

<p>IN THIS ISSUE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ New: Supervised Consumption Services Clinic now open at 10 Peel Centre Drive in Brampton. ▪ Reminder: Peel Works Harm Reduction Program. 	<p>FROM: Kate Bingham, MD MSc CCFP(EM) FRCPC Acting Medical Officer of Health</p>
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Key Messages:

- Following approvals from Health Canada, an interim Supervised Consumption Services clinic via an Urgent Public Health Need Site opened at 10 Peel Centre Drive, Brampton on March 4, 2024.
- This low barrier service is currently open 5 days a week for anyone to access, Monday to Friday, 12:30pm – 7:30pm.
- No referrals are required to access the clinic; services are available by walk in, on a first come, first served basis.
- Peel Works Harm Reduction Program is a free, community-based program, providing confidential harm reduction services, education, supports and referrals to people who use substances.
- Services are offered within Peel Region; Monday to Saturday, 4pm – 11pm. No health card is required.

- No referrals are required to access the clinic; services are available by walk in, on a first come, first served basis.
- The clinic is staffed by harm reduction and nursing professionals trained in overdose response.
- Drug testing equipment will also be available onsite in the coming weeks.
- CMHA Peel-Dufferin and Peel Addiction Assessment Referral Centre (PAARC) will be onsite weekly in addition to referral pathways to other Public Health (i.e., harm reduction, healthy sexuality, and oral health) and Human Services (i.e., childcare, housing and income supports).
- A virtual tour of the SCS is available online: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jpkOTtOCdQU>

Peel Works Harm Reduction Program

Supervised Consumption Services Clinic now open at 10 Peel Centre Drive in Brampton

On March 4, 2024, an interim Supervised Consumption Service clinic opened at 10 Peel Centre Drive, Brampton. Implementation and funding for this service has been supported by Regional Council as the Board of Health and is an important intervention to address the drug toxicity crisis in Peel.

Moyo Health and Community Services is the primary operator of the clinic and will provide harm reduction supplies. WellFort Community Health Services is the clinical lead, providing primary health care including point of care referrals, wound and foot care.

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- The Peel Works Harm Reduction Program is a community-based program which provides free, confidential harm reduction services, naloxone kits, education, support and referrals to people who use substances and the broader community.
- The mobile program operates Monday to Saturday, 4pm – 11pm within Peel Region boundaries.
- No health card is required to access services.
- The program distributes safer drug use materials for injection and inhalation practices, safer sex supplies, and provides Naloxone (Narcan) kits to prevent and respond to overdoses.
- For mobile van service in Brampton and Caledon area, call or text 647-225-1623. For mobile van service in Mississauga, call or text 416-571-1623.
- For more information visit: www.peelregion.ca/health/harm-reduction