



LHINSight

LHINSight is the Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant Local Health Integration Network (HNHB LHIN) electronic newsletter. Please share it with colleagues, clients, friends and family.

Strategic Vision: Creating a health care system that helps keep people healthy, gets them good care when they are sick, and will be there for our children and grandchildren.

Strategic Aim: Dramatically improve the patient experience through quality, integration and value.

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Update from the Board Meeting

The complete minutes from the April 24, 2013 Board business meeting will be posted following approval at the May 29, 2013 business meeting. In the meantime, please read through some of the highlights from meeting.

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McMaster launches new Geriatric Certificate Program

The field of Geriatrics is an increasingly challenging practice that requires advanced training. The department of Geriatric Medicine at McMaster University has put forth another excellent opportunity to further develop the skills and training of HNHB care providers thanks to the launch of the Geriatric Certificate Program.

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New Heart Investigation Unit Promotes Closer Quality Care for Niagara Residents

A strong partnership between Hamilton Health Sciences (HHS) and Niagara Health System (NHS) is bringing a new Heart Investigation Unit (HIU) to the new St. Catharines site of NHS. Highlighted by cardiac catheterization testing, more than 1,000 patients are expected to be cared for in the unit over the next year.

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Spotlight shines on seniors in 2013 Emergency Preparedness Week

Each year Emergency Preparedness (EP) Week is a nation-wide initiative that is geared towards helping individuals and families create plans ahead of time for emergency scenarios. This year EP Week is focusing on how best to help seniors and older adults ensure that they are ready for those unique situations.

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How Health Links will Transform Care in our Communities

As the HNHB LHIN continues to help progress the development of Health Links within our region it is important to let people know how this new way of working together will continue to improve the patient experience and care.

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Events Calendar

Check out upcoming events in the HNHB LHIN including the **HNHB LHIN Board of Directors business meeting on May 29, 2013.**

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