

La Crosse county needs to decide whether to spend on improving infrastructure in the current Lakeview Health center or build a facility that would be more cost efficient and better able to adapt to client needs. County Administrator, Steve O'Malley.

He says it would take an estimated \$12 million to \$13 million just to restore the building to its 1970s state and a three building facility would cost about \$31.6 million, but would be eligible for Medicaid funds both for construction and operating costs. The board meets tonight.