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Recent CQA Program Results For Cancer Centre Outstanding

The Windsor Regional Cancer Centre recently received data from Cancer Care Ontario's (CCO) Collaborative Quality Assurance (CQA) Program showing leading edge results!

Between October 2015 and March 2016, CCO visited 14 cancer centres across Ontario to test and measure the quality and accuracy of prostate, head, neck and spine stereotactic body radiation therapy (SBRT) cancer treatments. The results show that the Windsor Cancer Centre is among the leaders in the Province for these treatments.

More specifically, the overall agreement between calculated and measured radiation doses was better than 95% for all of the treatments tested. For spine SBRT cases, Windsor's Centre ranked first in the Province, at 98.2% agreement. For prostate cases, Windsor ranked third in the Province at 99% agreement, just behind Princess Margaret and Carlo Fidani Peel Regional Cancer Programs.

The CQA Program was established to track and trend the overall accuracy and quality of the most complex radiation treatments being delivered at all the radiation programs in the Province. The challenge with these treatments is the high level of accuracy required in close calculations, treatment delivery precision and positioning reproducibility so that the Centre can be sure they deliver, sometimes very high, doses of radiation to very complex cancer target regions which often lie just millimeters away from critical normal patient structures/tissues. In a field where millimeters can make all the difference between a good and bad outcome, we should all pause to consider this accomplishment and be proud of the results.

"I want to thank the incredible team whose attention to detail and sophisticated calculations ensure our patients receive the highest possible quality and safety in their treatments." stated Monica Staley, Regional Vice President, St. Clair Cancer Program, Renal Program, Patient Relations/Legal for Windsor Regional Hospital.

These results show Cancer Centre patients can take comfort in the fact that treatment they are receiving is as good, if not better than anywhere else in the Province. The results show you don't have to go outside this region to get the best treatment available for these cancers and our patients can feel confident they are getting the best possible care right here at home.

WINDSOR EXPRESS TICKETS WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8 - 7:00PM

WFCU CENTRE - TICKETS: \$5 EACH

Tickets available for purchase at the Public Affairs / Foundation Office at both Met and Ouellette Campuses



UPCOMING EVENTS

MAR Hats On For Healthcare

Throughout Windsor-Essex www.hatonforhealthcare.com

International Women's Day

Ciociaro Club of Windsor 3745 North Talbot Road, Windsor

Windsor Express Game

For "Hats On For Healthcare" 7:00PM, WFCU Centre 8787 McHugh Street, Windsor

APR Country At Heart

Sprucewood Estate Winery 7258 County Road 50, Amherstburg

Run For Windsor

Windsor Waterfront Plaza 330 Riverside Drive East, Windsor

MAY WRH Annual Charity Golf Tournament

Essex Golf & Country Club 7555 Matchette Road, LaSalle

International Dragonboat Races

Sandpoint Beach 10300 Riverside Drive East, Windsor

Do Good Divas "A Night In Handbag Heaven" Gala Giovanni Caboto Club 2175 Parent Avenue, Windsor

VENDORS ON DISPLAY

(FEBRUARY 27, 2017 - MARCH 3, 2017)

MET CAMPUS: Lories Glass, Adrians Kids, Sunlife, Little Red Door

OUELLETTE CAMPUS: Azara Boutique

Please note: Vendors subject to change



The first step in donning personal protective equipment is to clean hands. This ensures the PPE does not get contaminated before use.

"Run For Windsor" A Community Event For Healthcare

Thanks to the Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at (Windsor Chapter), they have made a 10 year pledge commitment to raise funds for the future Windsor Regional Hospital Urgent Care Centre proposed for the Grace site through an annual "Run For Windsor' event. Www.

Announcing the initiative at the Grace site on February 15th, Run for Windsor Coordinator Pasha Qureshi stated that the first annual run/walk/family stroll will be held on Saturday, May 6, 2017 starting from the Windsor Riverfront Plaza.

Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at has been in Canada for over 50 years and their motto is "Love for All - Hatred for None". The organization has instilled a spirit of serving humanity, not just in Windsor but across all chapters in Canada. It was in this spirit that the organization launched 'Run for Canada' in 2004 as a token of appreciation and to help support local causes. Cities like Vaughan, Calgary and Milton have raised hundreds of thousands of dollars through annual runs hosted by the Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at.

They have set a goal of raising a minimum of \$500,000 over 10 years; however, they hope to raise much more through year to year 'Run For Windsor' events.

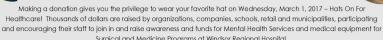
"Choosing to support the future WRH Urgent Care Centre at the former Grace site through the 'Run For Windsor' event is a great testimonial to the future of the Windsor-Essex Hospitals System," stated David Musyj, President and CEO for Windsor Regional Hospital. David went on to say, "I thank the Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at for their commitment to improve access to state-of-the-art healthcare facilities, like the Urgent Care Centre for the citizens of Windsor and Essex County, Visit the event website at www.runforwindsor.com



Photo above: David Musyj, President & CEO of Windsor Regional Hospital; Dr. Aleem, Kahn, President, AMJ and Fred Francis, Ward 4 Councillor, City of Windsor.

Get your "Hats On For Healthcare!

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 2017



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INTRODUCING NEW FACES AT WINDSOR REGIONAL HOSPITAL



Andrew Raheb REGISTERED NURSE CORONARY CARE UNIT



Diane Mitchell WFLCOME MAT **VOLUNTEER SERVICES**



Kuljeet Kalsi REGSISTERED NURSE MEDICINE 3



Stephanie Bear REGISTERED NURSE INTENSIVE CARE UNIT

Outpatient Pharmacy News

In November 2016, our two outpatient pharmacies at Met Campus, RxPress Care Pharmacy and the HIV Pharmacy, became accredited by the Ontario College of Pharmacists. Ultimately, this means that both pharmacies are now able to operate in the same capacity as any retail pharmacy in the community similar to the We Care Pharmacy at the Ouellette campus.

This newly acquired status now enables our pharmacies to fill and dispense prescriptions written by any licensed prescriber in Canada. Previously, only physicians with privileges at Windsor Regional Hospital could prescribe medications for our pharmacies. Also, we are now able to sell over-the-counter medications to our staff and public.

To recognize this significant change, the name of our pharmacies have changed. RxPress Care Pharmacy has been changed to the Windsor Regional Cancer Centre Pharmacy (ext. 52529) and the HIV Pharmacy is now called the Tecumseh Byng Pharmacy (ext. 52509).

In order to better service our patients, the Windsor Regional Cancer Centre Pharmacy will undergo a renovation and relocation within the Cancer Centre. This is exciting news as we transition and expand our services. All Met Campus staff are encouraged to use this pharmacy for their prescription and over-the-counter needs and help support our growth. Prescriptions can be easily transferred in from other pharmacies and picked up at your convenience but please allow 24 hours during this time of transition. As a courtesy, we are offering 15% off all over-the-counter products to all WRH employees, professional staff and volunteers! If we don't have it in stock, we will order it for you!!! If you have any questions please feel free to stop by or call extension 52529.

Watch for more updates in the future and thanks for everyone's patience and support as we make these significant changes.

Oshawa Generals Visit WRH

While in town for a game with the Windsor Spitfires, the Ottawa Generals Junior Hockey Team visited Paediatric Services at the Met Campus along with owner, Rocco Tullio of R.O.C.K. Developments in Windsor.

Based in Oshawa, Ontario and named after General Motors, an early sponsor of the team, the 30 member junior players donated gifts to children who were in the hospital for short stay and clinic visits.



The Ottawa Generals are part of the Eastern Division of the Ontario Hockey League. Later that evening, they played the Spitfires at the WFCU Centre with the Spits winning 7 to 1 against the Generals.



Apply or nominate a group of colleagues to be a part of the

Executive Program in Health System Innovation

The Frie St. Clair Executive Program in Health System Innovation is a first for the region and is offered in partnership with the Odette School of Business at the University of Windsor, World Health Innovation Network (WIN). The program is developed for senior level executive staff and health system leaders and includes a mentorship program composed of executive leaders and international health system innovators. Its rigorous curriculum will cultivate more innovating thinking while ensuring successful implementation.

Key dates of the program are as follows:

March 10th - Nominations Close - All packages must be received or post-marked March 28th & 29th - Session 1 (in person at the Retro Suites, Chatham,ON) April 25th - Webinar (12pm-2pm)

June 1st & 2nd - Session 2 (in person at Retro Suites, Chatham, ON)

Please Contact Sara Donally, Coordinator of Innovation & Partnerships for the Nomination Package

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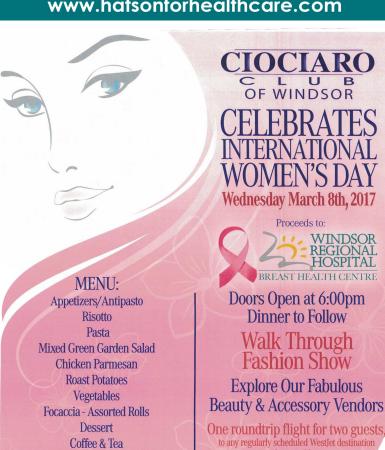
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HATS ON FOR HEALTHCARE WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 2017

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Eat Smart, Get Fit and Feel Great

The Nutrition Month 2017 campaign is dedicated to helping Canadians Take the Fight out of Food! This year we will be guiding you through a three-step approach to improve your relationship with food, no matter what the struggle.

TAKE THE FIGHT OUT OF FOOD! SPOT THE PROBLEM. **GET THE FACTS. SEEK SUPPORT.**

Eating should be joyful, not a source of everyday frustration and confusion. If you're fighting with food, try this three step approach:

- 1. Spot the problem. Define what's causing your fight with food
- 2. Get the facts. Use facts from credible sources to decide what needs to be done to solve the problem.
- 3. Seek support. Put the plan into action with support from a dietitian, family and friends.

Food and nutrition can be confusing. Sometimes it's a struggle for Canadians to know what to eat, especially because they deem the taste, nutrition, cost and convenience of food all to be important factors. Food fights can erupt, either as an internal struggle or as an argument with friends and family, because there's so much to balance when choosing what to eat. Whether the struggle is about the "right" foods for a health condition, or about feeding a family with food limitations, it's often hard to separate food facts from fiction, and to know which nutrition advice to trust.

According to Tracking Nutrition Trends 2015, almost half (49%) of Canadians get their food and nutrition information from the Internet, social media or blogs. In the last three years, there has been an increase in the number of Canadians who get their nutrition information online, and a decrease in the number who ask regulated health professionals. Unfortunately, just one-fifth (20%) of Canadians get their information from a dietitian. Given the uncertain credibility of online information, Canadians may not be getting accurate nutrition advice, which can exacerbate their food fights.

Interestingly, when Canadians are asked about the credibility of sources of nutrition information, dietitians come out on top (88% say dietitians are credible), while the Internet, social media and blogs are seen as credible sources by less than half of Canadians (40%). Canadians need help accessing regulated health care professionals such as dietitians, so they can better manage their fights with food.

This campaign will help Canadians sort through the misinformation by teaching them how to spot the food, nutrition or health issue that's behind the fight, gather credible and evidence-based facts, and seek support from family, friends and regulated health care professionals, including dietitians. This is the three-step approach: Spot the problem. Get the facts. Seek support.

Find a Dietitian at www.dietitians.ca/find

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