





#### Word From The Chair and CEO

It has been a year of unpredictable and unprecedented change. Just when we feel like we have turned a corner on this pandemic we experience another wave. Despite this, many of our experiences this past year gave us hope. The return of our participants, friends and neighbours to our buildings for a vaccine, walking track appointment or a summer playground program were happy reunions that made Hope an obvious choice for the theme of our annual report. The resiliency of children to adapt to huge changes at home and with school inspired the inclusion of their artwork and quotes in our Gallery of Hope.

We are proud of our primary care team that continued to see patients in person at Langs and North Dumfries while helping other areas of the system wherever they could. Along with our partners, the organization stepped up and helped to host vaccine clinics, to be a short term assessment centre and to offer a number of virtual and mobile events such as our monthly Community Dinners and annual Holiday Dinner.

We are thankful to our Interprofessional Primary Care (IPC) Team and our partners who supported the isolation space for the homeless and a much needed new drop-in program in Cambridge. Without a doubt, we our indebted to our frontline staff and our COVID-19 leadership team for their tireless work and perseverance during the pandemic.

We are thankful to our funders and new and continuing donors who sustained our core programs and enhanced our COVID-19 response over the past year. We are grateful to our Board of Directors as they continued to meet virtually, supported our work during the pandemic, collaborated with the Cambridge and North Dumfries Ontario Health Team, and began important work on diversity and inclusion. The board also approved a refreshed Strategic Plan and we have taken the opportunity in the following pages to highlight our new strategic directions and accomplishments ... all of which has given us hope.



Stephen Paniccia, Board Chair, and Bill Davidson, CEO

**LANGS' STRATEGIC PLAN 2021-2026** 

### **Board of Directors**

#### **STANDING BOARD MEMBERS**

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Stephen Paniccia, **Board Chair,** Angela Asadoorian, and Bill Davidson, CEO

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#### Mission

(Our 'What')

Langs is committed to ensuring that every person in our neighbourhoods will have a place to call home for health, wellness and community support.

#### Vision

(Our 'Why')

Changed Lives, Healthy Communities

#### Values

(Our 'Non-Negotiables')

Integrity

Respect

Accountability

Collaboration

Innovation

Excellence

## Our Response to COVID-19



30,268
Total Number

**Total Number of Virtual Contacts** (phone and online)

These included:

**7,379** Primary Care

4,372 Community Services

375 Social Work

**5.902** Diabetes Education

**221** residents attended 2 virtual Holiday Dinners at Langs and North Dumfries

**8.271** visitors screened

**26** virtual programs

**45** people attended virtual Annual General Meeting

More than **8,500** vaccines administered at clinics hosted by Langs in partnership with the Region of Waterloo and Cambridge and North Dumfries OHT

More than **980** vaccines administered at clinics hosted at the North Dumfries CHC to residents of the rural townships

## Cambridge and North Dumfries Ontario Health Team

The Cambridge and North Dumfries OHT COVID-19 Response Plan was formalized in August, 2020 and has remained responsive to emerging and urgent needs of members, affiliate members and community partners.

Two working groups were formed to address needs in the pandemic – congregate care settings and Long-Term Care/Retirement Home Community of Practice.







- The first patient to receive a COVID-19 vaccine at the vaccination clinic hosted
- 2 Cheryl Morgan and security staff
- Mayor Kathryn McGarry, Bill Davidson and Regional Councillor Karl Kiefer visit the COVID-19 vaccination clinic hosted by Langs

#### AGM Awards

#### Gerald D. Steinman Community Partnership Award

Presented in recognition of a community partner for their significant contribution to the organization

#### THE BRIDGES, CAMBRIDGE SHELTER CORPORATION



#### Gerald D. Steinman Corporate Partnership Award

Presented in recognition of a company for their significant contribution to the organization

#### **SUPER 8 HOTEL**



#### Lorie Delane Youth Leadership Award

Presented to recognize a young person who has developed and applied leadership skills at Langs

#### **BHOOMI PALTA**





I really appreciate that
Langs has arranged a virtual
exercise program during
COVID. I was exercising
with videos prior to the
virtual classes but this
is better since you can
interact with the
instructor. The virtual
classes are very helpful
in these trying times.

After the loss of her husband, a client was encouraged by her Social Worker to watch the Langs YouTube Science of Happiness videos. She shared she found them to be a lifesaver for her. Her mood has improved and she is coping well, and plans to share the link with her daughter as well.

Just continue to provide the awesome, ongoing support that you always provide. This place is great – such a valuable resource – great team of professionals, so helpful and supportive, would be lost without the support from this place.





## Langs Highlights by the Numbers



# Community Engagement by the Numbers



to our walking track in 2020 - 2021

(227 DIFFERENT WALKERS)





## **Participants**

Provide welcoming spaces and services to support people to achieve their best health.

51 new patients accessed primary care at Langs;68 new patients were seen in North Dumfries

**442** individuals received the flu shot at Langs and **999** in North Dumfries

117 tax returns completed at free income tax clinics

**87** volunteers contributed **1,488** hours – at a living wage that's over **\$24,328** in paid time

The Langs Board of Directors contributed more than **380** volunteer hours

Holiday Dinners celebrated virtually with **171** meals delivered from Langs and **50** in North Dumfries clinic

**16** participants attended the GURLS Group program both in person and virtually





Langs staff ready for participants to pick up their mobile Holiday Dinner

2 Volunteers preparing our Holiday Dinner 2020

#### NORTH DUMFRIES CHC SATELLITE

- 359 Well Baby/child visits completed
- Primary Care provided patient care at a ratio of 40.8% virtual (phone/video) to 40.8% in office
- 133 home visits during COVID-19
- 2 pop up COVID-19 testing evenings at ND CHC in partnership with Cambridge Memorial Hospital
- 166 program visits to the virtual Kids That Cook program

## Gallery of Hope

## Children's artwork and thoughts about Hope

My generation gives me hope for the earth's future.

PARTICIPANT AGE 10

Everyone needs a friend to help them grow. Just a small, simple act of kindness can make someone's day and I feel like it's important to be that person.

We all have ups and downs in life when things are great and when things are not the best.

When we're feeling down there's always hope that we will feel up again.

PARTICIPANT AGE 12

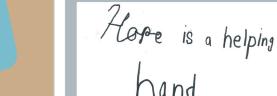
Hope is seeing someone helping another person. When you see someone hurt, ask if they need a helping hand. Stay safe and share hope.

ARTICIPANT AGE 10



PARTICIPANT AGE 13

I hope for fun times with my family.



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Hope starts with dreams and love.

PARTICIPANT AGE 9













My friends give me hope because they make me a better person.

PARTICIPANT AGE 9



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I believe friends give me hope because they make me think I can do anything.

PARTICIPANT AGE 9

I hope that COVID is over soon because I can go to school and not have to wear my mask.

PARTICIPANT AGE 8

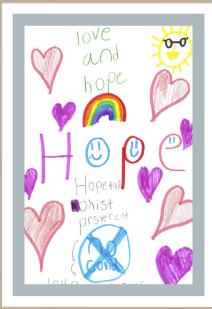
















CAMPAIGN

will be launched this fall

(to raise funds for our youth programs)

For more information or to donate, please go to

WWW.LANGS.ORG/GET-INVOLVED/HOPE-CAMPAIGN

or contact Jeff Hunter, at jeffh@langs.org

## **Participants**

Increase the number of participants served and the range of supports offered.

**10** participants completed the Gender Journeys program

**554** people served by Social Workers

Langs Social Work team developed and implemented 4 programs to address mental health and wellbeing

**310** students across Cambridge and North Dumfries participated in our first virtual Youth Mental Health Fair

**514** program kits delivered to participants in community programs

#### LANGS YOUTH WELLESS HUB (YWH)

A year like no other ...

The Youth Wellness Hub was challenged this year to pivot and respond to the COVID-19 pandemic. Through it all, programs and services shifted to virtual offerings and continued essential services in person when possible.

visits virtually and in person to the Youth Wellness Hub

**5,086** 

views of Food and Mood videos on Instagram

youth participated in counselling with Langs Social Workers

Wellness Hub this year. I wanted to give back to my community and able to help with STEAM at Home and the Youth Council this year. My volunteering gave me purpose!



## North **Dumfries** Highlights by the Numbers











- Kitchen Kreations was available for families to learn more about healthy eating and kitchen safety
- 2 Youth attending the STEAM program
- 3 Staff of the Youth Wellness Hub ready to welcome youth to the centre!
- 4 HOOPS was facilitated in person when permitted

## **Participants**

Respond effectively to participant needs, with an emphasis on disease prevention, chronic disease, mental health and addictions, rehab services and stronger partner engagement.

Langs provided

111 home visits
during COVID-19

It makes our life so much easier...it provides great patient care, centralizes information.

Every medical service should have a

Central Intake.

**419** Well Baby/child visits completed at Langs main site

Primary Care provided patient care at a ratio of **55%** virtual to **30.7%** in office

The Ontario Seniors Dental Care Program provided dental care to **222** seniors, through **1,853** encounters

## Diabetes Education Program Highlights

**8,600** people accessed the Diabetes Education Program

7,347 virtual or in-person individual appointments attended and 511 people attended virtual group sessions

**2,732** visits to **109** different exercise classes and training by a Kinesiologist

**440** visits to the Kinesiologist for individual support

125 people attended 19 pre-diabetes education sessions promoting diabetes prevention

**70** people had a retinal eye screen completed at **14** retinal screening clinics

**1,991** referrals to Langs DEP, **665** (33%) of these were e-referrals

**742** visits for vital treatment by a foot care specialist (Chiropodist) and **51** people accessed the footcare assessment clinics hosted by the DEP RN

143 virtual education classes were offered

Without the basketball program this year, I would have stayed home and played video games for hours.

PARTICIPANT AGE 16





## Campaign Update



#### **Communities**



Further our expertise in prevention, engagement and community development in order to build and enhance residents' sense of belonging in their communities and neighbourhoods.

527 connections**MADE BY SOCIAL WORKERS** 

430 meals-to-go
served at monthly community dinners new youth and adult **PARTICIPANTS** 

## Systems

Collaborate across systems to improve access to and coordination of care.

142

New patients had Coordinated Care Plans

existing patients had Coordinated Care Plans updated

Play a leadership role locally and provincially in areas of excellence such as Community Hubs, Central Intake and Health Link.

**MORE THAN** 

#### 95 visitors

**TOURED THE HUB@1145** 

## 10 partner

**ORGANIZATIONS RETURNED ON SITE AND DELIVERED SERVICES** 

## **One** new partner

THE AIDS COMMITTEE OF CAMBRIDGE, **KITCHENER, WATERLOO & AREA (ACCKWA)** 

#### CONNECTIVITY

**26** situations were brought forward virtually to the Connectivity Table

#### HERITAGE SOCIAL WORK

The Social Work team received **268** referrals for counselling services from the **18** Primary Care providers who make up the Heritage FHO

#### **IPC TEAM HIGHLIGHTS**

439 unique individuals had services provided by the IPC team at 6 different community sites for a total of 3,753 encounters

**5,261** visits to the drop-in program over **110** dates

The team assisted the Bridges Shelter in a partnership with Super 8 Hotel to provide a COVID-19 isolation site including medical support both onsite and by phone 7 days per week until outbreak was declared over

**538** vaccinations given to those experiencing homelessness and to staff serving them

#### **DIABETES CENTRAL INTAKE**

Triaged **8,289** diabetes referrals to diabetes education programs and specialists

Website has been viewed by 93 countries this past year for support and education on diabetes

**325** individuals completed a Self-Management Program to enhance their skills at self-managing their chronic disease

**306** healthcare professionals furthered their expertise at healthcare provider training

#### **ORTHOPEDIC CENTRAL INTAKE**

Received and directed **7,260** referrals to orthopedic surgeons and assessment centres

Received and directed 487 referrals to the Rapid Access Lower Back Clinic (RACLB)

#### **CATARACT CENTRAL INTAKE**

Successfully launched Cataract Central Intake at the end of the year for referrals to Ophthalmologists for cataract surgery

I appreciate you and your team. You are all very diligent at following up and making sure nothing falls through the cracks.





# Organizational Capacity

Strengthen and align resources (i.e. finances, IT, facilities, fundraising and systems) with the programs and services offered.

#### Staff Wellness

Offered various webinars and activities throughout the year such as "Resilience" and "Better Sleep" presentations; 30 days of gratitude, walk and water and journaling exercises, regular Take 5 messages to all staff

Several all staff surveys during COVID-19 to gauge staff wellness

#### Enhance quality through research opportunities, evaluation and evidence-based practice

**275** evaluations were completed in **18** Community Services programs

60 participants evaluated single session/drop-in services

Patient satisfaction remained extremely positive throughout the year, with a **90%** satisfaction rate overall and **100%** of patients felt their provider always or often spent enough time with them

**104** respondents to Community Diabetes Program satisfaction survey

90% of clients felt that virtual delivery was effective to meet their learning needs at this time

85% of clients indicated excellent overall satisfaction with the Diabetes Education Program

#### Actively promote our brand, strengths and successes

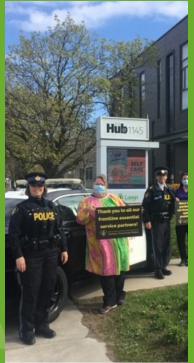
**2,394** views of **39** videos uploaded to Langs' YouTube channel

10,470 people accessed our e-leaflet

**766** unique posts made to social media platforms Facebook, Twitter and Instagram



I have to tell you that I am stunned by your centre. I am stunned by the service that you have given me. It gives me hope.







- Waterloo Region Police Service thanking front line workers
- Paul McMenemy and Heidi Pfleger of Rotary Club of Cambridge - Preston Hespeler hosting the Holiday Dinner
- 3 The Cambridge Symphony Orchestra's Concert Master Joy Schuster and Noah Schuster play for Langs' staff working on site during COVID-19

Cultivate an outstanding environment that invests in the leadership capacity and expertise of our staff, board and volunteers.

**Staff Milestones** 

**20 YEARS** 

Marijke Evans

**15 YEARS** 

Elaine Parker

10 YEARS

Le-Anne Dick

Dana Calma

Cheryl Morgan

**Jo-Ann Vickers** 

**MelissaWallace** 

**5 YEARS** 

Gabby Magliarisi

**David Arnott** 

**Tracy Guitar** 

Hafsah Samad

Kevin Noseworthy

Langs Farm Village Association

**Summarized Financial Information** 

FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2021

# Statement of Operations

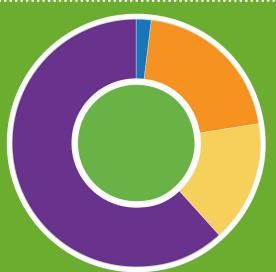


#### Revenues

WW LHIN/MOHETC FUNDING GOVERNMENT FUNDING OTHER FUNDING MIDWIFERY PROGRAM

TY PROGRAM

TOTAL **\$16,470,714** 



## **Expenditures**

SALARIES, BENEFITS AND RELIEF OPERATING EXPENSES MIDWIFERY PROGRAM

\$9,770,996 **\$2,474,315** \$3,255,130

\$10,381,407

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TOTAL **\$15,779,074** 



**Please note:** This financial data is extracted from Langs Farm Village Association's audited financial statements and does not contain all of the information included in the financial statements and, as such, is incomplete. The financial statements were audited by Graham Mathew and are available upon request.

IN EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES

LESS AMOUNTS REPAYABLE TO THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LONG TERM CARE -MIDWIFERY PROGRAM

INTER-FUND TRANSFERS TO RESERVE FUNDS

ACCUMULATED SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF THE YEAR (excluding Capital Fund and Reserves)

ACCUMULATED SURPLUS
AT END OF THE YEAR

\$691,640

-<sup>\$</sup>422,108

-*\$269,532* 

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## **Langs Family of Brands**











## **Funding Partners**











Youth in Recreation
Fund - Ontario Endowment
For Children and Youth
in Recreation Fund

Home and Community Care
Waterloo Wellington
Local Health Integration Network





