

Project X Improves Patient Care



New portable digital X-Ray machine is now in use at Georgetown Hospital

The Georgetown Hospital Foundation's \$1.5M Project X campaign continues to advance in its quest to acquire leading-edge digital equipment for Georgetown Hospital.

The campaign is raising funds for the purchase of two digital X-ray machines, two portable digital X-ray machines and a mini C-arm (an X-ray device used to capture images during surgical procedures).

One of the two portable digital X-ray machines has already been purchased for the hospital using the funds raised at The President's Cup golf tournament in July and the Walk or Run for Georgetown Hospital last month.

The new portable machine, which is now in use at the Hospital, allows our sickest patients to have their images taken and viewed immediately at the bedside, thus providing a more convenient examination and both a quicker diagnosis and treatment.

Are you interested in contributing to or learning more about Project X? Call the Foundation at 905-873-0111, ext. 8241

The Flu Ends with U



Wondering where to get your flu shot this year? The Halton Region Health Department is offering flu clinics for families that have children under five years of age. Visit the Halton Region website – www.halton.ca – to book your appointment or to find out where to get your free flu immunization in the community.

During the flu season, please be aware of the risk to patients in the hospital and do not visit if you are ill or feeling unwell. When you do visit, please remember to wash your hands thoroughly at the hospital. Washing your hands is one of the best ways to avoid getting the flu!

Opening Milton District Hospital Expansion



The opening of the Milton District Hospital (MDH) Expansion marks the completion of Halton Healthcare's three major capital projects which also included the new

1.6 million square foot Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital build and the redevelopment of the Georgetown Hospital's Emergency and Diagnostic Imaging Departments.

To celebrate this historic milestone, Premier Kathleen Wynne, joined by the Honourable Eric Hoskins, Minister of Health and Long Term Care, the Honourable Indira Naidoo-Harris, Minister of the Status of Women and Minister Responsible for Early Years and Child Care, paid a special visit to Milton on Friday, September 29, to attend the ribbon

cutting ceremony for the Milton District Hospital (MDH) Expansion. The event, held two days before the expansion opened on October 1, 2017 signified the start of a new era for healthcare in Milton.

Visiting Milton District Hospital?

Maps and directions, including videos, can be found on Halton Healthcare's website at haltonhealthcare.com.