

New Build Update

A quarterly update on the New Grandview Kids

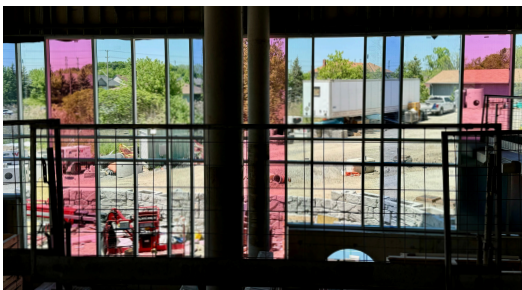


On March 22, Children's First Consortium (CFC) hosted a Worker Appreciation Event for the construction crew at the New Grandview Kids construction site in Ajax. This event was a great opportunity to recognize the workers that have been diligently working to bring this long-awaited building to life. Grandview Kids CEO, Tom McHugh, delivered personal thanks on behalf of the organization.



Worker Appreciation Event for CFC staff.

We continue to have immense gratitude for our construction crew. It is because of their hard work and dedication that we are successfully progressing towards opening our doors in Fall 2024.



Construction progress

The crew has made substantial progress on the building exterior including installation of windows, roofing and phenolic panel installation. Several installations have now been completed. On the interior, installation of door frames, ceilings, insulation, flooring and paint are underway, Civil works continues to progress around the building, as well as the penthouse steel structure that houses heating and cooling equipment. We have also begun work on exterior spaces, including installation of retaining walls and clearing of the area for the Sensory Trail.



On March 27, the tower crane was officially removed from the site, marking an exciting milestone in our construction progress. With the arrival of Spring weather, protective tents have now been removed, allowing for much better visibility of the building.

[Watch this video for a snapshot of construction activity underway.](#)

Operational readiness

Staff from across Team Grandview have assembled into multiple, topic-focused working groups to help us plan for occupying our new headquarters. We are reviewing every detail to ensure staff, volunteers, clients and families are ready to move into the building throughout Fall 2024.

Staff are moving in a phased approach, as some sites close to support the transition of operations to the new headquarters.

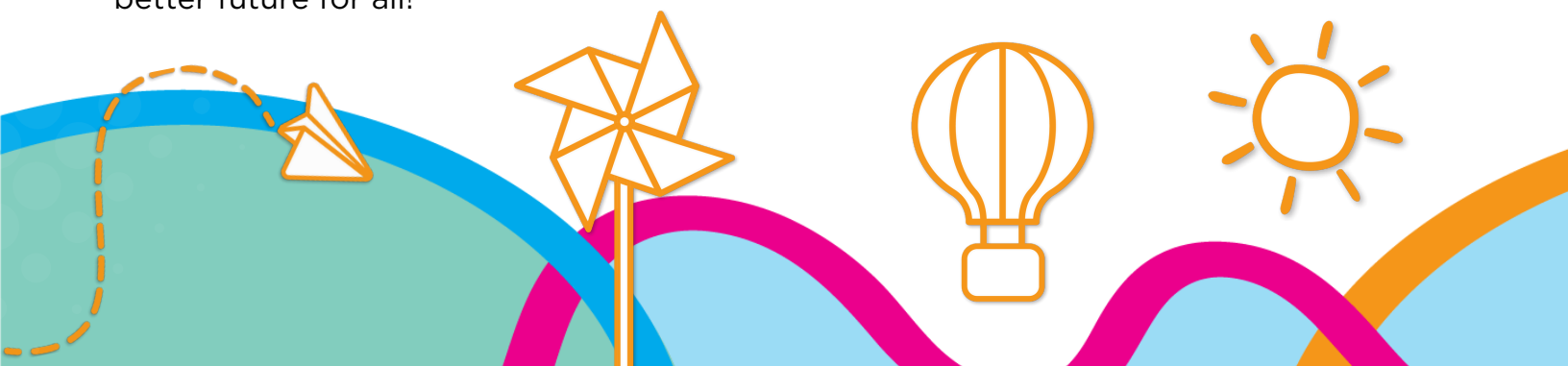
If you are a Grandview Kids client, and this transition impacts your care, you will be notified by Grandview Kids over the summer months. Satellites will be maintained in Oshawa (Dwyer), Port Perry, Bowmanville and Whitby (Abilities Centre) to ensure care is accessible close to home for Grandview families across Durham Region.



Photo of Grandview Kids Therapy Working Group touring the construction site.

Our new Strategic Plan

Grandview Kids is excited to share the completion of our [2024-27 Strategic Plan: Powering Potential](#). Through this new Strategic Plan, we will power the potential of our growing team, our valued partners, and the clients and caregivers we proudly serve. Our new headquarters will be a catalyst for *Powering Potential*, with state-of-the-art features and collaboration spaces to better connect clients, caregivers, partners and Team Grandview. We embark on this journey with unwavering dedication to creating a better future for all!



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