

REFERRALS

Requests for assessment will be reviewed on an individual basis and must be accompanied by a doctor's referral.

APPOINTMENTS

For more information about ECHS, please call 416-530-6770.

To book an appointment, please call 416-530-6043.

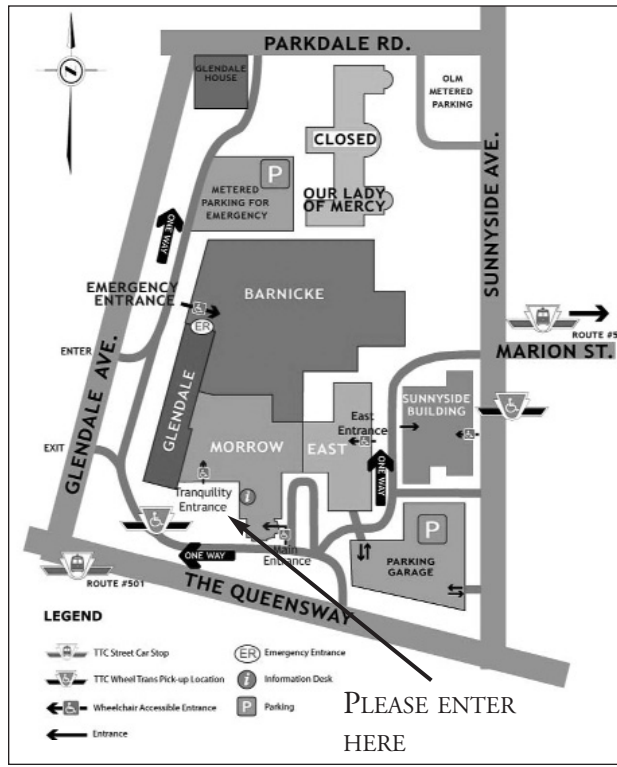
Service hours are Monday to Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION

The ECHS clinic is located at St. Joseph's Health Centre, in the Ambulatory Care Centre (Ground floor, Glendale Wing). Please enter through the Tranquility Entrance, off The Queensway.

The parking garage is located on the corner of Sunnyside Ave. and The Queensway.

Please see the back panel of this brochure for directions to the Health Centre.



When you arrive for your appointment, please enter through the **TRANQUILITY GARDEN ENTRANCE** Glendale Wing, Ground floor, to access the ECHS clinic.

Elderly Community Health Services

at St. Joseph's Health Centre

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ELDERLY COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES (ECHS)

Maximizing independence, wellness and quality of life for elderly people in southwest Toronto.

Elderly Community Health Services (ECHS) provides assessment, consultation and treatment to frail elderly people whose independence is at risk. A specialized team offers interventional care, health education and follow-up assessments for people age 65 and over.

Our goal is to help these individuals and their families cope with the challenges of aging. Our multicultural staff speak several languages and interpretation is available as required.

OUR SERVICES

The staff at ECHS is comprised of professionals with expertise in a variety of areas. They include:

- Geriatricians, Geriatric Psychiatrist
- Nurse Clinician
- Social Worker
- Physiotherapist
- Occupational Therapist
- Speech Language Pathologist

SERVICES OFFERED

Geriatric Assessment and Intervention

- Comprehensive medical, cognitive and functional examination and health screening on a regular basis.

Rehabilitation

- Specialized treatment programs streamlined to the needs of the elderly.

Health Education

- Up-to-date information and resources on management of elderly people living at home.

Supportive Counselling

- Expert consultation and support to families and caregivers who require assistance with caring for frail elderly people living at home.

Placement Planning

- Personalized information to the elderly and their families requiring assistance with planning and selecting appropriate accommodation in the community.

Referrals

- Referrals to other services will be provided as needed.

MONITORING AND PROMOTING WELLNESS

Following our initial assessment, the team will make recommendations for the elderly person's treatment plan. Regular follow-up assessments are offered as required.

ECHS aims to complement and optimize the care provided by the patient's family doctor.