RÉSEAU DE SANTÉ
Horizon
HEALTH NETWORK

Helping People Be Healthy

Horizon Health Network and Partners
A HEALTHIER FUTURE FOR NEW BRUNSWICK

Horizon Centres of Expertise

Collaborative practice and increased participation in research and innovation activities will ensure that patients in New Brunswick receive exceptional care, every day.

The next step to integrate Horizon from four separate areas or zones is to look at how we can bring staff, resources and research together to provide the best possible care.

Horizon centres of expertise in various medical specialties will be the "hubs" in a "hub and spokes" system of health care delivery. This will enable New Brunswickers to obtain better care through improved ability to recruit specialists to "clusters or teams of practice" in New Brunswick.

Patients and community physicians should expect to be able to consult with an expert/specialist in their area, while further tests or treatment may be required elsewhere in the province.

Allows for better planning and implementation of communications technology, infrastructure and equipment, clinical programming and appropriate levels of qualified human resources.

Promotes best practice philosophy, reduces variability in practice

Promotes regional team in clinical areas

Seven Horizon Centres
Aging, Neurosciences, Maternal & Child, Cardiac (NB Heart Centre) Oncology, Nephrology, Rehabilitation Medicine (SCCR)

Supports research nodes

Grow research income + $10 million / one of Canada's top 40 research hospitals

Significantly improved infrastructure and investments in education and research, leading to innovation, will support each of these centres of expertise and their regionalized relationships throughout Horizon.

"In order to create a sustainable system that will be there for our citizens, we must optimize our specialists, allied health professionals, primary health care professionals, our facilities and our specialized equipment.

We must ensure that standard "best" care protocols and practices are in place for all patients. This leads to safer, more reliable and more efficient quality care."

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