

Community Nursing Clinics

Connecting You with Home and Community Care Support Services Community Nursing Clinics

What are Community Nursing Clinics?

Community Nursing Clinics are provided by the Home and Community Care Support Services Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant for patients and families who need nursing care. Community nursing clinics offer people convenient access to care with the built in flexibility to book appointments to suit their individual schedule and routine. Community nursing clinics do everything possible to make sure people get their care in a timely manner when it suits them. Typically, there is little or no wait time to receive care or treatment.



Who cares for patients at Community Nursing Clinics?

Nurses at community nursing clinics may provide a number of services including wound care, infusion or intravenous medications and more. Nurses work with the patient and their physician, to help the patient meet their goals and improve health outcomes. With the patient's permission, the nurse will keep their physician updated on their health issues.

Where are Community Nursing Clinics located?

Together with our contracted service provider agencies, Home and Community Care Support Services provides community nursing clinic services at several locations throughout the Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant region, including Burlington.

Find a Community Nursing Clinic near you!

- Visit hnhbhealthline.ca [community nursing clinics page](#)
- Home and Community Care Support Services [HNHB Community Nursing Clinic handout](#)

What kind of care is provided at Community Nursing Clinics?

Our clean and safe community nursing clinics provide quick, easy access to specialized nursing services while following strict Infection Prevention and Control protocols. They are stocked with medical supplies and other resources to ensure the delivery of quality nursing care. Community nursing clinics operate seven days a week with different hours at each clinic to give people more flexibility and choice in scheduling visits at times that suit them best.

How are Community Nursing Clinics different from medical walk-in clinics?

Only people who live within Home and Community Care Support Services Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant region can receive care at a nursing clinic. As in other home and community care support services regions, our nursing clinics are staffed by registered nurses with no physicians onsite. Nursing clinics do not accept walk-in patients – all appointments are scheduled in advance between the patient and community nursing clinic.

Can I change or cancel my Community Nursing Clinic appointment?

Visits to our community nursing clinics are by appointment only. By arriving on time for your scheduled appointment, you will receive your treatment and care without waiting. If you need to change or cancel your appointment, please contact the community nursing clinic at least 24 hours in advance.

What you need to bring to your Community Nursing Clinic appointment?

Please remember to bring the following with you to your scheduled appointment:

- Your Ontario Health Card
- A list of all medications you are taking to review with the nurse during your first visit
- A family member or friend if you need help with care instructions
- A parent or guardian if you are under the age of 18

**To find out if a community nursing clinic is right for you,
contact your care coordinator
or our Intake Team at 1-800-810-0000.**