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## **Scarborough Health Network ready to transform your health experience**

**SCARBOROUGH (November 22, 2018)** – Just shy of two years since the merger of Scarborough’s three community hospitals, today Scarborough and Rouge Hospital is adopting its new, permanent name: Scarborough Health Network (SHN)!

“Congratulations and thank you to all who played a role in bringing us to this special day: our staff, physicians, volunteers, donors, patients and families, community partners, elected officials, and Scarborough residents,” said Maureen Adamson, SHN Board Chair.

The transformation to SHN is the result of months of planning and engagement with the Scarborough community, hospital staff, and physicians.

“Credit for our new name and brand really belongs to the people of Scarborough; those who live and work here,” said Elizabeth Buller, SHN President and CEO.

“When we were out talking to our community, staff, and physicians, we heard loudly and clearly – and almost unanimously – that Scarborough must be a part of our new name and look,” said Buller. In fact, the shape you see in our logo is the shape of Scarborough on a map.



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**Centenary hospital:** 2867 Ellesmere Rd, Scarborough, ON M1E 4B9 | 416-284-8131  
**General hospital:** 3050 Lawrence Ave. E, Scarborough, ON M1P 2V5 | 416-438-2911

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“Guided by our bold new strategic plan, we’re working to re-imagine the future of health care – designing state-of-the-art infrastructure, equipping our staff and physicians with the latest technology, and creating a better way for our patients to access world-class treatment,” said Buller.

“This is a remarkable moment for our community, one that truly brings home the notion that a healthier tomorrow starts in Scarborough,” said Dr. Dick Zoutman, Chief of Staff at SHN.

Insights and support from the Scarborough community will continue to be crucial in helping SHN to realize these important initiatives and chart a new course to create a healthier tomorrow. Visit [shn.ca](http://shn.ca) to learn more about how SHN is shaping the future of care.

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**About Scarborough Health Network:**

Across our three hospitals and eight satellite sites, Scarborough Health Network (SHN) is shaping the future of care. Our many programs and services are designed around the needs of one of Canada’s most vibrant and diverse communities. We are home to North America’s largest nephrology program, as well as the designated cardiac care and spine centre for Scarborough and surrounding communities to the east. We are proud to be a community-affiliated teaching site for the University of Toronto and partner with a number of other universities and colleges, helping to train the next generation of health care professionals. Learn more at [shn.ca](http://shn.ca).

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