

WHAT IS RAAM?

RAAM (RAPID ACCESS ADDICTION MEDICINE) CLINIC

The **RAAM Clinic** is designed to provide quick access for patients who are in urgent need of an assessment by a medical professional and require immediate evidence-based medical treatment for a substance use disorder (alcohol and/or opioids). The overall goal of the **RAAM** model is to stabilize patients in the short term, and subsequently link them to a community care provider(s) for ongoing monitoring, support and rehabilitation of their substance use disorder.

REFERRALS

- **RAAM** is accepting all clients and no referral is necessary.
- **RAAM** also accepts referrals from community providers, doctors, nurses, social workers and addiction counsellors.

NO APPOINTMENT IS NECESSARY

Appropriate RAAM referrals include patients seeking treatment for the following substance use disorders:

- **OPIOID USE DISORDER**
- **ALCOHOL USE DISORDER /ALCOHOLISM**

CARE TEAM

Our team provides a safe space where individuals can get specialized addiction medicine service and care from a physician, nurse and/or social worker.

RM CLINIC LOCATIONS, HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION

Peterborough AIDS Resource Network (PARN)
Peterborough Regional Health Centre (PRHC)
 159 King St. Suite 302
 K9J 2R8, Peterborough, ON
 t: 705-749-9708
 f: 705-748-3060

Monday, Wednesday & Friday
8 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

RAAM MODEL OF CARE

Effective Treatment Plan:

1. Low Barriers
2. Person-Centred Approach
3. Bridge Community Services
4. Immediate treatment

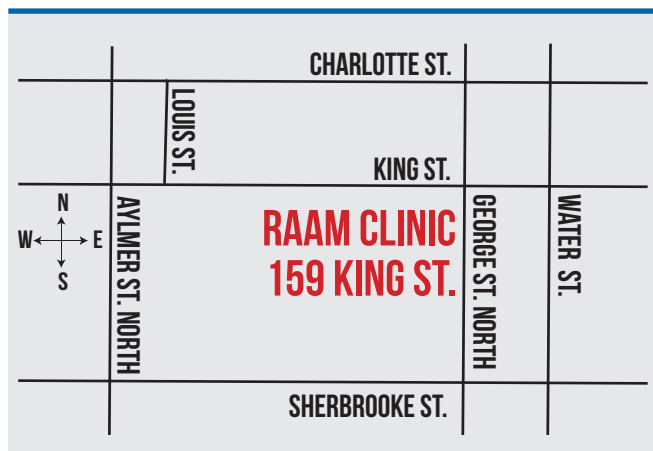
Please indicate potential date of patient visit:

(Clinic hours: 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)

MONDAY _____
(mm/dd/yyyy)

WEDNESDAY _____
(mm/dd/yyyy)

FRIDAY _____
(mm/dd/yyyy)



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**Located inside the PARN office (Peterborough Aids Resource Network)*

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YOU HAVE BEEN REFERRED TO THE **RAAM (RAPID ACCESS ADDICTION MEDICINE) CLINIC**. IT IS FOR PEOPLE LOOKING FOR HELP WITH THEIR SUBSTANCE USE SUCH AS OPIOIDS AND ALCOHOL. THE MEDICAL TEAM AT **RAAM CLINICS** HAS EXPERIENCE TREATING PEOPLE WHO ARE STRUGGLING WITH SUBSTANCE USE AND UNDERSTAND THE BARRIERS ASSOCIATED WITH SEEKING HELP.

WHAT DOES RAAM DO?

RAAM offers fast access to medication assisted therapy for both alcohol and opioid use disorders. RAAM also offers brief support/referral for individuals not currently connected to addiction recovery services and resources.

No appointment or referral is necessary.

THE RAAM TEAM

RAAM provides a safe space where you can get help from a physician, nurse or addiction counsellor for your substance use and/or addiction. Our team can help provide you with the tools to support your goals.

OUR PHILOSOPHY FOR TREATMENT AND CARE ARE:

- **Client-centred**
- **Trauma informed**
- **Without judgment**
- **A healing environment**

If you are feeling nervous or hesitant about going to the clinic, feel free to bring along a friend or family member. You are welcome to come to the clinic even if you are not sure that you have a substance use problem, or you know you have a problem but are not ready to stop yet.

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