

Choosing a Long-Term Care Home



Making the decision to move to a long-term care home is a life-changing step for you and your family. It's important that you have all of the information you need to choose the home that is right for you. There are many things to consider, including the level of care you require, location, availability and cost.

Your CCAC Care Coordinator can help you think through your decision. If you are able, we recommend that you and your family visit the homes you are interested in and ask questions before making a final decision.

Each person who applies for long-term care may choose up to five (5) homes anywhere in Ontario, in order of preference. These decisions will help determine the amount of time a person waits for long-term care. If you need care urgently, you are able to add more homes to your choice list. If you move to a home that is not your first choice, you may stay on the waiting list for your first choice.

For more information, please speak with your Care Coordinator at 310-2222. We're here to help.

As you make your decision, here's some information to keep in mind:

36 - Number of long-term care homes in the Erie St. Clair LHIN

4,536 - Number of long-term care home spaces in the Erie St. Clair LHIN

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT INDIVIDUAL LONG-TERM CARE HOMES, VISIT:

<http://publicreporting.ltchomes.net/en-ca/default.aspx>
www.hqontario.ca/en/reporting/ltc/

About the Information in this Report

There are many factors to be considered when choosing a home. The size of the waiting list (number of people on the wait list) in homes you are considering may be important to you. This document provides information about waiting lists in long-term care homes in this region; the wait list is not an indication of wait time (how long an individual will wait to access care).

When reviewing this information, please note the following:

- Each individual may choose up to 5 homes and up to 3 bed types in each home. This means that one person may be represented on multiple waitlists.

- The number of days waited are presented as the experience of 9 out of 10 people (90th percentile). You may wait for a longer or shorter period of time, depending on your circumstances and the number of available beds.
- The numbers below fluctuate based on a variety of factors; your CCAC Care Coordinator can provide you with information about the options that may best meet your individual needs.

Updates available monthly and can be viewed at

<http://healthcareathome.ca/eriestclair>

Long-Term Care Home	Number of Licensed Beds	Basic: Number on Waitlist	Basic: Days Waiting for 9/10 people	Semi-Private: Number on Waitlist	Semi-Private: Days Waiting for 9/10 people	Private: Number on Waitlist	Private: Days Waiting for 9/10 people	Total Patients Waiting
Afton Park Place	128	56	906	28	217	31	111	91
Banwell Gardens	140	13	77	1	55	0		13
Berkshire Care Centre	209	1	22	0	10	1	15	2
Blenheim Community Village Long-Term Care Home	65	8	152	1	82	2	122	9
Brouillette Manor	60	14	514	4	165	6		19
Chateau Park Long Term Care Home	59	16	279	1	315	3	6	19
Copper Terrace Long-Term Care Facility	138	10	93	1	76	1	85	10

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Country Village Health Care Centre	104	3	100	3		3	53	5
Extendicare Southwood Lakes	150	98	591	0		24	225	110
Extendicare Tecumseh	128	98	881	0		36	337	119
Fairfield Park	103	23	248	0		3	66	25
Fiddick's Nursing Home Limited	128	10	239	2	118	1	111	11
Franklin Gardens Long Term Care Home	112	6	87	0	66	0	11	6
Heron Terrace Long Term Care Community	140	125	777	49	765	67	451	191
Huron Lodge Corporation of the City of Windsor	224	187	1416	35	734	62	561	233
Iler Lodge	104	54	1545	0		16	185	61
Lambton Meadowview Villa	125	26	566	10	192	14	142	41
Leamington Mennonite Home Nursing Home (LTC)	84	34	779	0		5	163	38
Marshall Gowland Manor	126	119	408	54	332	53	378	182
Meadow Park Nursing Home	99	20	143	5	57	8	94	26
North Lambton Lodge	88	10	215	6	132	5	83	14

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Regency Park Long Term Care Home	72	2	27	1	41	0	70	3
Richmond Terrace	115	30	266	0	130	3	253	32
Riverside Place	96	113	1221	0		40	562	139
Riverview Gardens	320	43	65	19	113	19	140	61
Royal Oak Long Term Care Centre	160	53	545	0		15	105	61
Sumac Lodge	96	6	42	1	72	0		6
Sun Parlor Home For Senior Citizens	206	47	608	5	549	4	169	50
Tilbury Manor Nursing Home	73	2	4	0	32	0	195	2
Trillium Villa Nursing Home	142	19	125	6	78	10	69	30
Twin Lakes Terrace	60	47	229	30	273	45	172	97
Village at St. Clair	256	191		0		110		272
Village of Aspen Lake	192	247	1201	0		176	670	376
Village on the Ridge	40	8	162	4	550	7		14
Vision Nursing Home	132	119	1058	0		58	192	171
Watford Quality Care Centre	62	4	17	2	59	2	72	5

Placement Priority Categories

Each person who applies for long-term care is assigned a priority category
The priority category of each person on the waitlist also affects wait time.

Category 1 People who need immediate admission to long-term care and cannot have their needs met at home, or who are in hospital, when hospital is in crisis. People in a long-term care home that is closing within 12 weeks.

Category 2 People who need to be reunified with their spouses/partners who are currently residing in a long-term care home, and who meet eligibility requirements (including care needs).

Category 3A People waiting for a long-term care home serving those of a particular religion, ethnic origin or culture. People who have high care needs, but can still be supported at home until a bed becomes available. People in hospital waiting for long-term care. People in a long-term care home seeking transfer to their home of choice.

Category 3B People waiting for a long-term care home serving those of a particular religion, ethnic origin or culture. People with care needs who are currently managing at home with supports. Wait times for patients in this category are much longer.

Category 4A People who have high care needs, but can still be supported at home until a bed becomes available. People in hospital waiting for long-term care. People in a long-term care home seeking transfer to their home of choice.

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