

## *South East Local Health Integration Network Supports Quality Care For Patients* **Investing In Hospital Upgrades in the South East LHIN**

### **NEWS**

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The South East Local Health Integration Network (SE LHIN) is investing in upgrades to local hospitals to ensure they offer high quality care to local residents.

The South East LHIN is supporting infrastructure upgrades at the following hospitals:

- **\$ 794,695 - Quinte Healthcare Corporation**
- **\$ 385,086 - Brockville General Hospital**
- **\$ 374,130 - Kingston General Hospital**
- **\$ 240, 858 - Providence Care St. Mary's of the Lake Hospital**
- **\$ 213, 265 - Hotel Dieu Hospital**
- **\$ 187,168 - Lennox and Addington County General Hospital**
- **\$ 374, 422 - Perth and Smith's Falls District Hospital**

Hospitals will use these funds for structural upgrades, as well as heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems improvements, alongside other updates. The upgrades will ensure that hospitals comply with health and safety standards, and offer an efficient and safe environment in which to provide patients the best possible care.

### **QUOTES**

"We're continuing to invest in the hospitals in our area so they can provide the highest quality of front line patient care to residents within the South East. These investments will ensure hospitals have efficient and safe facilities to deliver effective care."

- **Georgina Thompson, SE LHIN Board Chair**

"Good patient care requires hospitals to be in proper working conditions. Our government wants to ensure that hospital patients are receiving care under the best and safest conditions and we invest in upgrades in the South East LHIN on a regular basis so that hospitals can offer the best possible facilities to patients."

- **Leona Dombrowsky, MPP Prince Edward-Hastings**

### **QUICK FACTS**

- The upgrade funding is provided through the government's Health Infrastructure Renewal Fund, which allows hospitals to decide where to invest the money and lets them proceed quickly with projects.

### **LEARN MORE**

Find out more about the [Health Infrastructure Renewal Fund](#).

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