

Do you need a family doctor or nurse practitioner?

How does Health Care Connect support your search for a family health care provider?

Health Care Connect helps people who are without a family health care provider to find one. Once you've joined Health Care Connect, a Home and Community Care Support Services nurse, called a Care Connector, will be assigned to help you find a health care provider in your area.

Care Connectors support your search

Our team of Care Connectors identifies doctors and nurse practitioners in your community who are accepting new patients and links them with people who are looking for a health care provider.

How to join the program

Registering for Health Care Connect is easy. When you call **1-800-445-1822** you will speak to someone who will ask you a short series of questions and sign you up for the program. You can also sign up online at **ontario.ca/healthcareconnect**

Health Care Connect gives priority to those most in need of a family health care provider

Priority is given to individuals with greater health needs. You will be referred to a family doctor or nurse practitioner in your community once one is found.



What you need to know about Health Care Connect

- Health Care Connect is here to assist you.
 But you should keep looking for a health care provider on your own as well.
- You should have an OHIP number.
- Let your Care Connector know if your contact information or health changes.

Your new family health care provider might be just a phone call away.

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