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Construction Begins

Dear Neighbours:

Starting on **Tuesday February 9**, you will notice active construction happening on the site of the Centre for Addiction and Mental Health (CAMH).

What is CAMH doing?

CAMH is in the midst of a multi-phase Redevelopment Project, transforming our 27-acre site south of Queen into a welcoming, mixed-use 'urban village'. New public streets, parks and green hospital buildings will be together with non-CAMH retail, residences and cafes for the whole community.

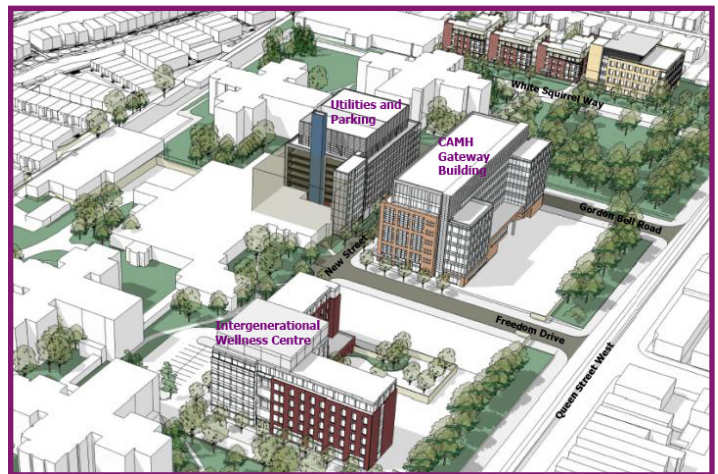
Timelines

Demolition of the CAMH Administration Building at 1001 Queen Street West will begin on February 9. Demolition activity will move from west to east and will be completed by summer 2010. Construction of the three new CAMH buildings will begin in March 2010. This phase of the redevelopment project will be completed by mid 2012.

We recognize that, unfortunately, construction is noisy and disruptive for our neighbours, our staff and our clients. CAMH is committed to keeping you informed about what to expect and will work hard to minimize the disturbances for you.

Noise and Other Disruptions

We anticipate that the demolition of the Administration Building and the laying of the foundations for our three new buildings will generate the most noise. We will monitor the noise level and work with the contractor, Carillion Health Solutions, to mitigate disturbance to the



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community as much as possible. Once the new building shells are complete by mid-2011, the noise will greatly diminish because most of the remaining work will be done inside.

There will be increased truck traffic in the area along Queen St. and going south. We do not expect construction vehicles to use the streets north of Queen St.

Construction Schedule

Construction will take mostly take place between 7:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday. From time to time, some work will need to take place outside these hours, however this is not expected to be the norm. If this does happen, you will be given as much notice and detail as possible.

Please watch our website www.camh.net for construction updates or join our email list to receive regular updates by contacting RedevelopmentFeedback@camh.net or leaving a voicemail at 416-535-8501 ext. 3330. Alternatively, you may contact Kama Lee Jackson, Manager of Redevelopment Communications, at ext. 3248 during regular business hours.