



TO: Chair and Members of the Board of Health  
FROM: Christopher Mackie, Medical Officer of Health / CEO  
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**MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH ACTIVITY REPORT FOR DECEMBER**

***Recommendation***

***It is recommended that the Board of Health receive Report No. 078-18 re: “Medical Officer of Health Activity Report for December” for information.***

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The following report presents activities of the Medical Officer of Health (MOH) for the period of November 2, 2018, to November 30, 2018.

- November 2 Attended the Urban Public Health Network (UPHN) Conference in Ottawa
- November 6 Interviewed by Jonathan Juha, *London Free Press*, in regard to Supervised Consumption Facilities (SCFs)  
Attended the Board to Board Engagement meeting, titled “Creating a Community Vision: Infant, Children and Youth Mental Health Services in London-Middlesex,” hosted by Vanier Children’s Services
- November 7 Phone meeting with Dr. David Williams for monthly update
- November 12 Attended the City of London Strategic Plan 2019–23 launch at Goodwill Industries
- November 13 Met with Elizabeth Pelozza, councillor-elect, City of London Ward 12
- November 14 Participated in Council of Medical Officers of Health (COMOH) Executive Committee teleconference  
Met with Arielle Kayabaga, councillor-elect, City of London Ward 13  
Teleconference with Dr. Lisa Simon, AMOH, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit, in regard to SCFs  
Teleconference with The Ontario Public Health Convention (TOPHC) Workshop Committee
- November 15 Taught class in Master’s in Public Health program at Western University  
Teleconference with the Office of Controlled Substances in regard to SCF application  
Attended the Board of Health and Governance Committee meetings
- November 16 Participated in a staff consultation with Endri Poletti, architect, in regard to the new Health Unit location
- November 19 Met with 4<sup>th</sup> Year Medical students to discuss Public Health  
Attended “Leaders in Innovation” event at the Convention Centre
- November 20 Participated in the Indigenous Public Health Community of Practice teleconference

- November 21 Invited to play Mind Grind with other Pillar Innovation Award nominees at Corus Radio for 103.1 FM  
Met with City of London staff to discuss zoning for the 446 York Street SCF
- November 22 Met with Michelle Quintyn, President and CEO at Goodwill Industries to discuss the Community Health Collaborative  
Presented at the City of London new councillor orientation event at the Central Library  
Welcomed City of London councillor elects and staff to the Health Unit as part of the City of London orientation process  
Attended the 2018 Pillar Innovation Awards Celebration and announcement where MLHU and partners received the award for Innovation in Community Collaboration
- November 23 Received the YMCA Peacemaker Award at the Wortley Green YMCA  
Via teleconference, participated on the alpha Board of Directors meeting  
Met with Brian Schwartz, PHO via the phone for an update meeting

This report was submitted by the Office of the Medical Officer of Health.



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