

PROJECT PARTNERS



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PECMH—History:

The first step toward establishing a hospital in Prince Edward County was taken by a community organization, the Sir Thomas Picton Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. In June of 1908 the members agreed to contribute money toward this project. Many other groups and individuals joined in this effort.

The "Prince Edward County Hospital" was incorporated on April 6, 1918. It was officially opened as a nine-bed hospital with an operating room in the George Alcorn House on Hill Street in Picton on April 17, 1919. Having grown to a 58-bed hospital, it was moved to its present location, was renamed "Prince Edward County Memorial Hospital" and was officially opened and dedicated on October 14, 1959.

The hospital became known as "Quinte Health Care Prince Edward County Memorial" upon the amalgamation of the hospitals in Bancroft, Belleville, Picton, and Trenton in November 1998.

PECMH – Current:

Today, the Prince Edward County Memorial Hospital is a community hospital with 12 beds, providing a wide variety of services including inpatient, outpatient and emergency care.

Other healthcare services include: Outpatient clinics including dialysis, lumps and bumps, transfusions, endoscopy, minor surgery; Diagnostic Imaging (x-ray, mammography and ultrasound); Echocardiograms (ECG) services; 24-hour Emergency Department; Renal Dialysis Clinic - satellite clinic offered by Kingston General Hospital; Family Health Team Visiting Clinics

PECMH - Future:

Local health care partners re-launched their efforts to build a new hospital in Prince Edward County in 2014. Quinte Health Care, the Prince Edward Family Health Team and the South East Local Health Integration Network have been working together to submit a proposal to the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care for a new hospital to be located in Picton. This has been made possible through funding support from project partners—the Prince Edward County Memorial Hospital Foundation and the Prince Edward County Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, as well as the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care.

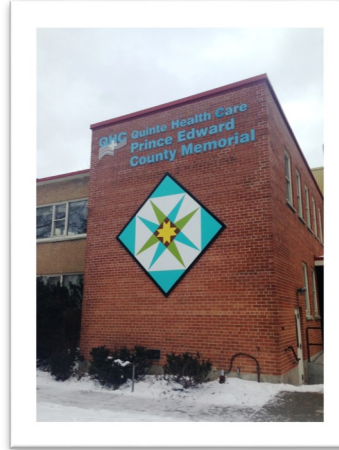
Together the partners are creating a plan for a new hospital building that would be part of a health care campus in Picton. The campus would provide access to a wide range of primary care services in one location – family physicians, nurse practitioners, outpatient clinics, an emergency room, inpatient beds and community support services – creating a more efficient system of care that is responsive to the needs of patients and their families.

The process of approval through the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care is lengthy, but building a new hospital for the residents of Prince Edward County remains QHC's top **development priority**.

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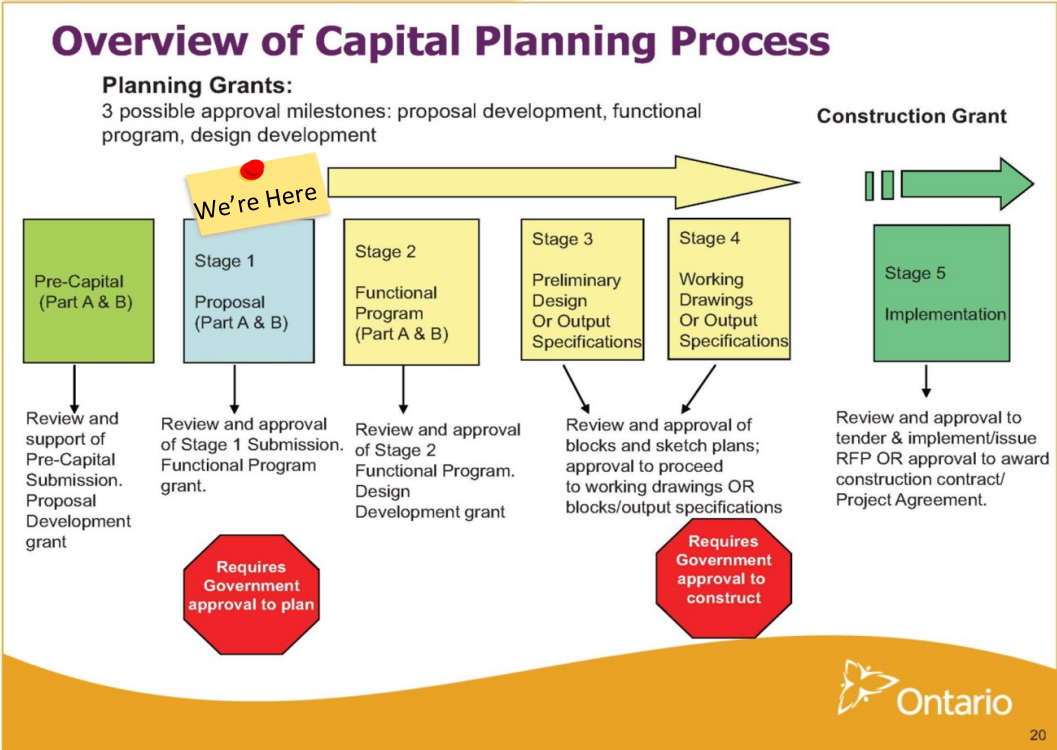


We know QHC Prince Edward County Memorial has a proud history. We remain focused on building a strong future for your community hospital.



PECMH Redevelopment Planning Partners: Quinte Health Care, Prince Edward Family Health Team, South East Local Health Integration Network, Municipality of Prince Edward County, Prince Edward County Memorial Hospital Foundation and the Prince Edward County Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

Below is an overview of Ontario's Capital Planning Process.



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