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Halton Healthcare seeks community input into new Strategic Plan: *Pathway 2020*

(Halton Hills/Milton/Oakville, ON) March 12, 2015 – Halton Healthcare wants input from the community into *Pathway 2020*, its new five-year Strategic Plan.

"This is an exciting time for Halton Healthcare. The major infrastructure projects at our three hospitals are well in hand. Now we are embarking on a strategic planning process to chart the future pathway for our hospitals," said Denise Hardenne, President and CEO, Halton Healthcare. "We are reaching out to the people in the communities we serve in Halton Hills, Milton and Oakville and inviting them to join the conversation about *Pathway 2020* and help us create our vision."



When Halton Healthcare was established in 1998, the Mission and Vision were clear: revitalize and expand the hospitals to match the growth and aging needs of the communities of Oakville and Milton. This direction grew to include Halton Hills when Georgetown Hospital joined Halton Healthcare in 2006.

"The completed Georgetown Hospital project is delivering amazing results. This spring, we will break ground on a significant expansion of Milton District Hospital. In December we will open the New Oakville Hospital," said Ms Hardenne. "We are developing strategies to leverage these investments in facilities and technology to improve the patient experience. We are reaching out to our patients and their families, our communities and our healthcare partners to hear what they have to say."

Pathway 2020 Community Outreach

Public Consultations

Halton Healthcare hopes that the members of our community will take some time to offer their vision of the future of our hospitals. There are a number of ways the community can get engaged.

Community Intercepts

Halton Healthcare's Vice President, Strategy, Mark Walton, will be out in the communities of Halton Hills, Milton and Oakville over the next several weeks to ask you some questions about our hospitals. If you see the Halton Healthcare *Pathway 2020* logo in your local mall or coffee shop, please take the time to talk to Mark and share your thoughts about the future of healthcare in your community.

Complete a survey or offer feedback by e-mail

Halton Healthcare is asking members of its communities to offer their feedback by completing a confidential online survey, or by sharing their thoughts via e-mail. For more details on how you can share your ideas, please visit haltonhealthcare.on.ca/Pathway2020.

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About Halton Healthcare

Halton Healthcare is a progressive, multi-site healthcare organization comprised of three community hospitals - Georgetown Hospital (GH), Milton District Hospital (MDH) and Oakville-Trafalgar Memorial Hospital (OTMH). Together these hospitals provide healthcare services to more than 325,000 residents in the communities of Oakville, Milton and Halton Hills. For more information, visit www.haltonhealthcare.com. Follow us on Twitter @HaltonHlthcare.

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