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*Make the best use of what is in your power, and take the rest as it happens. ~ Epictetus*

## Realignment of Services Effective October 1, 2013!

The Board of Hôtel-Dieu Grace Hospital (HDGH) and the Board of Windsor Regional Hospital (WRH) have approved the transitional realignment plan for the Windsor hospitals. Effective **October 1, 2013**, WRH will be responsible for the governance and management of the programs and services at the Metropolitan and Ouellette Campuses. HDGH will be responsible for the governance and management of the programs and services at the Tayfour campus and those off-site programs associated with the Tayfour Campus.

**For more information regarding the realignment visit [www.windsorhospitals.ca](http://www.windsorhospitals.ca).**

## Dr. Michael Lai Walk—September 28th!

Registration is open for the 4th annual 5K walk/run in memory of Dr. Michael Lai happening on Saturday, September 28, 2013. The walk/run begins at 10am at the Riverside Sportsmen Club at 10835 Riverside Dr. E. The cost to participate is \$25 (or \$25 in pledges) and includes the walk/run, t-shirt and a lunch hosted by Jacqueline Lai. Funds raised have supported a portable ultrasound for the ICU and now to support the construction of a chemotherapy room on the fourth floor. For more information visit [www.wrh.on.ca/drlaiwalkathon](http://www.wrh.on.ca/drlaiwalkathon).

## Lifeline®—Timely Interventions may avoid Readmissions

Philips Lifeline® is an easy-to-use personal response service that allows patients to summon help any time of the day or night - even if they can't speak. Speeding time to intervention can reduce potential medical complications that may result in unplanned doctor's office or emergency room visits. **Lifeline with AutoAlert®** is the FIRST medical alert pendant that automatically calls for help if a fall is detected. A portion of the proceeds of all Lifeline sales support Windsor Regional Hospital. Contact 866-784-1992 for more information.

## Do Good Divas provide funding for Patient Lounges

The Do Good Divas were recently on hand to celebrate the renovation of patient lounges for the Met Campus Medicine Units. Many thanks to all staff who supported them with donations of purses. The Do Good Divas—A Girl's Night out in Handbag Heaven will take place on October 24, 2013. Tickets are \$60 or table of 10 for \$550. For more information contact the WRH Foundation office at 52005.

### Did you know?

One of the buildings at the Ouellette Campus is the Jeanne Mance building. Jeanne Mance was a nurse from France who came to Canada and established Hôtel Dieu Hospital in Montreal Quebec.

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