



Over the last 15 years, the U.S. Navy has been quietly improving the seismic safety and earthquake preparedness of major medical facilities on the West Coast of the United States. Seismic safety programs have been developed for Naval Hospital Bremerton (NHB), Naval Medical Center San Diego (NMCSD), and Naval Hospital Twentynine Palms (NHTP) totaling nearly 2.8 million SF that combine a comprehensive seismic upgrades program with the development of a post-earthquake assessment program. These seismic programs have spawned innovations in seismic upgrade design and the tools available for the postearthquake inspection of critical facilities.



#### Seismic Retrofit

Structural engineering at Reid Middleton has focused on the design of efficient and effective seismic upgrades. Over the past seven years, we have designed more than 90 seismic upgrade and renovation projects and designed more than six million square feet of new buildings. This includes work on a variety of fire stations and critical transportation facilities, Anchorage International Airport, and essential pier facilities for the United States Navy.

#### Historic Renovation

Reid Middleton's structural engineers have experience upgrading and improving many significant older and historic structures. Our engineers appreciate that, when working with historic buildings, the best solutions are the ones that are least noticeable once construction is complete. Historic buildings are high-profile projects that require low-profile solutions. We also excel at providing informational boards and public presentations to explain what our designs will do and how they meet the community's vision of their beloved building.





#### **Public Sector Facilities**

Eighty-nine percent of Reid Middleton's projects are for public-sector clients. Each day, our engineers interact with municipalities and government agencies. As a result, we understand the issues public agencies deal with on a regular basis, and our project managers excel in working successfully with public clients.

#### Critical Infrastructure

As a regional leader in the application of Performance Based Design for critical facilities, we have developed innovative techniques to retrofit critical buildings. By using a combination of traditional construction methods with forward-looking energy dissipation and fiber-composite construction, we have been able to minimize the aesthetic impact of seismic strengthening while saving time and money. Reid Middleton's experience includes the design, renovation, and evaluation of more than 40 fire stations, and dozens of other critical buildings, military facilities, and hospitals.





# What Our Clients Say

"The seismic renovation project was complex and challenging. While our primary goal was to improve the seismic performance for the hospital, a secondary goal was to perform the work in our operational hospital without significantly impacting the medical mission. Reid Middleton utilized innovative methods to satisfy both of these goals."

Russ Kent - Facility Manager - Naval Hospital Bremerton

"In my 25 years of experience in public works projects, I have not been more impressed with a company's service capabilities than I am with Reid Middleton. From the project manager, Dave Swanson, to the project engineer, . . . the demonstrated skills, sensitivity, and a common sense approach have always been evident."

Michael Daniels - Director of Public Services - Grays Harbor County

"Their engineers have established a strong working relationship with our staff, as well as other members of the large multi-disciplinary design team. We are very satisfied with their expert engineering capability and their ability to easily communicate often complex engineering issues in simple, easy to understand terms."

Glen Fuglestad - Terminal Redevelopment Port Manager State of Alaska, Department of Transportation & Public Facilities













## About Reid Middleton

We are civil & structural engineers, surveyors, & planners. People Engineering for People.

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People count on us to look out for their safety and quality of life. We know what we do is important, and we take the responsibility seriously. The great thing about it is that we love doing it & delivering it in an uncommonly personal way.

Aviation
Hangars
Terminals
Support/ Maintenar Facilities
Academic
K-12

**Higher Education** 

Civic Centers Libraries Sports & Recreation Justice Fire Stations Senior & Youth Centers

Civic/Public

Office & Retail Banking Hospitality Mixed-Use Healthcare Hospitals Laboratories

**Special Projects Waterfront** Renovation Seismic Risk Parking Structures Marine Structures Assessment Bridge/ Over-water Seismic Retrofit Transportation Facilities Industrial Upland Structures Historic Preservation Military Code Consulting



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