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March 5, 2021

*Electronic Delivery Only*

Janice Skot  
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skotj@rvh.on.ca

Dear Ms. Skot:

**Re: LHSIA s. 20 Notice and Extension of Hospital Service Accountability Agreement(s)  
("Extending Letter")**

The *Local Health System Integration Act, 2006* ("LHSIA") requires the North Simcoe Muskoka Local Health Integration Network (the "LHIN") to notify a health service provider when the LHIN proposes to enter into, or amend, a service accountability agreement with that health service provider.

The LHIN hereby gives notice and advises Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre (the "HSP") of the LHIN's proposal to amend each and every hospital service accountability agreement (as described in the LHSIA) currently in effect between the LHIN and the HSP (each a "SAA").

Subject to the HSP's acceptance of this Extending Letter, the SAA will be amended with effect on March 31, 2021. All other terms and conditions of the SAA remain in full force and effect.

In accordance with section 16.2 of the SAA, the terms and conditions in the SAA are amended as follows.

- 1) **Term** – With respect to a SAA that is a hospital service accountability agreement only, in section 2.2, "March 31, 2021" is deleted and replaced by "March 31, 2022".
- 2) **Schedules** – The Schedules in effect on March 31, 2021 shall remain in effect until March 31, 2022, or until such other time as may be agreed to in writing by the LHIN and the HSP.

Unless otherwise defined in this letter, all capitalized terms used in this letter have the meanings set out in the SAA.

Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre

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Please indicate the HSP's acceptance and agreement to the amendment of the SAA as described in this Extending Letter by signing below and returning one scanned copy of this letter by e-mail no later than the end of business day on March 26, 2021, to: Ridhima Joshi, System Accountability Assistant, care of: [nsm.funding@lhins.on.ca](mailto:nsm.funding@lhins.on.ca).

The HSP and the LHIN agree that the Extending Letter may be validly executed electronically, and that their respective electronic signature is the legal equivalent of a manual signature. The electronic signature of a party may be evidenced by one of the following means and transmission of the Extending Letter may be as follows:

- 1) a manual signature of an authorized signing representative placed in the respective signature line of the Extending Letter and the Extending Letter delivered by facsimile transmission to the other party;
- 2) a manual signature of an authorized signing representative placed in the respective signature line of the Extending Letter and the Extending Letter scanned as a pdf and delivered by email to the other party;
- 3) a digital signature, including the name of the authorized signing representative typed in the respective signature line of the Extending Letter, an image of a manual signature or an Adobe signature of an authorized signing representative, or any other digital signature of an authorized signing representative with the other party's prior written consent, placed in the respective signature line of the Extending Letter and the Extending Letter delivered by email to the other party; or
- 4) any other means with the other party's prior written consent.

Should you have any questions regarding the information provided in this Extending Letter, please contact Jan McCutcheon, Senior Advisor, System Accountability by email at: [Jan.McCutcheon@lhins.on.ca](mailto:Jan.McCutcheon@lhins.on.ca).

Sincerely,



Jeff Kwan

Vice President, Financial Health & Accountability, Ontario Health (Central Region), North Simcoe Muskoka Local Health Integration Network (LHIN)

- c. Charlotte Wallis, Board Chair, Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre
- c. Donna Cripps, Transitional Regional Lead, Ontario Health (Central Region), and CEO for Central, Central West, Mississauga Halton and North Simcoe Muskoka Local Health Integration Networks

Signature page follows

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**AGREED TO AND ACCEPTED BY**

**ROYAL VICTORIA REGIONAL HEALTH CENTRE**

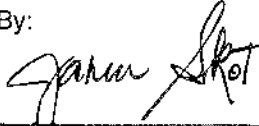
By:



Charlotte Wallis, Board Chair  
I have authority to bind the HSP

Date: March 18/21  
mm/dd/yyyy

And By:



Janice Skot, President and CEO  
I have authority to bind the HSP

Date: March 18/21  
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