



## NEWS RELEASE

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### TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE REQUIRED

Emergency Department Renovation Improvement Project Underway in mid-October

**Brantford, ON** – The renovation project to improve the Emergency Department (ED) at the Brantford General Hospital (BGH) will begin in mid-October. As the Brant Community Healthcare System (BCHS) prepares to undertake this important project to support the delivery of timely and high-quality patient care, a portion of Terrace Hill Street will be temporarily closed. The street will be closed from St. Paul Avenue to Elizabeth Street beginning at 6:00 am on Monday, October 16, 2023. While the renovation project is anticipated to take 3.5 years, the road closure will be in effect for approximately one year.

“The planned renovation improvements to the Emergency Department will support better patient flow and a more modern facility to serve the health care needs of the community,” said Dr. Somaiah Ahmed, Chief + Medical Director of Emergency Medicine, BCHS. “Thank you for your patience and support as we complete the renovations. Our doctors, staff and volunteers are ready to assist residents who need care.”

All hospital parking lots remain open. The McClure Centre and hospital parking lot B will only be available via Dundas Street. McClure Avenue will be closed at Terrace Hill Street for all traffic except emergency vehicles only. Hospital parking lot C will remain open and the entrance/exit will remain unaffected, however approach is only possible from Terrace Hill between Elizabeth Street and West Street.

Residents are asked to follow the signage posted in and around the hospital for their safety during this period.

Information about the ED renovation improvement project is available on the hospital’s website at: <https://reimaginebchs.ca/> or by contacting: [reimagine.bchs@bchsys.org](mailto:reimagine.bchs@bchsys.org).

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Attachment: Temporary Road Closure Map

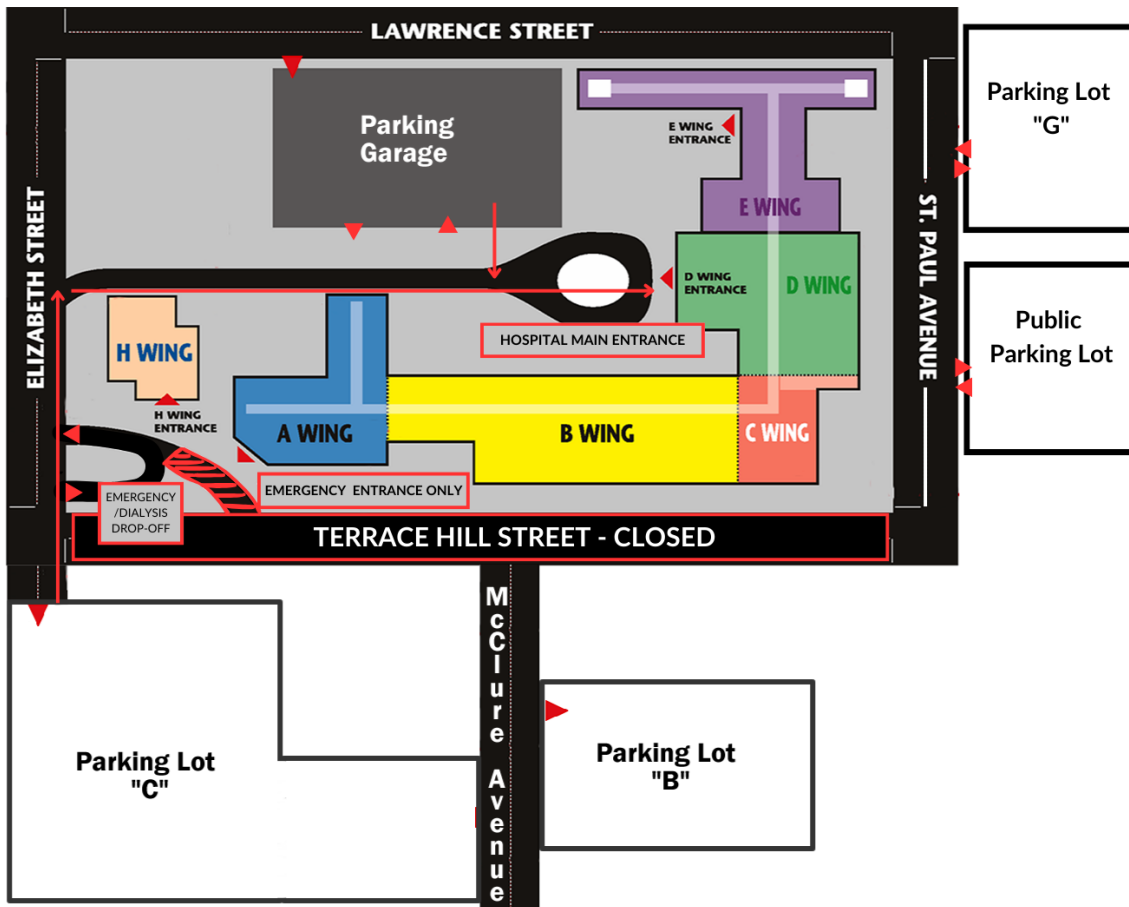
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**TERRACE HILL STREET TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE MAP**



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