CURRENT PRESSURES IN WEST END HEALTHCARE

ON THE COMMUNITY

500,000+

Torontonians live in the St. Joe's area.

25%

population growth projected in the next 10 years.

15

unique cultures, some of the most marginalized communities in the city.

38%

of people in our neighbourhoods are without primary care.

HIGH CONCENTRATION

of mental illness in Toronto.

4,510

staff, physicians, learners, volunteers ready to help our neighbours.

AMBULATORY CARE CLINICS

26.000 visits for fracture care.

21,000 family medicine visits.

9,000 cardiology visits.

7,500 visits for eye-related problems & diseases.

1,000 people with kidney disease are treated in our Regional Dialysis Program. Many patients are here 150 times per year for 3–4 hours at a time.

32,200 dialysis care visits annually.

ON THE BUILDING



20x

more infrastructure issues than the average Canadian hospital.

SOME FACILITIES DATE FROM THE 1930s

nearly 100 years old.

ON THE STAFF

25%

of beds are patients waiting for long-term care.

370,000+

patient visits yearly.

100,000+

ER patients seen per year, one of the busiest emergency departments in the country. 80%

OF HEALTH CARE IS
PROVIDED AT COMMUNITY
HOSPITALS, LIKE ST. JOE'S.

Our west end is one of the fastest growing diverse communities in Canada and St. Joe's is seeing the demand. Today, the demographics of our city are changing and the healthcare system faces more and more pressures.

CANCER CARE

4,500 visits for chemotherapy treatment.

700 major surgeries to remove cancer.

DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING

St. Joe's is one of the **BUSIEST MRI** (magnetic resonance imaging) **CENTRES IN TORONTO.**

St. Joe's is a leader in breast imaging, providing more than 3,000 mammograms and 1,600 breast ultrasounds annually.

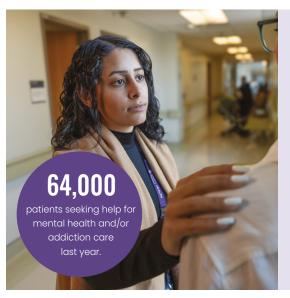
SURGICAL CARE

3 regional surgery programs: bariatrics, thoracic, hepato-pancreato-biliary (HPB).

10F 4 Mohs micrographic surgery programs in Ontario.

diagnostic imaging procedures.

25,000 surgeries & procedures performed annually.



MENTAL HEALTHCARE

St. Joseph's Health Centre has among the highest number of programs for mental health with specialists to treat children, youth and adults.

51,880 outpatient visits for mental health and/or addiction care.

1,900 children and youth received care in our Child, Adolescent & Family Mental Health Unit.

240 children and adolescents were admitted to St. Joe's for prolonged stays.

6,700 emergency visits for mental health and/or addiction care.

3,100 of our neighbours received overnight care in either our inpatient or short stay unit for mental health care.

Toronto's west end community has the **HIGHEST CONCENTRATION** of people with mental illness in Toronto.



GERIATRICS

20% of people in west end Toronto are 65+ (100,000 people).

6x higher growth rate for our aging population versus the growth rate of the population as a whole.

50% of visitors to St. Joe's Emergency Department are people 65+.



EMERGENCY

St. Joe's has one of the busiest Emergency departments in Canada.

18,000 emergency visits from people ages 65+.

14,000 paediatric emergency visits.

6,700 emergency visits for mental health and/or addiction care.

CARING FOR CHILDREN

14,500+ emergency visits.

1,900 visits to the CIBC Just for Kids Clinic.

8,800 visits from children in our specialized outpatient clinics.

3,200 babies were born at St. Joe's last year.

1,200 children are treated annually in our inpatient and day surgery areas.

200 pre-term babies are cared for every year in our Neonatal Intensive Care Unit which is one of four NICUs in the GTA.

St. Joe's cares for the **HIGHEST NUMBER** of children with asthma in the GTA.

St. Joe's is a **TOP RANKED** choice for medical students in paediatrics.

The CIBC Just for Kids Clinic is Toronto's **FIRST AND ONLY PAEDIATRIC WALK-IN CLINIC** in a hospital.



