



Runnymede Healthcare Centre Long-Term Care UPDATE

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Construction of our new Long-Term Care Facility continues with plenty of activity, and we again thank you for your continued patience, and cooperation.

The installation of the temporary shoring system continues in parallel with the mass excavation progressing to the east side of the site.

Construction of the tunnel linking the existing hospital and the new Long Term Care Health, has been completed. This work also includes the reinstatement of the roadway at the main entrance. The main entrance is now re-opened off of Runnymede Road, and removal of the temporary emergency vehicle entranceway which was located off of St. Johns.

The tower crane is scheduled to be tentatively installed in Q4 of 2021.

Below grade parking structure will continue to be installed, including the installation of rebar and concrete into 2022.

Over the course the next several months, there will also be utility works that will be executed by both the City of Toronto and Toronto Hydro to support the Runnymede LTC project. This will include the temporary relocation of overhead utilities along St. Johns Street as well as the permanent service connections for the new building.

Daily cleanup and inspections continue, as well as water trucks and garden hoses assisting with dust mitigation.

Temporary sidewalk and lane closures will commence on the north side of St. Johns to safely facilitate large deliveries, as well as hydro line relocations.

Please note you should continue to expect to experience some noise and vibrations on an ongoing basis due to the plan construction activities.

In response to the province's updated regulations for such projects, in an effort to expedite the work, to mitigate lost time due to weather, and due to the importance and the critical nature of the long-term care facility, the contractor is anticipating working on Saturdays, as well as some occasional extended hours.

As always, all health and safety protocols will be the utmost importance to the project team and will be followed at all times.

We do not anticipate disruption to patient activity or care, and we continue to work closely with our clinical teams to ensure that any disruption remains at a minimum.

Thank you for your continued understanding, patience, and cooperation.

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