

# BUILDING A NEW WEST LINCOLN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL



## About the new West Lincoln Memorial Hospital (WLMH)\*

- ▶ **Size:** Maximum of 119,705 square feet
- ▶ **Estimated Cost:** \$200 M
- ▶ **Includes:**
  - 56 Inpatient beds
  - 8 Nursery bassinets
  - 5 Labour birthing and recovery suites
- ▶ **Programs:**
  - Acute Inpatient Services
  - Emergency Department
  - Ambulatory Services
  - Complex Continuing Care
  - Maternal and Newborn Services
  - Day Surgical Services and Endoscopy

\*Functional program requirements provided by Ministry of Health

## Reflects Community Vision

The Ontario Ministry of Health's planning parameters reflects the *Our Healthy Future* vision for a new WLMH, developed in consultation with staff, physicians, partners and the community including:

Four anchor programs:

- ▶ 24-hour emergency care
- ▶ Maternal/newborn health for low-risk births
- ▶ Community surgery, featuring an innovative day surgery model with four surgical suites including endoscopy and minor procedures (an increase of two new surgical suites)
- ▶ Community medicine:
  - Focus on healthy aging and seniors' care
  - Specialty clinics, including General Internal Medicine Rapid Assessment Clinic and sub-specialty clinics
  - Advanced diagnostics, including X-ray, mammography, echocardiography and ultrasound, and CT scanner

## Additional Features

- ▶ To be built on same property, behind the existing facility
- ▶ Larger than current facility by 30%
- ▶ Focus on modern approaches to care and compliant with current standards including:
  - Patient and family-centered care, including senior-friendly design principles
  - Infection prevention and control (80% single-patient rooms)
  - Accessibility (Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act standards)
  - Provincial standards for space, including patient rooms, Emergency Department and Operating Room suites
- ▶ Expanded clinic space to bring specialty consultant services closer to West Niagara