

H-SAA AMENDING AGREEMENT

THIS AMENDING AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") is made as of the 1st day of April, 2015

BETWEEN:

NORTH WEST LOCAL HEALTH INTEGRATION NETWORK (the "LHIN")

AND

ST. JOSEPH'S CARE GROUP (the "Hospital")

WHEREAS the LHIN and the Hospital (together the "Parties") entered into a hospital service accountability agreement that took effect April 1, 2008 (the "H-SAA");

AND WHEREAS pursuant to various amending agreements the term of the H-SAA has been extended to March 31, 2015;

AND WHEREAS the LHIN and the Hospital have agreed to extend the H-SAA for a further six month period to permit the LHIN and the Hospital to continue to work toward a new multi-year H-SAA and to complete new Schedules for the 2015–16 fiscal year;

NOW THEREFORE in consideration of mutual promises and agreements contained in this Agreement and other good and valuable consideration, the parties agree as follows:

1.0 Definitions. Except as otherwise defined in this Agreement, all terms shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the H-SAA. References in this Agreement to the H-SAA mean the H-SAA as amended and extended.

2.0 Amendments.

2.1 Agreed Amendments. The H-SAA is amended as set out in this Article 2.

2.2 Term. This Agreement and the H-SAA will terminate on September 30, 2015.

3.0 Effective Date. The amendments set out in Article 2 shall take effect on April 1, 2015. All other terms of the H-SAA shall remain in full force and effect.

4.0 Governing Law. This Agreement and the rights, obligations and relations of the Parties will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Province of Ontario and the federal laws of Canada applicable therein.

5.0 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which will be deemed an original, but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument.

6.0 Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter contained in this Agreement and supersedes all prior oral or written representations and agreements.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Parties have executed this Agreement on the dates set out below.

NORTH WEST LOCAL HEALTH INTEGRATION NETWORK

By:  April 20/15
Joy Warkentin, Chair Date

And by:  April 20/15
Laura Kokocinski, Chief Executive Officer Date

ST. JOSEPH'S CARE GROUP

By:  March 25, 2015
Gary Johnson, Chair Date

And by:  March 25, 2015
Tracy Buckler, President and Chief Executive Officer Date

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March 17, 2015

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President and Chief Executive Officer
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K.S.
Courrier K. Plaskett
March 24/14

Dear Ms. Buckler:

Re: 2015/16 H-SAA 6 Month Extension Agreement

Please find attached a PDF version of your organization's 2015-16 Hospital Service Accountability Agreement (H-SAA) Amending Agreement. This H-SAA amending agreement extends the effective date of the existing H-SAA from April 1, 2015 to September 30, 2015. All other terms and conditions of the H-SAA remain unchanged.

Please review, and if in agreement, print two (2) copies of this document, sign, date and return both copies to our office for final execution by **March 31, 2015**. One copy of the fully executed agreement will be returned to you for your records.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Liisa Simi, Senior Consultant at (807) 684-9425 x2029.

Sincerely,

Laura Kokocinski
Chief Executive Officer

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then scan + put
in 2015-16 tracking table
March 15

