

HealthFAX

New Location for the Orillia Health Unit Office

Attention: Physicians, Emergency Department, Nurse Practitioners, Long-Term Care

Facilities

Date: September 12, 2011

We are pleased to announce that **effective Monday October 3** rd **the Orillia Office of the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit will be located at 169 Front Street South.** The office will be part of the Orillia Common Roof building.

The current health unit office location will be **closed on Friday September 30**th to accommodate the move.

Vaccine ordering and pick up – The last day for pick up of vaccine at the old office before the move will be Wednesday, September 28th. We request physicians order enough vaccine for their practice for a two week period. We anticipate routine pick up will resume at the new office by noon October 11th.

The new location offers the public easier access to the agency's full spectrum of services including vaccines, food and water safety, healthy lifestyle promotion, family and prenatal health, and protection from health hazards and infectious disease.

Our office hours will continue to be 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. with lunch closure from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. You can still access information and resources on the full range of public health topics and services by calling *Your Health Connection* and speaking to a public health professional at 705-721-7520 or by visiting our website at www.simcoemuskokahealth.org.

Access to immunization, dental and sexual health clinics continues to be by appointment.

- Sexual Health Clinic services include emergency contraceptives, STI testing, anonymous HIV testing and sexual health counseling.
- Dental Health Clinic services include dental screening and preventative services for children and youth through the Healthy Smiles Ontario mobile dental van.
- Immunization Clinic services include routine childhood and adult immunization, and annual influenza immunization.
- Needle Exchange Program will operate out of the new location Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m., with lunch closure 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Clients can call 705-721-7520 for more information and to book appointments.