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March 1, 2021

**Delivered Electronically**

Mr. Ryan Bell  
Chief Executive Officer  
CVH (No.1) LP  
in respect of West Park Health Centre  
103 Pelham Road  
St. Catharines, ON L2S 1S9

Dear Ryan Bell:

**Re: LHSIA s. 20 Notice and Extension of Long-Term Care Home Service Accountability Agreement(s) (“Extending Letter”)**

The *Local Health System Integration Act, 2006* (“LHSIA”) requires the Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant Local Health Integration Network (the “LHIN”) to notify a health service provider when the LHIN proposes to enter into, or amend, a service accountability agreement with that health service provider.

The LHIN hereby gives notice and advises CVH (No.1) LP (the “HSP”) of the LHIN’s proposal to amend each and every long-term care home service accountability agreement (as described in the LHSIA) currently in effect between the LHIN and the HSP (each a “SAA”).

Subject to the HSP’s acceptance of this Extending Letter, the SAA will be amended with effect on March 31, 2021. All other terms and conditions of the SAA remain in full force and effect.

In accordance with section 15.12 of the SAA, the terms and conditions in the SAA are amended such that the Schedules in effect on March 31, 2021 shall remain in effect until March 31, 2022, or until such other time as may be agreed to in writing by the LHIN and the HSP.

Unless otherwise defined in this letter, all capitalized terms used in this letter have the meanings set out in the SAA. Please indicate the HSP’s acceptance and agreement to the amendment of the SAA as described in this Extending Letter by signing below and returning one scanned copy of this letter by e-mail no later than the end of business day on March 26, 2021 to: Anne Nelson, Analyst, Performance & Accountability, at [anne.nelson@lhins.on.ca](mailto:anne.nelson@lhins.on.ca).

The HSP and the LHIN agree that the Extending Letter may be validly executed electronically, and that their respective electronic signature is the legal equivalent of a manual signature. The electronic signature of a party may be evidenced by one of the following means and transmission of the Extending Letter may be as follows:

- 1) a manual signature of an authorized signing representative placed in the respective signature line of the Extending Letter and the Extending Letter delivered by facsimile transmission to the other party;
- 2) a manual signature of an authorized signing representative placed in the respective signature line of the Extending Letter and the Extending Letter scanned as a PDF and delivered by email to the other party;
- 3) a digital signature, including the name of the authorized signing representative typed in the respective signature line of the Extending Letter, an image of a manual signature or an Adobe signature of an authorized signing representative, or any other digital signature of an authorized signing representative with the other party's prior written consent, placed in the respective signature line of the Extending Letter and the Extending Letter delivered by email to the other party; or
- 4) any other means with the other party's prior written consent.

Should you have any questions regarding the information provided in this Extending Letter, please contact Kiran Kumar, Interim Director, Health System Performance, Accountability & Funding, at [kiran.kumar@lhins.on.ca](mailto:kiran.kumar@lhins.on.ca).

Sincerely,



MARK B. VALLONI

Regional Lead (Interim), West Region, Ontario Health, and Chief Executive Officer  
Erie St. Clair, South West, Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant and Waterloo Wellington LHINs

c. Mark Brintnell, Vice President, Quality, Performance and Evaluation, Ontario Health (West)  
c. Kiran Kumar, Interim Director, Health System Performance, Accountability & Funding, Ontario Health (West)

Signature page follows

**AGREED TO AND ACCEPTED BY**

CVH (No.1) LP

By:



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Ryan Bell, Chief Executive Officer

Date: 03/04/2021  
mm/dd/yyyy

I have authority to bind the health service provider.