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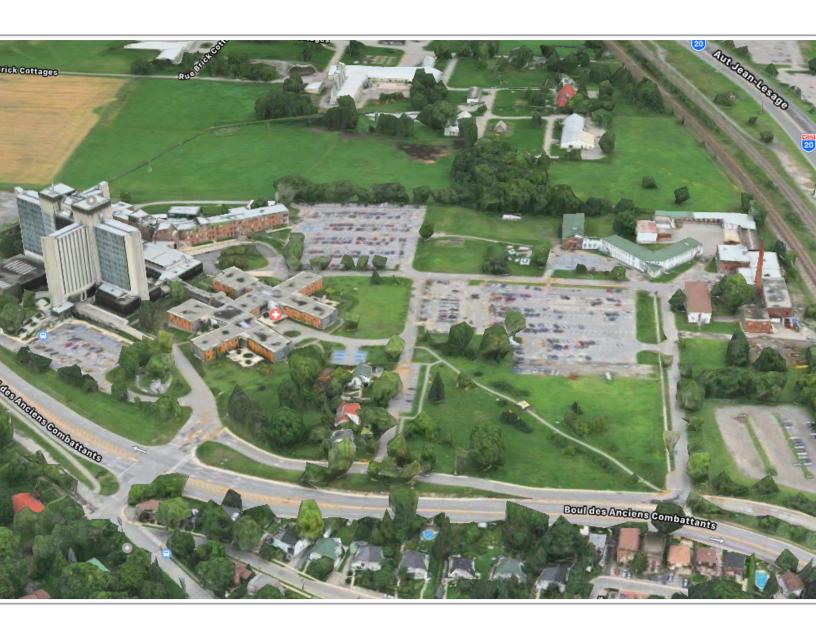
West Island Campus for Elder and Dependent Care

Pilot Project Proposal - April 1, 2018

Context/Background

CIUSSS West Island Campus for Elder and Dependent Care

- Ste-Anne's Hospital has a **long, rich, respected history** with multiple facilities, space and resources

- Veterans from WWII & Korean War are declining; now represent 50% of resident population

- As # of veterans continue to decline, plan is for **elder civilians** from region to take their place…

BUT

- For the first time in history, more **persons with intellectual and/or physical disabilities** are living in community, and are living longer than ever

- This too represents a **growing elderly population**

- Persons with intellectual and/or physical disabilities experience **medical issues** that manifest themselves earlier than the rest of elderly population (dementia, physical impairments)

- This represents **huge responsibility, potential cost & societal impact** to government

- Excellent opportunity to provide care and services to a wider population segment, *i.e.* persons who are not autonomous, **personnes en perte d'autonomie**

- Optimize Ste-Anne's facilities, space and expertise = **innovative solution**, comprehensive care

SERVICES AT STE-ANNE
- *Physiotherapy*
- *Occupational Therapy*
- *Snoezelen Therapy*
- *Art & Craft Therapy*
- *Zoo Therapy*
- *On-site Medical Services: dermatologist, dentist, ENT, ophthalmologist, orthopedist, physiatrist, urologist, X-ray, pharm, labs*
- *Recreation services & Social events*
- *Gardens, Terraces, Espaces communautaires*
- *Auditorium*
- *Hairdresser, Snack Bar, Cafeteria*
- *Volunteer Network*

Unité 3A	Unit 3A
Unité 3B	Unit 3B
Arts et métiers	Arts and Crafts
Physiothérapie	Physiotherapy
Bureau polyvalent	Multipurpose Office
Salle Snoezelen	Snoezelen Room

Opportunity

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The Village, Langley, B.C.
Canada's first dementia village

▷ Other provinces & countries discovering advantages of grouping elder and dependent patients together

▷ Keys to success: community and learning based, mimics real-life environment, encourages autonomy, safe and secure

Evidence-Based Examples

Weinberg Village, Michigan, USA
Special needs village

Hogeweyk, The Netherlands
World's first dementia village

Benefits

SOBERING REALITY

- *More persons with intellectual and/or physical disabilities are being diagnosed, and are living longer*

- *These aging individuals can no longer live with their elder parents and cannot live autonomously*

- *Result = growing waiting lists for suitable accommodation*

- *Result = high levels of stress and malaise among elderly parents and aging adult children*

▷ Shared medical, recreational and educational resources = social, medical and economic benefits

▷ Solution for desperate elder parents of aging adult children with intellectual and / or physical disabilities

▷ Opportunity to match growing need with existing community resources

▷ Frees up beds elsewhere for more autonomous users, a key component of "soins évolutifs"

▷ Continuous learning environment, centre of excellence

▷ Pairing opportunities, work & volunteer options, addresses common issue of social isolation

CIUSSS West Island Campus for Elder and Dependent Care
becomes focal point for comprehensive, value-added care,
education, research, innovation for these specialized groups
on a cost-efficient basis

Pilot Project

With CIUSSS support, implement and then evaluate
integration of identified persons with intellectual and/or physical disabilities…

- ▷ Identify admission criteria

- ▷ Use existing wing, *e.g.* 2A

- ▷ Create stakeholder governance framework modelled after public/private partnership

- ▷ Pilot Project Committee: participants may include parents, CIUSSS senior management, subject matter experts, Foundations, municipality, JAC CEGEP

- ▷ Establish transparent, accountability framework

Future Possibilities

- ▷ Obtain CIUSSS buy-in

- ▷ Create detailed **Business Plan** - including budget and cost/benefit analysis

- ▷ Determine launch date and timetable

- ▷ Establish admission criteria

- ▷ Clearly identify success criteria as basis for monitoring & performance evaluation

- ▷ Other improvements: respite & transition planning, renovations, future growth