

Mrs Rhoda Aronson

The Honourable Doug Ford
The Honourable Christine Elliot
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It has come to my attention that there are proposed changes to our health care system.

I have concerns about Bill 175, which if implemented will change our home and community care systems as we know these. I believe in this time of crisis, we have to be very careful, and take a lot of thought to ensure our systems have proper standards, oversight, staffing, and skilled management. We have seen how this has played out, both to the very good, and very bad in this current time of COVID-19.

I have concerns as well about the recent contract for RNs that does not even cover the cost of living. If we want to retain our professionals, and encourage others to become professionals in our Health Care system, we must pay them appropriately. This applies equally to all health care professionals.

Our Health Care system requires some changes – easier access to doctors, hospitals, urgent care / after hours clinics, home care, and long term care. This must be done in a respectful and thoughtful way.

Our health and our futures are at stake. Please take the time to listen to knowledgeable health care professionals and community groups. I request that you please forward a copy of my email to the Public Hearing committee reviewing Bill 175 Connecting People to Home Care. Thank you for your attention to this critical matter.

Yours truly,
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