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March 6, 2026

Mayo Hawco
Chief Executive Officer
Gateway Community Health Centre
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Tweed, ON K0K 3J0
Email: mhawco@gatewaychc.org

Dear Mayo Hawco,

Re: CCA s. 22 Notice and Extension of Multi-Sector Service Accountability Agreement ("Extending Letter")

The *Connecting Care Act, 2019* ("CCA") requires Ontario Health ("OH") to notify a health service provider when OH proposes to enter into, or amend, a service accountability agreement with that health service provider.

OH hereby gives notice and advises Gateway Community Health Centre (the "HSP") of OH's proposal to amend each multi-sector service accountability agreement (as described in the CCA) currently in effect between OH and the HSP (each "SAA").

Subject to the HSP's acceptance of this Extending Letter, each SAA will be amended with effect on March 31, 2026 as set out below. All other terms and conditions of each SAA will remain in full force and effect.

The terms and conditions in each SAA are amended as follows:

1) **Term** – In section 2.1, "March 31, 2026" is deleted and replaced by "March 31, 2027".

2) **Schedules** – The Schedules in effect on March 31, 2026 shall remain in effect until March 31, 2027, or until such other time as may be agreed to in writing by OH and the HSP.

Unless otherwise defined in this letter, all capitalized terms used in this letter have the meanings set out in each SAA.

Please indicate the HSP's acceptance and agreement to the amendments described in this Extending Letter by signing below and returning one scanned copy of this letter by e-mail no later than the end of business day on **Monday March 30, 2026** to: OH-East_Submissions@ontariohealth.ca.

The HSP and OH agree that the Extending Letter may be validly executed electronically, and that their respective electronic signature is the legal equivalent of a manual signature.

Should you have any questions regarding the information provided in this Extending Letter, please contact Alex Russell, Lead, Performance, Accountability and Funding Allocation at Alexander.Russell@ontariohealth.ca or at 343.300.6911.

Sincerely,



Signature

Paul Caines on behalf of Eric Partington
Vice President, Performance, Accountability and Funding Allocation
Ontario Health East

c: Kathy Talsma, Board Chair, Gateway Community Health Centre
Scott Ovenden, Chief Regional Officer, Toronto and East, Ontario Health
Paul Caines, Director, Performance, Accountability and Funding Allocation, Ontario Health East
Alex Russell, Lead, Performance, Accountability and Funding Allocation, Ontario Health East

Signature page follows

AGREED TO AND ACCEPTED BY

Gateway Community Health Centre

By:



_____ Date: March 9, 2026
mm/dd/yyyy

Mayo Hawco,
Chief Executive Officer
I have authority to bind the health service provider.

And By:



_____ Date: March 9, 2026
mm/dd/yyyy

Kathy Talsma,
Board Chair
I have authority to bind the health service provider.