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Georgetown Hospital Foundation Hosts Breakfasts in Acton and Georgetown

(Halton Hills, ON) February 1, 2016 – The Georgetown Hospital (GH) Foundation is hosting a *Pancakes and Patient Care Community Breakfast* in both Acton and Georgetown this February. These events will feature Cindy McDonell, Chief Operating Officer of the Georgetown Hospital speaking about how the patient experience is being transformed at GH.

“Our Georgetown Hospital has always enjoyed the unwavering support of the community we serve. In 2014, thanks to an incredibly collaborative community partnership involving the Town of Halton Hills, our Georgetown Volunteer Association and the Georgetown Hospital Foundation, we successfully expanded our Hospital's Emergency Department, purchased our first CT Scanner, renovated and expanded the Diagnostic Imaging Department, and introduced new digital mammography technology,” said Cindy McDonell, Chief Operation Officer of GH. “This momentous effort has provided our hospital with new technology and more functional treatments spaces so our growing community can access more medical services, closer to home. It has also allowed us to start transforming the patient experience at our hospital.”

“The Georgetown Hospital is the heart of our community – always there when we need it to provide high quality, compassionate care,” said Allan Kogon, Board Chair of the Georgetown Hospital Foundation. “Our Georgetown Hospital Foundation is dedicated to ensuring that our hospital is equipped to offer top-quality, compassionate healthcare for everyone today and into the future. Our efforts help put vital new medical equipment into the hands of our clinicians.”

“These breakfasts are a great opportunity to learn about the Georgetown Hospital and our Foundation, meet Cindy and hear some of her inspiring stories – and we can do it together over a hot plate of pancakes,” continues Mr. Kogon, Board Chair of the Georgetown Hospital Foundation. “What a great way to start the day. We invite everyone to join us!”

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The breakfast will be held in both Acton and Georgetown as follows:

Acton

Tuesday, February 9, 2016 - 7:30 am to 8:45 am

Acton Town Hall - 19 Willow St. North, Acton

Georgetown

Thursday, February 11, 2016 – 7:30 am to 8:45 am

The Club at North Halton Healthcare - 363 Maple Avenue, Georgetown

Anyone planning to attend these breakfasts is asked to RSVP to Jennifer McNally, Manager, Annual Giving and Special Events, Georgetown Hospital Foundation: jmcnally@haltonhealthcare.com, 905-873-0111, ext. 8241

About Georgetown Hospital Foundation

The Georgetown Hospital Foundation is the fundraising arm of Georgetown Hospital. The Foundation plays a key role partnering with the communities within Halton Hills to ensure that the Georgetown Hospital is equipped to provide high quality patient care today and into the future.

About Halton Healthcare:

Halton Healthcare is a regional healthcare organization comprised of three community hospitals - Georgetown Hospital, Milton District Hospital and Oakville-Trafalgar Memorial Hospital. Together these hospitals provide healthcare services to more than 325,000 residents in the communities of Halton Hills, Milton, and Oakville. Halton Healthcare hospitals have been recognized for their best practices in a number of patient safety and patient care initiatives. For more information, visit www.haltonhealthcare.com. Follow us on Twitter @HaltonHlthcare.

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