

INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL PRACTITIONERS

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An infection prevention and control practitioner (ICP) is a health care professional with specialized training and expertise in infection prevention and control. The ICP works with all hospital departments to prevent health care-associated infections. They also educate health care staff on infection prevention and control, conduct surveillance and provide expert consultation as needed.

Following today's announcement, the government has now provided funding for 166 hospital ICPs across the province since 2004/05, which is a total investment of over \$13 million. Ontario has provided funding for one ICP for every 100 hospital beds. This is the best ratio in North America.

Listed below is a chart showing the hospital ICP positions funded since 2004/05:

HOSPITAL NAME	Funding 04/08	Funding 08/09
Alexandra Hospital (Ingersoll)	0.5	
Almonte General Hospital (Almonte)	0.5	
Arnprior and District Memorial Hospital Corporation (Arnprior)	0.5	
Atikokan General Hospital (Atikokan)	0.5	
Baycrest Centre for Geriatric Care (Toronto)	1	0.5
Bloorview MacMillan Children's Centre (Toronto)		0.5
Bluewater Health (Sarnia)	2	0.5
Brant Community Health Care System (Brantford)	2	0.5
Bridgepoint Hospital (Toronto)	2.5	0.5
Brockville General Hospital	0.5	
Cambridge Memorial Hospital (Cambridge)	1	
Campbellford Memorial Hospital (Cambellford)	0.5	
Centre for Addiction and Mental Health (Toronto)	3	0.5
Chatham Kent Health Alliance	2	
Collingwood General and Marine Hospital (Collingwood)	0.5	
Cornwall Community Hospital (Cornwall)	1	
The Credit Valley Hospital (Mississauga)	2	0.5
Deep River and District Hospital (Deep River)	0.5	
Dryden Regional Health Centre (Dryden)	0.5	
Espanola General Hospital (Espanola)	0.5	
Glengarry Memorial Hospital (Alexandria)	0.5	

Grand River Hospital Corporation (Kitchener)	2.5	0.5
Grey Bruce Health Services (Owen Sound)	1	
Groves Memorial Community Hospital (Fergus)	0.5	
Guelph General Hospital (Guelph)	0.5	
Headwaters Health Care Centre (Orangeville)	0.5	
Haliburton Highlands Health Services Corporation (Haliburton)	0.5	
Halton Healthcare Services Corporation (Oakville)	1.5	1
Hamilton Health Sciences Corporation (Hamilton)	2	1
Hanover and District Hospital (Hanover)	0.5	
Homewood Health Centre (Guelph)	2	
Hôpital General de Hawkesbury & District General Hospital Inc. (Hawkesbury)	0.5	
Hôpital Montfort Hospital (Ottawa)	1	
Hôpital Notre-Dame Hospital (Hearst)	0.5	
Hôpital Regional de Sudbury Regional Hospital (Sudbury)	2	1
Hotel-Dieu Grace Hospital (Windsor)	2	
Hotel Dieu Shaver Health & Rehabilitation Centre (St Catharines)	1	
Humber River Regional Hospital (Toronto)	1	1
Muskoka - East Parry Sound (Huntsville / Bracebridge)	1	0.5
Huron Perth Hospital Alliance (Seaforth, Stratford, Clinton and St. Mary's)	1	0.5
Joseph Brant Memorial Hospital (Burlington)	2	
Kingston General Hospital (Kingston)	1	
Lady Dunn Health Centre (Wawa)	0.5	
Lake of the Woods District Hospital (Kenora)	0.5	
Lakeridge Health Corporation (Oshawa)	1	1
Leamington District Memorial Hospital (Leamington)	0.5	
Listowel & Wingham Hospital Alliance (Listowel and Wingham)	0.5	
London Health Sciences Centre (London)	2	1
Manitoulin Health Centre (Little Current)	0.5	
Markham Stouffville Hospital (Markham)	2	
Mattawa General Hospital Inc. (Mattawa)	0.5	
The McCausland Hospital (Terrace Bay)	0.5	
MICS Group of Hospitals (Matheson, Iroquois Falls, Cochrane)	0.5	
Strathroy Middlesex General Hospital (Strathroy - part of Middlesex Hospital Alliance)	0.5	
Mount Sinai Hospital (Toronto)		1
Niagara Health System (Niagara Region)	4	1
Nipigon District Memorial Hospital (Nipigon)	0.5	

Norfolk General Hospital (Simcoe)	1	
North Bay General Hospital (North Bay)	1	1
North Simcoe Hospital Alliance (Huronion / Penetanguishene)	1	
North Wellington Health Care Corporation (Mount Forest)	0.5	
Northeast Mental Health Centre (Sudbury)	2	
Northumberland Hills Hospital (Cobourg)	0.5	0.5
The Ottawa Hospital (Ottawa)	1	
Orillia Soldiers' Memorial Hospital (Orillia)	2	
Pembroke General Hospital Inc. (Pembroke)	1	0.5
Penetanguishene Mental Health (Penetanguishene)	1	0.5
Perth and Smiths Falls District Hospital (Smiths Falls)	0.5	
Peterborough Regional Health Centre (Peterborough)	1	
Providence Healthcare (Toronto)	1.5	
Providence Continuing Care Centre (Kingston)	2	0.5
Queensway Carleton Hospital (Ottawa)	1	0.5
Quinte Healthcare Corporation (Belleville)	1.5	0.5
Red Lake Margaret Cochenour Memorial Hospital (Red Lake)	0.5	
Renfrew Victoria Hospital (Renfrew)	0.5	
Ross Memorial Hospital (Lindsay)	0.5	
Rouge Valley Health System (Toronto)	1.5	0.5
Royal Ottawa Health Care Group (Ottawa)	2.5	
The Royal Victoria Hospital of Barrie (Barrie)	1	
Runnymede Healthcare Centre (Toronto)	1	
The Salvation Army Toronto Grace Hospital (Toronto)	1	
Sault Area Hospital (Sault Ste Marie)	2.5	1
The Scarborough Hospital (Toronto)	1	
Sensenbrenner Hospital (Kapusksing)	0.5	0.5
SCO Health Service (Ottawa)	2.5	0.5
Services de Sante de Chapleau Health Services (Chapleau)	0.5	
Sioux Lookout Meno-Ya-Win Health Centre (Sioux Lookout)		0.5
South Bruce Grey Health Centre (Kincardine)	0.5	
Southlake Regional Health Centre (Newmarket)	1	
St. John's Rehabilitation Hospital (Toronto)	1	
St. Joseph's Care Group (Thunder Bay)	2	
St. Joseph's General Hospital (Elliot Lake)	0.5	

St. Joseph's Health Care (London)	4	0.5
St. Joseph's Health Centre (Toronto)	1	
St. Joseph's Healthcare (Hamilton)	2.5	1
St. Joseph's Health Centre (Guelph)	0.5	
St. Mary's General Hospital (Kitchener)	1	
St. Peter's Hospital (Hamilton)	1.5	0.5
St. Thomas-Elgin General Hospital (St Thomas)		0.5
Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Alliston)	0.5	
Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre (Toronto)	1	1
Temiskaming Hospital (New Liskeard)	1	
Thunder Bay Regional Hospital (Thunder Bay)	2	1
Tillsonburg District Memorial Hospital (Tillsonburg)	0.5	
Timmins and District Hospital (Timmins)	0.5	
Toronto East General & Orthopaedic Hospital Inc. (Toronto)	2	0.5
Toronto Rehabilitation Institute (Toronto)	3	0.5
Trillium Health Centre (Mississauga)	3	1
University Health Network (Toronto)	1	
West Haldimand General Hospital (Hagersville)	0.5	
West Lincoln Memorial Hospital (Grimsby)	0.5	
The West Nipissing General Hospital (Sturgeon Falls)	0.5	
West Park Healthcare Centre (Toronto)	1	0.5
Whitby Mental Health (Whitby)	2	0.5
William Osler Health Centre (Brampton)	1.5	1
Wilson Memorial General Hospital (Marathon)	0.5	
Winchester District Memorial Hospital (Winchester)	0.5	
Windsor Regional Hospital (Windsor)	2.5	1
Women's College Health Centre (Toronto)	1	
York Central Hospital (Richmond Hill)	1	0.5
Total Allocation for 2004/2008	136	
Total Allocation for 2008/2009		30
Total ICP Allocation between 2004/2005 - 2008/2009		166