



February 2, 2018

Hon. Dr. Eric Hoskins
Minister of Health and Long-Term Care
Office of the Minister
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Dear Dr. Hoskins,

On behalf of Grey Bruce Health Services, thank you for announcing the continuation of funding that enables us to enhance the bedded capacity of our facilities to better serve our patients in Grey and Bruce counties.

The added capacity that we received for the 2017/18 fiscal year is fully utilized and helping to ease the pressure of increased patient volumes being experienced across all hospitals in Grey Bruce. Knowing that these resources will continue to be available in 2018/19 is reassuring and allows us greater certainty in budgeting, service planning and labour force planning. It is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Lance Thurston
President and Chief Executive Officer
Grey Bruce Health Services

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