

HELP SAVE YOUR HOSPITAL

What does the Niagara District Health Council's future vision of our health care mean to you?

What the Health Council says:

(1)"The most specialized level of health care will be provided by a State-of-the-Art Hospital and Emergency service, which are supported by satellite Ambulatory Clinics."

(2)"It is expected that there will be fewer Hospitals in Niagara's Health System."

(3)"Niagara's Health System will be Led and Managed by a single Local Organisation."

What this Could mean for You and Your Family:

- Instead of a 24 hour Emergency service there will be a Walk-in Clinic open 12 hours per day but no service at night.
- No hospital beds for Intensive Care, Maternity, Paediatrics and Surgical Patients.
- A 30 minute car or ambulance ride (if available) to the nearest Hospital.
- Small hospitals will likely be targeted for closure.
ie: **Douglas Memorial Hospital**
- This means a Regional Health Board similar to Regional Government with Fort Erie having very little voice.

IF YOU CARE ABOUT YOUR COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

PLEASE JOIN US

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1996
ST. PAULS PARISH CHURCH HALL
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Any time between 2:00 and 9:00 PM**

Prepared by concerned citizens