

April 10th, 2025

Good afternoon,

This morning, Dr. Philpott's Primary Care Action Team launched the first call for proposals as part of their plan to connect every person in the province to primary care by 2029, investing \$213 million to create or expand up to 80 primary care teams. This first round is a targeted call for proposals **focused on communities, designated by postal code**, that have the highest number of people not connected to primary care provider or team, including those on the Health Care Connect waitlist. Here is a link to the announcement: [Ontario Connecting 300,000 More People to a Family Doctor and Primary Care Teams This Year | Ontario Newsroom](#)

Ottawa West Four Rivers OHT was also pleased to learn that **three forward sortation areas (FSAs) (1st three digits of postal code) attributed to our OHT, are including in this call out K2G, K2J, and K0A**. Primary care practices and clinicians who provide care to people living in these FSAs are eligible to submit proposals for funding consideration through the Ottawa West Four Rivers OHT/PCN.

Please note: each OHT in the province can only submit one proposal per FSA (3 in total for Ottawa West Four Rivers OHT). Proposals are due to the Ministry **May 2, 2025**.

Those eligible and interested in receiving the proposal template, please reach out to Matthew Graveline at mgraveline@owfr.ca

K0A	Ottawa, Embrun, Almonte, Stittsville, Metcalfe	Ottawa West Four Rivers OHT	East Region
K2G	Nepean, Ottawa	Ottawa West Four Rivers OHT	East Region
K2J	Nepean, Ottawa	Ottawa West Four Rivers OHT	East Region

The Ministry of Health is hosting a webinar tomorrow morning **Friday, April 11 at 8:30 AM**. The Honourable Sylvia Jones, Deputy Premier and Minister of Health, Dr. Jane Philpott, Chair of the Primary Care Action Team, and others will provide an update on the Primary Care Action Plan and the first call for proposals for the expansion of interprofessional primary care teams. I encourage you to [Use this link](#) to join the Zoom webinar (please note: no pre-registration is required).

Ontario Health is hosting a **technical webinar for OHTs and PCNS invited to participate in round 1 (including Ottawa West Four Rivers OHT and PCN), on Friday, April 11 at 12:00 PM.**

I encourage you to join this webinar if you'd like to learn more about the proposal process and package.

[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 211 338 034 025

Passcode: 4E89wW6q

We are scheduling an **Ottawa West Four Rivers webinar on Wednesday, April 16th at 12:00 PM** to provide and share more information specific to proposals that would be considered through OWFR OHT. Please [register using this link](#).

We will continue to share information as it becomes available to us.

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