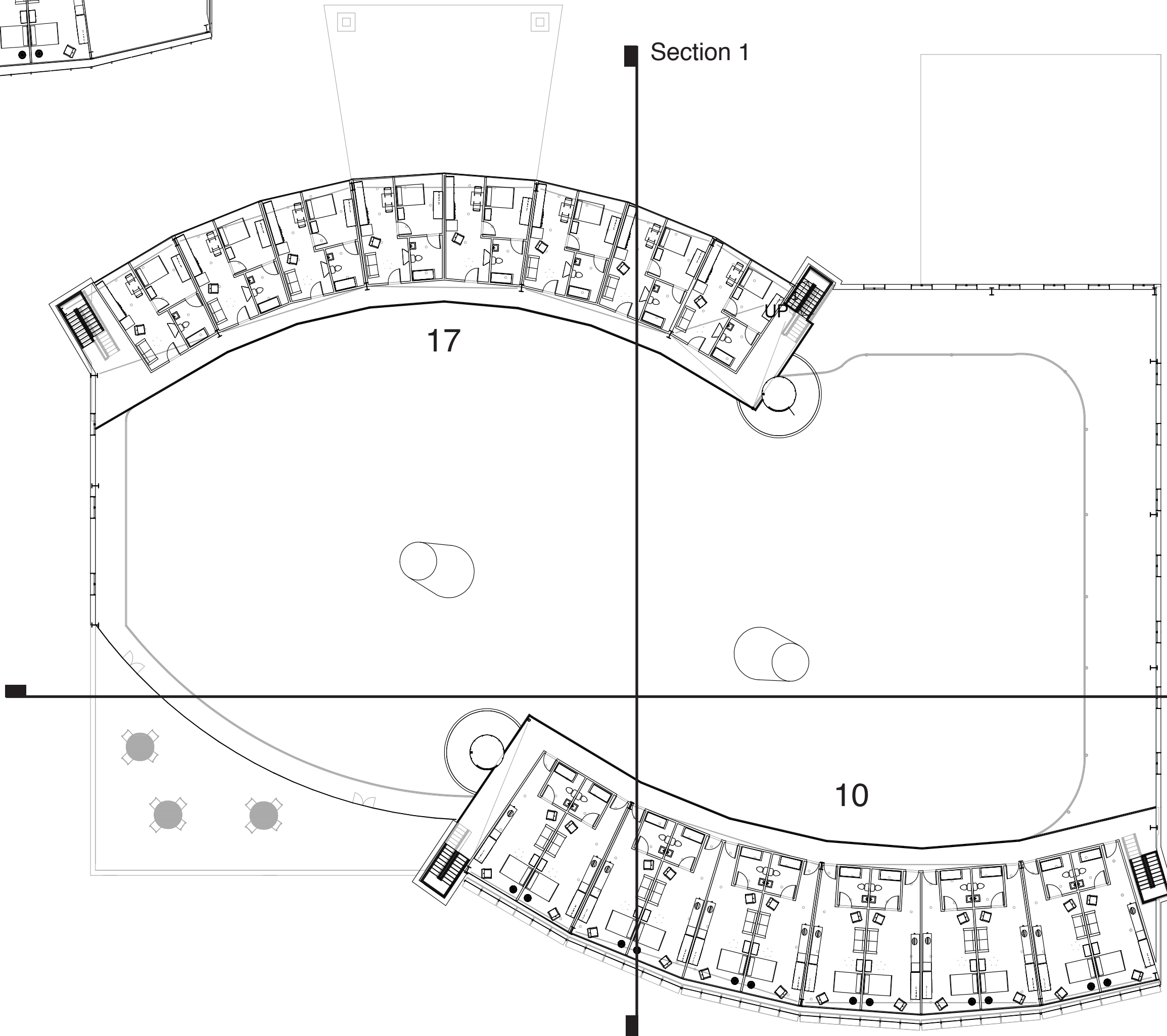
First Floor Plan



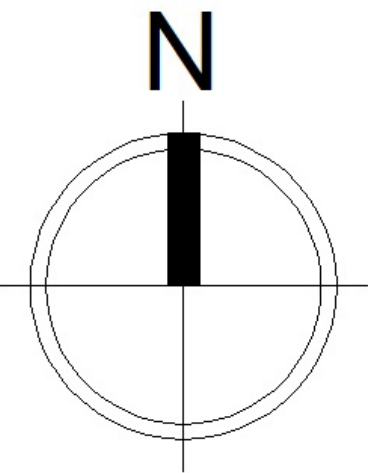
Second Floor Plan



Third Floor Plan



- 1. Nursing Station
- 2. Laundry Matt
- 3. Greeting Office
- 4. Lobby
- 5. Office Space
- 6. Gathering/Conference Space
- 7. Bathroom Shower
- 8. Pool
- 9. Reading Nook
- 10. Assisted Living Space
- 11. Maintenance Room
- 12. Bathrooms
- 13. Barbershop
- 14. Theater
- 15. Kitchen
- 16. Atrium Space
- 17. Independent Living Space
- 18. Outdoor Patio
- 19. Walking Track



North Elevation



South Elevation



West Elevation





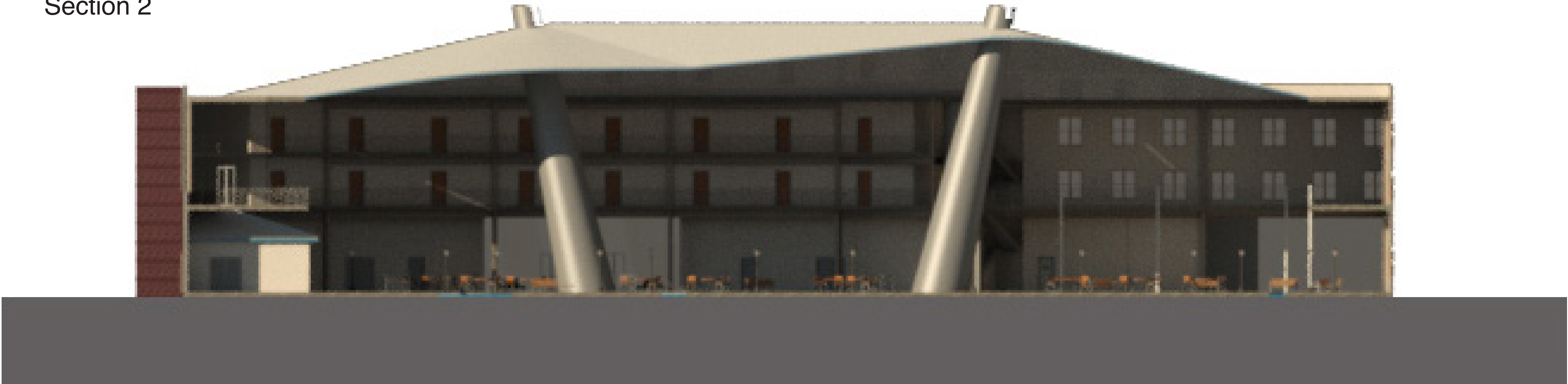
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Section 1

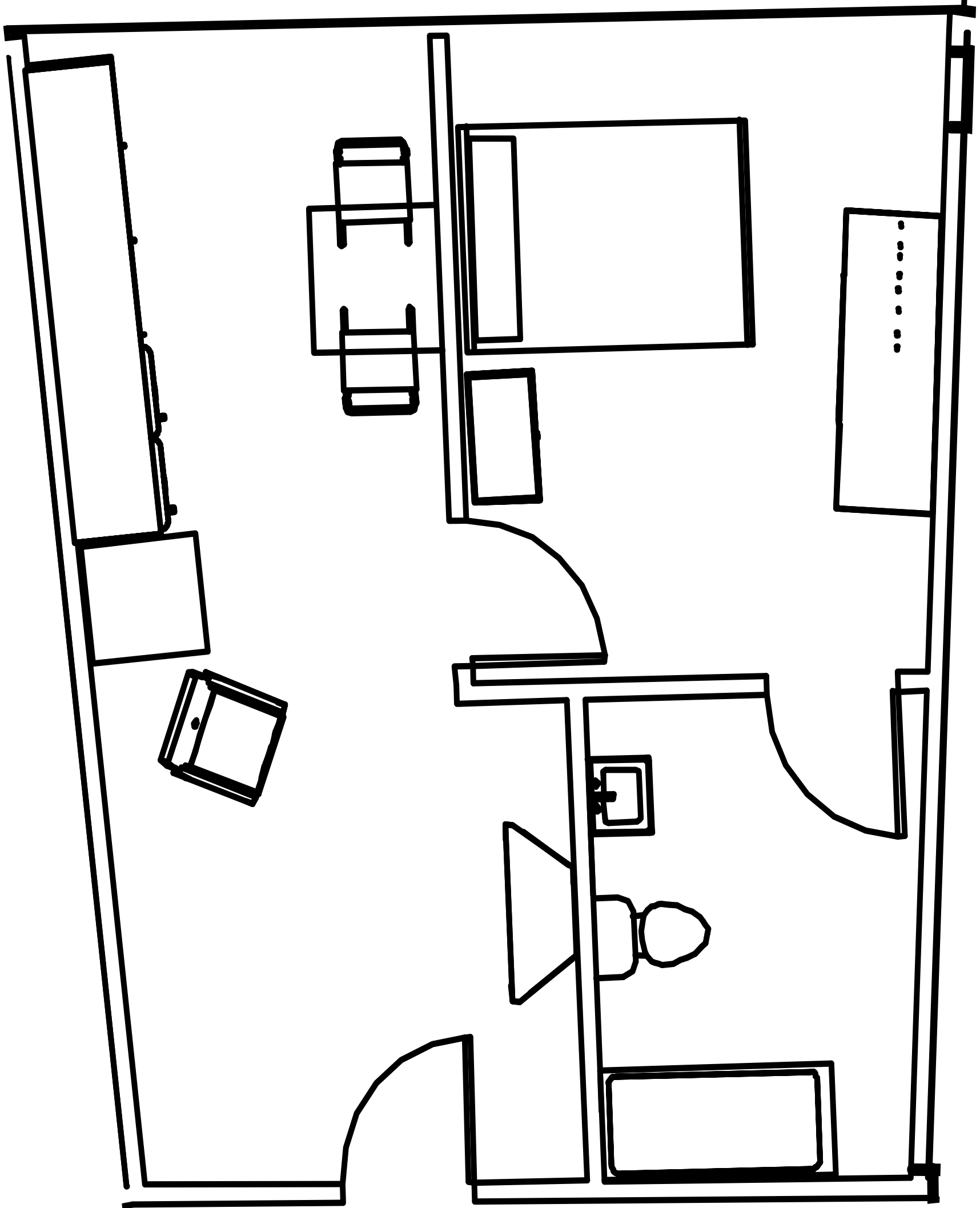


Section 2





Independent Living Space



Assisted Living Space

