Non-Emergency Medical Assistance

If you need non-emergency medical assistance, you have many options:

- 1. Contact your primary care provider (family doctor or nurse practitioner).
- 2. Visit <u>Health Connect Ontario</u> 24 hours a day, seven days a week to get health advice, help navigate health services and find information.
- 3. Visit one of the <u>Local Walk-In Clinics</u> in our communities. <u>Great Lakes Walk-In</u> <u>Clinic Belleville</u> has an on-site physician available Mon-Fri. 9:30am to 4pm.
- 4. If you have an urgent medication refill, speak with your **pharmacist**. They can often provide short-term refills and other advice.
- 5. Visit a Local Pharmacy to receive prescriptions for 13 common ailments, at no cost to you:
- hay fever (allergic rhinitis)
- oral thrush (candidal stomatitis)
- pink eye (conjunctivitis; bacterial, allergic and viral)
- dermatitis (atopic, eczema, allergic and contact)
- menstrual cramps (dysmenorrhea)
- acid reflux (gastroesophageal reflux disease - GERD)

- hemorrhoids
- cold sores (herpes labialis)
- impetigo
- insect bites and hives
- tick bites (post-exposure prophylaxis to prevent Lyme disease)
- sprains and strains (musculoskeletal)
- urinary tract infections (UTIs)
- 6. If you are experiencing a **mental health crisis** and require emergency intervention, contact the **Crisis Intervention Centre.**
- If you don't have a family doctor and would like to register for one <u>Health Care</u> <u>Connect</u>.
- 8. For community supports and social services, call 2-1-1 or visit **211ontario.ca**.