



## Welcoming Beal University Canada to Horizon's Sackville Memorial Hospital

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- The provincial government granted conditional approval to Beal University Canada to deliver a Bachelor of Science in Nursing program in New Brunswick and while program assessment is completed by the Maritime Provinces Higher Education Committee, the design and planning of the space Beal will lease in the former Queens Unit for the on-site portion of the program is underway.
- We are looking forward to the many benefits having an on-site nursing education program will bring.
- This is a chance for both Horizon and the Tantramar community to showcase the many wonderful aspects of providing health care services to patients, clients and families in this vibrant area of the province!
- **All current services will remain in the Tantramar community.** Services are moving to spaces that will enable staff to continue to provide safe and quality care to meet the needs of the community.
- Health care teams will inform their patients/clients of any new locations for their service. Only minimal disruption to services is expected during these moves.
- Several services have already been relocated and others will be moving in the coming weeks:
  - Diabetic education and respiratory therapy services have moved to the Tantramar Community Health Centre (2 Main St.). Some storage units housing materials for our Auxiliary and Foundation have also been moved here.
  - Space for several other services and departments have been identified within Sackville Memorial Hospital, including social work, physiotherapy administration, boardroom and classroom, the Brunswick Unit staff room, and the family room. Some renovations have occurred to prepare for the relocation of these services.
  - Planning to address relocation for the remaining services and departments in the former Queens Unit is underway, and more details will be shared as they are confirmed and available.
- Horizon leaders from the Tantramar and Moncton areas are actively involved in this project.
- We are committed to keeping Horizon staff, physicians and volunteers – as well as our community partners – updated as this project progresses, and formal arrangements are finalized.