

Runnymede Healthcare Centre Long-Term Care

UPDATE

July 28, 2021

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 wood lagging as well as tie-back installation for the shoring system continues in parallel with the mass excavation on the west and south boundaries of the site. Caissons near the existing hospital are also being installed.

Dewatering system is now in place and ready for use as required.

Construction of the tunnel link continues, with the reinforcing installed, and the walls scheduled to be installed in the next week, and proceeding on schedule to allow for the reinstallation of the main entranceway off of Runnymede as scheduled.

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

Please note you should continue to expect to experience some noise and vibrations on an ongoing basis for the next few months.

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.

Please be assured that all health and safety protocols will remain in place at all times of work operations, and that vibration monitoring remains installed, and is being monitored for any potential structural impacts.

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.

Kindly direct all questions and requests for further information to:

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