



Front facade



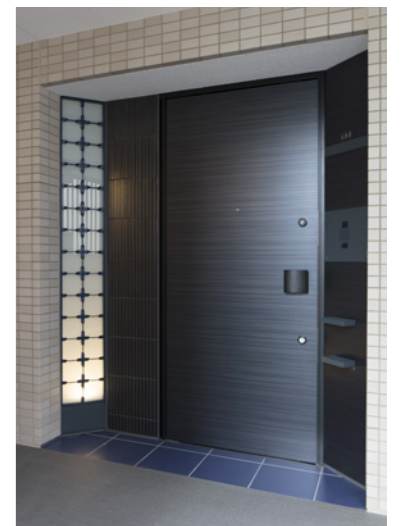
The lounge has partition with existing parts combined and memorial corner



Street facing wide-open entrance



Blue painted "Yotsuya Corporate House" dwelling unit entrance



New dwelling unit entrance which inherited the twisted grids and blue color

## ATLAS Yotsuya Honshiocho

Year of Completion : 2019  
 Location: Honshiocho 10-1, Shinjuku, Tokyo, Japan  
 Use : Apartment Building  
 Site Area: 996.52 m<sup>2</sup>  
 Building Area: 596.81 m<sup>2</sup>  
 Total Floor Area: 3,969.18 m<sup>2</sup>  
 Structure : Reinforced Concrete  
 Volume: 6 stories above ground level and 1 story below ground level

ATLAS Yotsuya Honshiocho is a reconstruction project of "Yotsuya Corporate House", which was built in 1956 as Japan's first private-owned apartment building. By creating original plans that reflects the intention of the landowner and the selection of developer, the reconstruction project was accomplished in a fairly short period of time. "Yotsuya Corporate House" adopted the revolutionary design that is duplex with many dwelling units, it is to speculate that it might have been influenced by Corbusier's 1952 completed project Unite d' Habitation in Marseille, France. The design around the entrance with the characteristic blue twisted grids of "Yotsuya Corporate House" is incorporated into the grid on the paper lanterns at the entrance of ATLAS Yotsuya Honshiocho, it is to inherit the DNA of "Yotsuya Corporate House" to ATLAS Yotsuya Honshiocho. In addition, the previous existing parts are preserved during the time of dismantling, which became the partition of twisted grids and iron doors in the lounge of the shared area. The lounge is positioned as an interaction space where the landowner and new coming residents can easily drink tea together and work. Also, there is a memorial corner that inherits the memory of "Yotsuya Corporate House", providing the preserved parts as well as books that published in the year of its completion.