



“Working toward a better  
healthcare experience for you  
close to home.”



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# What is an OHT?



- Collaborative network of primary care providers, health service providers, community organizations, patients, families and caregivers who work together to improve local health outcomes and coordinate health and social services so patients, clients and families receive quality care they need in the right place at the right time.

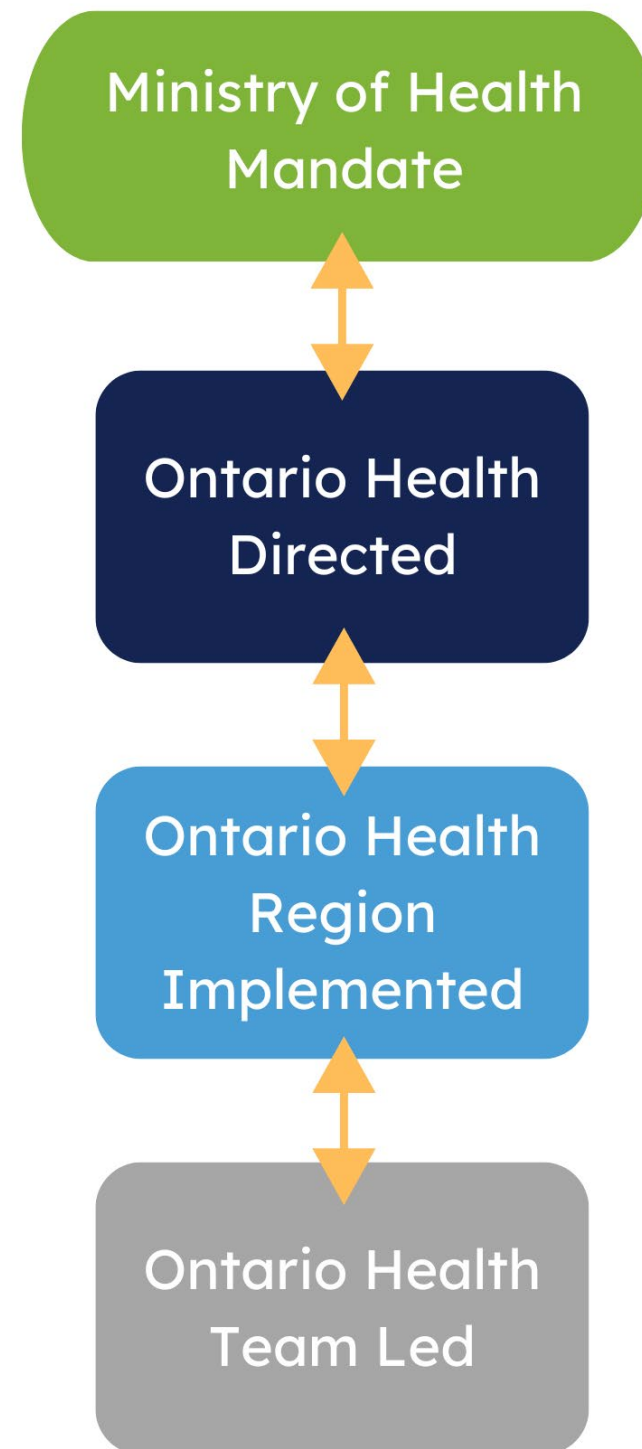
# What is Integrated Care?



- **Approach to healthcare that coordinates various health, community, and social services to address the diverse needs of a region's population.**
- **Key principles of integrated care include:**
  - Person Centered Care
  - Coordination of Services Across Sectors and Organizations
  - Interdisciplinary Care Teams
  - Continuity of Care
  - Digital Health Enablers
- **Benefits of integrated care include:**
  - Improved patient, client, family, and caregiver experience outcomes
  - Improved provider outcomes
  - Population health management
  - Improved health acuity
  - Overall health system cost savings



# Role of the OHT



Ontario Health Teams collaborate with community partners to implement Ontario Health's priorities in alignment with the Ministry of Health's directives. Their shared mission is to empower local communities to coordinate efforts to optimize the healthcare system, improve population health and patient outcomes, and enhance the healthcare experience for both patients and providers.

# Who is involved in the GBOHT?



- **Member organizations: 24** <https://www.greybruceoht.ca/teamold>
  - OHT Team Member organizations, through their senior leaders, use a consensus decision-making approach to collaborate on OHT priorities and system improvements.
- **Affiliate organizations: 8**
  - OHT Affiliate Participant organizations help advance OHT priorities and system improvements through their engagement at the OHT Partnership Table and on related teams.
- **Community Council**
  - Members engage in an advisory capacity and make recommendations to the Grey-Bruce OHT on matters that make an impact on providing the best patient, family, caregiver and resident experiences and outcomes.

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- **Primary Care Network**

- Network of Grey Bruce Primary Care Providers to provide leadership and guidance on clinical practice standards, ensuring high-quality patient care and facilitates collaboration and communication among healthcare providers to integrate services and improve health outcomes within the region.

- **Committees and Action Teams: 8+**

- Responsible for planning, implementing, and evaluating projects and initiatives and work collaboratively to address specific health priorities, improve patient outcomes, and streamline service delivery across the healthcare system.

- **Implementation Team: 4**

- Under the leadership of the GBOHT Director, the implementation team is responsible for operationalizing and implementing the Grey-Bruce OHT strategic workplans and supporting the Collaboration Council partners as they work towards the OHT priorities areas.

# 24/25 OH Priorities




- Integrated Care through PHM and Equity Approaches
- System Navigation
- Readiness for Integrated Home Care Delivery
- Collaborative Leadership, Decision Making, and Governance
- Primary Care Engagement and Leadership
- Data and Digital

# GBOHT Target Populations



The GBOHT is dedicated to enhancing integrated care and improving patient experience for four target populations.




### FRAIL SENIORS

**Vision:** Aging well in Grey Bruce.

**Visioning Outcomes:**

- Seamless communication of patient information
- Strong care partners and organizations
- Connection to primary care
- Individualized system navigation
- Knowledge and education
- Sustainable and equitable funding




### MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTIONS

**Vision:** Care closer to home. Everyone is welcome. Come as you are.

**Visioning Outcomes:**

- Meet our community where they are at
- Honour lived experience throughout recovery
- Champion equitable access
- Provide proactive support at every age and stage
- Foster strong community connections




### UNATTACHED PATIENTS

**Vision:** All Grey-Bruce community members have access to primary care.

**Visioning Outcomes:**

- Decreased non-urgent ED visits and improved wellness
- Improve primary care patient and provider experience
- Primary care providers are eager to come to Grey Bruce
- Wrap around care accessible for complex patients



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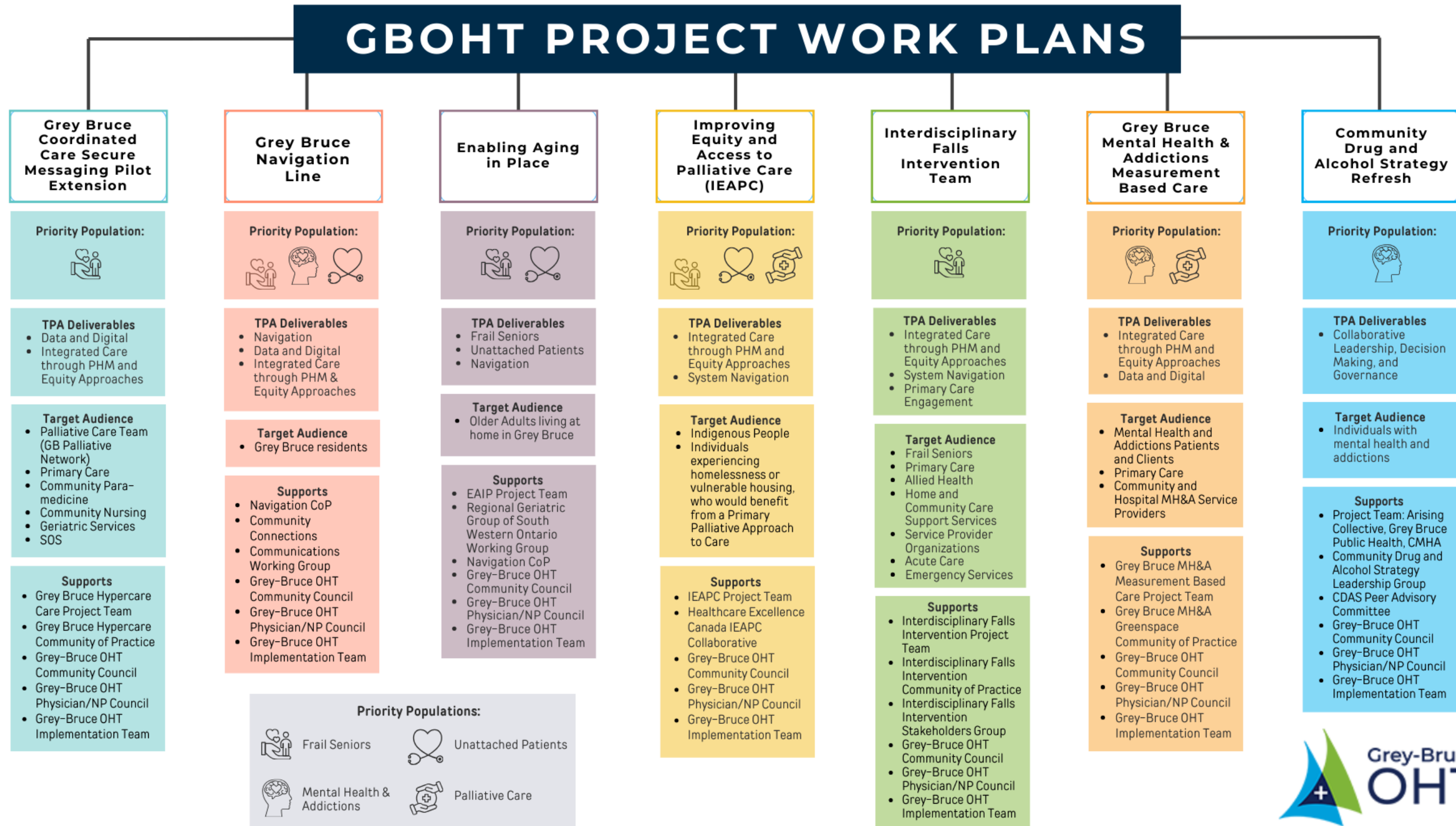
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- Supportive Outreach Services (SOS) – Grey County
- Bruce County Outreach – Bruce County
- Social Prescribing (SPECS) – Community Waterfront Heritage Centre
- Grey Bruce Primary Care Recruitment Collaborative (GBPCRC)
- Palliative Care Nurse Navigator Program – Brockton and Area Family Health Team, Owen Sound Family Health Team, Hanover Family Health Team
- Grey Bruce Navigation Community of Practice
- Transitions Working Group
- *Seamless Care Optimizing Patient Experience (SCOPE)*
- *Unattached Patient Clinic – Brockton and Area Family Health Team*



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# VISION & OUTCOMES 2024-2025

## VISION STATEMENT

People and providers will experience compassionate, high-quality, sustainable, and seamless care, driven by the needs of the community.



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# GBOHT PROJECT WORK PLANS

## Grey Bruce Coordinated Care Secure Messaging Pilot Extension

### Priority Population:



### TPA Deliverables

- Data and Digital
- Integrated Care through PHM and Equity Approaches

### Target Audience

- Palliative Care Team (GB Palliative Network)
- Primary Care
- Community Para-medicine
- Community Nursing
- Geriatric Services
- SOS

### Supports

- Grey Bruce Hypercare Care Project Team
- Grey Bruce Hypercare Community of Practice

## Grey Bruce Navigation Line

### Priority Population:



### TPA Deliverables

- Navigation
- Data and Digital
- Integrated Care through PHM & Equity Approaches

### Target Audience

- Grey Bruce residents

### Supports

- Navigation CoP
- Community Connections
- Communications Working Group

## Enabling Aging in Place

### Priority Population:



### TPA Deliverables

- Frail Seniors
- Unattached Patients
- Navigation

### Target Audience

- Older Adults living at home in Grey Bruce

### Supports

- EAIP Project Team
- Regional Geriatric Group of South Western Ontario Working Group
- Navigation CoP

## Improving Equity and Access to Palliative Care (IEAPC)

### Priority Population:



### TPA Deliverables

- Integrated Care through PHM and Equity Approaches
- System Navigation

### Target Audience

- Indigenous People
- Individuals experiencing homelessness or vulnerable housing, who would benefit from a Primary Palliative Approach to Care

### Supports

- IEAPC Project Team
- Healthcare Excellence Canada IEAPC Collaborative

## Interdisciplinary Falls Intervention Team

### Priority Population:



### TPA Deliverables

- Integrated Care through PHM and Equity Approaches
- System Navigation
- Primary Care Engagement

### Target Audience

- Frail Seniors
- Primary Care
- Allied Health
- Home and Community Care Support Services
- Service Provider Organizations
- Acute Care
- Emergency Services

### Supports

- Interdisciplinary Falls Intervention Project Team
- Interdisciplinary Falls Intervention Community of Practice
- Interdisciplinary Falls Intervention Stakeholders Group

## Grey Bruce Mental Health & Addictions Measurement Based Care

### Priority Population:



### TPA Deliverables

- Integrated Care through PHM and Equity Approaches
- Data and Digital

### Target Audience

- Mental Health and Addictions Patients and Clients
- Primary Care
- Community and Hospital MH&A Service Providers

### Supports

- Grey Bruce MH&A Measurement Based Care Project Team
- Grey Bruce MH&A Greenspace Community of Practice

## Community Drug and Alcohol Strategy Refresh

### Priority Population:



### TPA Deliverables

- Collaborative Leadership, Decision Making, and Governance

### Target Audience

- Individuals with mental health and addictions

### Supports

- Project Team: Arising Collective, Grey Bruce Public Health, CMHA
- Community Drug and Alcohol Strategy Leadership Group
- CDAS Peer Advisory Committee

### Priority Populations:



Frail Seniors



Unattached Patients



Mental Health & Addictions



Palliative Care