





## Cambridge North Dumfries Ontario Health Team Quarterly News & Updates

# Words from the CND OHT Joint Board Committee Chair



What continues to astound me, and enables the CND OHT to continue its growth and success, is the OHT's undeniable support and collaboration amongst our Members and Affiliate Members. Collaboration is essential to grow and move forward together. We see this at the CND OHT Joint Board Committee level, but most

important are the stories we hear from those working on the ground in all of our organizations. We want to recognize and thank our Members, Affiliate Members and other partners for their continued work in serving the Cambridge North Dumfries Community during these unprecedented times. We are in this together!

As 2021 comes to an end and we continue into another wave of the pandemic, we have many successes to celebrate as an Ontario Health Team! We hosted a successful COVID-19 vaccination clinic for our community as well as supported Testing and Assessment Centre efforts. Our OHT continues to grow and we are able to offer more shared services to our community. Our planning moves forward to a post COVID-19 world, transitioning to recovery and building a stronger health care system for all.

The Cambridge North Dumfries community continues to prevail.

We wish you and your families a very happy, safe, holiday season and all the best in 2022!

Angie Asadoorian CND OHT Joint Board Committee Chair

# Welcoming Students to the CND OHT Staff

### Support Team

Welcome to Jenn Wright, Administrative Assistant Intern! Jenn will be supporting meetings of the CND OHT Operations, Steering and Joint Board Committees from January to the end of March.

Hi my name is Jenn Wright and I am very excited to be joining the Cambridge North Dumfries Ontario Health Team as a part of a co-op placement with McMaster University's Health Information Management Program. With a professional background in health information and records management as well as privacy in the mental health sector, I am thrilled to expand this scope through the OHT.





Welcome to Mackenzie Taylor, who will be supporting the CND OHT Expansion Planning Working Group and supporting the development of CND OHT protocols and policies!

Hello, I am Mackenzie Taylor, and I am thrilled to be joining the team as an intern supporting the CND OHT! I am currently completing the final year of my Honors BA in political science with a specialization in public law and judicial studies at McMaster University. I am in the process of applying to several Masters programs pertaining to the realm of public policy, and aspire to one day find a rewarding career in the public sector. This opportunity brings me one step closer to attaining my goals, and I could not be more grateful.

### **CND OHT News**



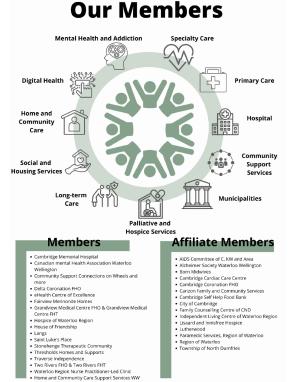
#### Visit with Ontario Health Leadership

On Thursday December 2nd, the CND OHT hosted a visit with Matt Anderson, President and CEO, and Susan deRyk, Chief Regional Officer of the Central and West Regions, from Ontario Health.

This meeting was a unique opportunity to share the CND OHT's successes around the CND OHT COVID-19 Response and the trusting relationships that have been built amongst our Members over the last year. We also spoke with Matt and Susan about the future of Ontario Health Teams and our collaboration with Ontario Health in our next phase of OHT implementation.

# **CND OHT Member & Affiliate Member Updates**

Cambridge North Dumfries OHT



We would like to showcase your work and share your news! If your organization has any updates or announcements that you would like shared broadly across the Cambridge North Dumfries OHT, please forward the information to Havva Kemal, CND OHT Communications Coordinator havvak@langs.org to assist with distribution.

# **CND OHT Employment Opportunities**

We are growing our team! The Cambridge North Dumfries Ontario Health Team is currently recruiting for the following positions:

- <u>CND OHT Quality Project Manager</u>
- CND OHT Patient Engagement & Clinician Liaison

If you have any questions regarding the postings, please reach out to usCNDOHT@langs.org.

### **Highlighted OHT Resources & Upcoming Events**

#### Ministry of Health Resources to Support OHT Implementation

#### Launch of the OHT Supports Events Calendar

The Ministry of Health, in partnership with the Rapid Improvement Support and Exchange (RISE) team, and partners in the OHT Central Program of Supports are pleased to announce the launch of the new <u>OHT Supports Events Calendar</u>.



Following the Winter 2021 launch of the OHT Virtual Engagement Series, the ministry, Ontario Health, and supports partners continue to renew our approach to engagement and sharing information to better support teams to achieve key milestones and advance the OHT model.

The OHT Supports Events Calendar now offers one central online location for teams at all stages of implementation to easily find information on learning and engagement events offered through the OHT Central Program of Supports and other health-system partners (e.g., webinars, information sessions).

The calendar is designed to support OHTs as they learn and improve rapidly in their use of a populationhealth management approach and strengthen the eight OHT building blocks.

#### The OHT Supports Events Calendar features:

- Upcoming events, including registration links and key information about the event.
- Past events, including presentation materials and recordings (where available).
- An open search function to easily find information on upcoming and past events through filters that help OHTs zero in on events by host, target audience, OHT building block, and more.

As an OHT stakeholder, you are encouraged to link directly with these resources for updates, to stay informed of upcoming events and to access resources from past events! Please: • Visit the OHT Supports Events Calendar here to register for upcoming OHT events and access resources from past events.

• <u>Sign up</u> for regular event updates to receive communications from RISE twice a month highlighting information on upcoming OHT supports events.

# **Member Agency Spotlight**

#### **Grandview Medical Centre FHT**



Grandview Medical Centre FHT is proud to be a member of the CND OHT. It has fostered many collaborative relationships with not only other Primary Care offices but other sectors of the health care system. By learning from these other partners, we will have a better understanding of how to wrap community services around the patient.

Jeff Poll Executive Director Grandview Medical Centre FHT

# **Connect With Us**



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