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RVH Health Library named in recognition of TD Bank Group support

Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre (RVH) recently welcomed representatives of TD Bank Group in Barrie to celebrate the completion of their \$300,000 expansion pledge and to unveil recognition for TD in the new Health Library.

“At TD, we are very committed to healthcare and to ensuring healthcare professionals have the resources they need to develop new skills, certifications and advance in their careers,” says Ian Toms, Vice President, Central Ontario Commercial Banking, TD Bank Group. “With the opening of the Health Library in its new location, we are so pleased to be associated with this project which provides our local healthcare workers convenient access to current, reliable, and accurate medical and health information.”

RVH has a strong history of innovation and leading-edge practice which has helped to attract and retain the brightest and best healthcare providers. As RVH adds new programs and specialties, the Health Library helps staff and physicians qualify for new roles, improve their understanding of new practices and be better prepared to address patient and family questions and concerns. The Health Library also supports staff and physicians who are engaged in research, studying for advanced degrees, new certifications, building new skills, and anyone trying to provide the latest information to support patients at RVH.

“We understand that TD – at a national level – has shown great commitment to supporting education for healthcare professionals,” says Janice Skot, RVH president and CEO. “RVH very much shares that value, in fact one of our strategic directions is to Accelerate Teaching and Research. Healthcare is an ever-changing environment and it’s important our staff are able to stay on top of new research and continue learning in whatever capacity they desire. The Health Library is a perfect place for us to recognize TD’s ongoing support.”

The Library is also open to patients and visitors, providing a place to take a break, read, rest and learn. It’s centrally located near the Atrium entrance directly beside Victoria’s Gift Shop and its hours of operation are Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Cutline (from left): Mark Lyon, Senior Vice President, TD Wealth; Janice Skot, RVH president and CEO; Arlette Utton, chair, RVH Foundation Board of Directors; Ian Toms, Vice President TD Commercial Banking and Lori Hutcheson, Regional Manager TD Financial Planning, tour the newly-dedicated Health Library at Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre (RVH). The library was dedicated to the TD Bank Group after completion of their \$300,000 pledge in support of RVH Expansion.

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About RVH:

RVH is a regional health centre in Barrie, Ontario, located 80 kilometres north of Toronto. As the largest hospital in the region of Simcoe Muskoka, RVH’s team of over 350 physicians, 2,500 employees and 1,000 volunteers provides exceptional care and specialty services to almost half a million residents, including cancer care, stroke services, orthopaedics, intensive care, mental health and interventional radiology. RVH is focused on delivering high-quality, safe care that puts patients and their families first. For more information visit www.rvh.on.ca