Financial Statements March 31, 2023



# Independent auditor's report

To the Board of Governors of North York General Hospital

#### **Our opinion**

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of North York General Hospital (the Hospital) as at March 31, 2023 and the results of its operations, its remeasurement gains and losses and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

#### What we have audited

The Hospital's financial statements comprise:

- the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2023;
- the statement of operations for the year then ended;
- the statement of changes in net assets for the year then ended;
- the statement of remeasurement losses for the year then ended;
- · the statement of cash flows for the year then ended; and
- the notes to the financial statements, which include significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Independence

We are independent of the Hospital in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.



# Responsibilities of management and those charged with governance for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Hospital's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Hospital or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Hospital's financial reporting process.

## Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to
  fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit
  evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting
  a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may
  involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
  that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the
  effectiveness of the Hospital's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Hospital's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report



to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Hospital to cease to continue as a going concern.

• Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

Oakville, Ontario May 25, 2023

**Statement of Financial Position** 

As at March 31, 2023

(in thousands of dollars)			
		2023 \$	2022 \$
Assets		·	·
Current assets Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable (note 4) Prepaid expenses Inventories		109,279 34,076 7,011 6,850	96,108 37,819 7,156 6,168
mycholos		157,216	147,251
Capital assets (note 5)		261,319	239,299
Other long-term asset		9,433	8,814
Long-term investments (note 6)		6,106	6,173
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Liabilities			,
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Deferred revenue Long-term debt (note 7)		141,790 12,071 775	120,625 16,869 730
		154,636	138,224
Long-term debt (note 7)		5,560	6,335
<b>Derivative liabilities</b> (note 7)		557	961
Employee future benefits (note 9)		13,018	12,779
Deferred capital contributions (note 8	3)	183,231	166,573
Other long-term liability		9,376	6,023
		366,378	330,895
Net Assets			
Invested in capital assets (note 3)		135,084	110,057
Unrestricted		(66,663)	(38,384)
Accumulated remeasurement losses	S	(725)	(1,031)
		67,696	70,642
		434,074	401,537
Commitments and contingencies (no	ote 14)		
Approved by the Board			
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**Statement of Operations** 

For the year ended March 31, 2023

(in thousands of dollars)

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	2023 \$	2022 \$
Revenue	206.047	272 702
Ministry of Health and Ontario Health COVID-19 funding	396,917 21,685	372,782 27,354
Patient services	43,028	38,003
Ancillary operations	53,312	42,863
Amortization of deferred capital contributions – equipment and software	3,842	3,579
	518,784	484,581
Expenses		
Salaries and wages (note 14)	237,672	217,629
Employee benefits (note 9)	62,723	59,883
Medical staff	48,562	44,083
Building and equipment maintenance	33,547	35,990
Drugs Medical and currical cumplica	39,490	34,790
Medical and surgical supplies Other supplies and expenses	25,863 59,808	22,727 55,471
Amortization of equipment and software	8,180	8,162
	515,845	478,735
Excess of revenue over expenses before the undernoted	2,939	5,846
Amortization of deferred capital contributions – building and		
parking facilities	5,147	5,074
Amortization of building and parking facilities	(8,086)	(7,945)
	(2,939)	(2,871)
Excess of revenue over expenses for the year	-	2,975

Statement of Changes in Net Assets

For the year ended March 31, 2023

(in thousands of dollars)

			2023	2022
	Invested in capital assets (note 3)	Unrestricted \$	Total \$	Total \$
Balance – Beginning of year	110,057	(38,384)	71,673	68,698
Impact of adoption of Section PS 3280, Asset Retirement Obligations on April 1, 2022 (note 15)	(3,252)		(3,252)	
Adjusted balance – Beginning of year	106,805	(38,384)	68,421	68,698
Excess of revenue over expenses for the year Invested in capital assets transfer (note 3)	(7,277) 35,556	7,277 (35,556)	- -	2,975 -
Balance – End of year	135,084	(66,663)	68,421	71,673

Statement of Remeasurement Losses

For the year ended March 31, 2023

(in thousands of dollars)		
	2023 \$	2022 \$
Accumulated remeasurement losses – Beginning of year	(1,031)	(1,538)
Unrealized gains (losses) attributable to Changes in fair value Derivatives Investments	404 (98)	698 (191)
Net remeasurement gains for the year	306	507
Accumulated remeasurement losses – End of year	(725)	(1,031)

Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended March 31, 2023

(in thousands of dollars)		
	2023 \$	2022 \$
Cash provided by (used in)		
Operating activities Excess of revenue over expenses for the year Items not affecting cash	-	2,975
Amortization of equipment and software Amortization of building and parking facilities Amortization of deferred capital contributions of equipment and	8,180 7,170	8,162 7,945
software  Amortization of deferred capital contributions of building and parking	(3,842)	(3,579)
facilities Employee future benefits expense (Increase) decrease in investments	(5,147) 238 (30)	(5,074) 636 139
Changes in non-cash components of working capital (note 10)	<u>18,559</u> 25,128	28,750 39,954
Financing activities Capital contributions received	23,120	39,934
Ministry of Health North York General Hospital Foundation and other Repayment of long-term debt	12,555 13,092 (730)	25,743 7,981 (704)
repayment or long term dest	24,917	33,020
Capital activities Purchases of capital assets	(36,874)	(48,695)
Change in cash and cash equivalents during the year	13,171	24,279
Cash and cash equivalents – Beginning of year	96,108	71,829
Cash and cash equivalents – End of year	109,279	96,108

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(in thousands of dollars)

### 1 Operations

North York General Hospital (NYGH or the Hospital), affiliated with the University of Toronto, is a leading community academic hospital in Canada. It offers a wide range of acute care, ambulatory and long-term care services across its seven sites and is a leader in patient and family centred care.

The Hospital was incorporated in 1962, without share capital, under Part III of the Ontario Corporations Act. The Hospital is a registered charity as defined in the Income Tax Act (Canada) and, as such, is exempt from corporate income taxes.

These financial statements include the assets, liabilities and activities of the Hospital. These financial statements do not include the activities of the North York General Hospital Foundation (the Foundation) or the activities of the North York General Hospital Volunteer Services.

#### **Impacts of COVID-19**

On March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization characterized the outbreak of a strain of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) as a pandemic, which has resulted in a series of public health and emergency measures being put in place to combat the spread of the virus. As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Hospital experienced a change in the demand for its services and incurred unbudgeted pandemic response expenditures.

During the year ended March 31, 2023, the Hospital incurred pandemic-related incremental operating expenditures of \$21,685 (2022 – \$27,354). This amount was recognized as Ministry of Health (MOH) COVID-19 funding revenue in the statement of operations for the year ended March 31, 2023, in accordance with the MOH's COVID-19 Hospital Expenses Guidance document.

In addition to funding received, the Hospital received \$2,566 (2021 – \$6,249) in temporary pandemic pay funding for eligible staff and temporary physician pay funding, which have been offset in salaries and wages, employee benefits and medical staff in the statement of operations during the year, since the Hospital acted as an agent for the MOH in respect of distributing the pay to staff and physicians.

Although the pressures of the COVID-19 pandemic appear to be relenting and many changes within and external to the Hospital are resembling a return to pre-pandemic practices, and various provincial programs and supports have now been discontinued, there are continuing costs with regard to provincial funding in recognition of these costs. As a result, it is not possible to reliably estimate the impact on the financial results of the Hospital in future periods.

#### 2 Summary of significant accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards including accounting standards that apply only to government not-for-profit organizations.

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#### **Revenue recognition**

The Hospital follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions, which include donations and government grants. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received or receivable. Externally restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are incurred.

Under the Health Insurance Act (Ontario) and the regulations thereunder, the Hospital is funded primarily by the Province of Ontario in accordance with funding arrangements established by the MOH and Ontario Health (an integrated organization of previous provincial health units including Local Health Integration Network and Cancer Care Ontario). Operating grants are recorded as revenue in the period to which they relate. Grants approved but not received at the end of a period are accrued. Where a portion of a grant relates to a future period, it is deferred and recognized in the subsequent period. These financial statements reflect management's best estimates of funding arrangements with the MOH and Ontario Health. The Hospital has entered into an accountability agreement with Ontario Health, which requires the Hospital to meet certain financial and non-financial performance indicators.

All investment income is unrestricted and recognized as revenue when earned.

Amortization of building and parking facilities is not fully funded by the MOH and accordingly the amortization of building and parking facilities has been reflected as an undernoted item in the statement of operations with the corresponding realization of revenue for deferred donations and grants.

Contributions received in the form of donations and grants for specific capital expenditures are initially deferred and recorded as deferred capital contributions. These deferred contributions are recognized in revenue on the same basis as the amortization of the cost of the related capital assets.

#### **Employee benefit plans**

Substantially all employees of the Hospital are eligible to be members of the Healthcare of Ontario Pension Plan (HOOPP), which is a multi-employer, best five years' average earnings and contributory pension plan; employees are entitled to certain post-employment benefits. Contributions made to HOOPP are expensed as funded, as the plan is accounted for as a defined contribution plan.

The Hospital provides certain healthcare, dental, life insurance and other benefits for certain retired employees. The cost of post-employment benefits is determined using the accrued benefit method pro-rated on service and management's best estimate of expected salary escalation, retirement ages of employees and healthcare costs. The discount rate used to determine the accrued benefit obligation was determined by reference to the rate of return on provincial government bonds with an additional risk premium specific to the Hospital for varying durations based on cash flows expected from employee future benefit obligations. Actuarial gains and losses are amortized over the remaining service lives of the employees. Past-service costs relating to plan amendments are expensed when incurred.

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#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include short-term investments that have a term to maturity of three months or less from the date of purchase. Included in cash and cash equivalents is restricted cash of \$66,583 (2022 – \$44,395) pertaining to unspent capital contributions and \$12,071 (2022 – \$16,869) pertaining to deferred revenue.

#### **Inventories**

Inventories consist primarily of hospital supplies held for patient care and are recorded at the lower of cost and replacement cost. Outpatient pharmacy inventories, which are sold at prices that reflect fair value, are valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Cost is determined by the first-in, first-out method.

#### **Capital assets**

Capital assets are stated at cost, less accumulated amortization.

Expenditures for new facilities, or expenditures that substantially increase the useful lives of existing capital assets, are capitalized. Renovation costs to maintain normal operating efficiency are expensed as incurred. Contributed capital assets are recorded at fair value at the date of acquisition.

Amortization is provided for by the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets at rates as follows:

Parking facilities	4% – 10%
Buildings	2-1/2% – 20%
Equipment	5% – 20%
Software	33-1/3%

Projects-in-progress comprise direct construction and development costs. No amortization is recorded until construction is substantially complete and the assets are ready for use.

#### Impairment of long-lived assets

An impairment charge is recorded for long-lived assets when a capital asset no longer has any long-term service potential. The impairment loss is calculated as the difference between the net carrying value of the asset over any residual value.

#### **Contributed services**

A substantial number of volunteers contribute a significant amount of their time each year. Due to the difficulty of determining the fair value, these contributed services are not recognized or disclosed in the financial statements and related financial statement notes.

#### Joint ventures

The investment in joint ventures is accounted for using the modified equity method.

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#### **Financial instruments**

The Hospital's financial instruments are measured as follows:

Assets/liabilities	Measurement category
Cash and cash equivalents	amortized cost
Accounts receivable	amortized cost
Other long-term asset	amortized cost
Long-term investments	fair value
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	amortized cost
Long-term debt	amortized cost
Derivative liabilities	fair value
Other long-term liability	amortized cost

Transaction costs related to financial instruments are expensed as incurred.

#### **Derivatives**

Interest rate swap agreements are used as part of the Hospital's program to manage the fixed and floating interest rate mix of the Hospital's long-term debt portfolio and related overall cost of borrowing. Interest to be paid or received under such swap contracts is recognized over the life of the contracts as adjustments to interest expense.

#### Fair value measurement

The following classification system is used to describe the basis of the inputs used to measure the fair values of financial instruments in the fair value measurement category:

- Level 1 quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2 market-based inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data; assumptions are based on the best internal and external information available and are most suitable and appropriate based on the type of financial instrument being valued in order to establish what the transaction price would have been on the measurement date in an arm's length transaction.

Long-term investments are measured as Level 1 financial instruments and the derivative liabilities are measured as Level 2 financial instruments.

Unrealized gains and losses from changes in the fair value of financial instruments are recognized in the statement of remeasurement losses. On settlement, the cumulative gain or loss is reclassified from the statement of remeasurement losses and are recognized in the statement of operations. Interest and dividends attributable to financial instruments are reported in the statement of operations. Transaction costs on assets measured at fair value are expensed as incurred.

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All financial assets, except derivative liabilities and long-term investments, are tested annually for impairment. When financial assets are impaired, impairment losses are recorded in the statement of operations. A writedown of long-term investments to reflect a loss in value is not reversed for a subsequent increase in value.

For financial instruments measured using amortized cost, the effective interest rate method is used to determine interest revenue or expense.

#### **Measurement uncertainty**

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period.

A portion of the revenue recognized from the MOH requires estimation. The Hospital has entered into accountability agreements that set out the rights and obligations of the parties in respect of funding provided to the Hospital by the MOH for the year ended March 31, 2023. The accountability agreements set out certain performance standards and obligations that establish acceptable results for the Hospital's performance in a number of areas.

If the Hospital does not meet its performance standards or obligations as set out in the agreements or in specific funding letters, the MOH has the right to adjust funding received by the Hospital. The MOH is not required to communicate certain funding adjustments until after the submission of year-end data. Since this data is not submitted until after the completion of the financial statements, the amount of MOH funding received during a year may be increased or decreased subsequent to year-end. The amount of revenue recognized in these financial statements represents management's best estimates of amounts that have been earned during the year.

The COVID-19 pandemic has added to the Hospital's measurement uncertainty primarily due to judgment required by management to make significant assumptions related to critical estimates as they relate to funding received from the MOH for incremental costs related to COVID-19. Calculating the amount of the incremental funding requires judgment in interpreting the related guidelines published by the MOH as at the date of these financial statements. There is uncertainty as to the extent to which funding will be clawed back if additional clarifying guidance is published by the MOH. Given the likelihood of the MOH issuing additional guidance, there is an increased risk that funding provided may be clawed back and that COVID-19 funding has not been appropriately recorded in the statement of operations.

Actual results could differ from those estimates. Accounts requiring significant estimates include collectibility of accounts receivable, accrued and contingent liabilities, deferred revenue and employee future benefits. Employee future benefits (note 9) are subject to measurement uncertainty because actual results may differ significantly from the Hospital's best long-term estimate of expected results.

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#### Use of estimates

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent liabilities as at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Accounts requiring significant estimates include collectibility of accounts receivable, recoverability and useful lives of capital assets, COVID-19 revenue and employee future benefits.

#### Future changes in accounting policies

Effective for the fiscal year beginning on April 1, 2023, the Hospital will be required to follow Public Sector Accounting (PSA) Handbook Section PS 3400, Revenue. The section establishes standards on how to account for and report on revenue. Specifically, it differentiates between revenue arising from transactions that include performance obligations and those that do not. The Hospital will adopt the new section in its financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2024 and is currently evaluating the impact that the new section will have on the financial statements.

#### 3 Invested in capital assets

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Capital assets Long-term debt (note 7) Impact of adoption of Section PS 3280, Asset Retirement Obligations	261,319 (6,335)	239,299 (7,065)
(note 15) Deferred capital contributions expended	(3,252) (116,648)	- (122,177)
<u> </u>	135,084	110,057
The change in net assets invested in capital assets is determined as follows:		
	2023 \$	2022 \$
Excess of revenue over expenses  Amortization of deferred capital contributions		
Equipment and software Building and parking facilities	3,842 5,147	3,579 5,074
	8,989	8,653
Amortization of capital assets Equipment and software Building and parking facilities	8,180 8,086	8,162 7,945
	16,266	16,107
Excess of expenses over revenue	(7,277)	(7,454)

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(in	thousands of dollars)			
			2023 \$	2022 \$
	Net change in invested in capital assets Purchase of capital assets Increase in deferred capital contributions Decrease in long-term debt		38,286 (3,460) 730	48,695 (15,948) 704
			35,556	33,451
4	Accounts receivable			
			<b>2023</b> \$	2022 \$
	MOH Patient receivables Ontario Health The Foundation Other		13,418 11,760 3,699 611 5,723	21,103 8,658 1,192 284 7,035
	Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts		35,211 1,135	38,272 453
			34,076	37,819
5	Capital assets			
				2023
		Cost \$	Accumulated amortization \$	Net \$
	Land Parking facilities Buildings Equipment Software	541 28,175 282,308 205,516 48,646	17,982 144,279 181,440 36,672	541 10,193 138,029 24,076 11,974
	Projects-in-progress	565,186 76,506	380,373 -	184,813 76,506
	_	641,692	380,373	261,319

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			2022
	Cost \$	Accumulated amortization \$	Net \$
Land Parking facilities Buildings Equipment Software	541 27,766 280,852 199,878 46,677	17,182 136,306 174,564 35,175	541 10,584 144,546 25,314 11,502
Projects-in-progress	555,714 46,812 602,526	363,227 363,227	192,487 46,812 239,299

# 6 Long-term investments

The Hospital has invested cash committed to be spent on future construction and capital projects with an investment management firm. These investments are held in short-term bond pooled funds at a fair value of 5,648 (2022 – 5,600).

Also included in long-term investments is the Hospital's investment in two joint ventures of \$458 (2022 – \$573) (note 11).

## 7 Long-term debt

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Term loan, bearing interest at 5.97%, repayable in blended monthly payments of \$35, maturing in October 2029 Term loan, bearing interest at 6.22%, repayable in blended monthly	2,261	2,534
payments of \$61, maturing in February 2030	4,074	4,531
Less: Current portion	6,335 775	7,065 730
-	5,560	6,335

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Principal repayments of long-term debt are as follows:

	\$
2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 Thereafter	775 825 877 932 990 1,936
	6,335

The Hospital fixed the interest rates on all the term loans by entering into interest rate swap agreements. Interest rate swap contracts range from 5.97% to 6.22% and expire in fiscal 2030.

The Hospital has available an unsecured operating facility with a Canadian chartered bank in the amount of \$12,000. The Hospital has \$86 (2022 – \$86) in outstanding letters of credit drawn on this facility.

#### 8 Deferred capital contributions

Deferred capital contributions represent the unamortized amount and unspent amount of donations and grants received for the purchase of capital assets.

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Balance – Beginning of year Contributions received Amortization	166,573 25,647 (8,989)	141,502 33,724 (8,653)
Balance – End of year	183,231	166,573

Included in the year-end balance is \$66,583 (2022 - \$44,395) in unspent donations and grants.

#### 9 Employee benefit plans

#### **Healthcare of Ontario Pension Plan**

Contributions made to the plan during the year by the Hospital amounted to \$17,996 (2022 – \$17,553). These amounts are included in the employee benefits expense in the statement of operations. Should there be a contribution deficiency in the plan, the Hospital may be required to make additional contributions to cover these deficiencies.

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#### Other post-employment benefit plans

The Hospital offers various non-pension post-employment benefit plans to a number of its employees.

The Hospital is responsible for 50% to 75% of the cost of extended healthcare, dental and semi-private accommodation, and for 100% of the cost of group life insurance for some retirees.

Information about the Hospital's employee future benefits is as follows:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Accrued benefit obligation – Beginning of year Current service cost Interest cost Amortization of net actuarial loss	11,221 464 421 (1,187)	14,125 621 419 (3,359)
Benefits paid	10,919 (611)	11,806 (585)
Accrued benefit obligation – End of year Ending unamortized actuarial experience gain	10,308 2,710	11,221 1,558
Accrued benefit liability	13,018	12,779

Employee contributions during the year were \$130 (2022 - \$123).

The most recent actuarial valuation of the obligation was performed as at March 31, 2022.

The significant actuarial assumptions utilized in measuring the Hospital's accrued benefit obligations for the non-pension post-retirement benefit plans are as follows:

- a discount rate to determine the accrued benefit obligations of 3.7% (2022 2.9%);
- dental costs increasing by 5.1% (2022 4.9%) per annum; and
- extended healthcare costs and semi-private hospital coverage of 4.7% (2022 4.5%).

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#### 10 Changes in non-cash components of working capital

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Accounts receivable	3,743	(2,248)
Prepaid expenses	145	(1,814)
Inventories	(682)	(851)
Other long-term asset	(619)	(544)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Deferred revenue	17,417	28,147
Other long-term liability	(4,798) 3,353	5,762 298
	18,559	28,750

#### 11 Related party transactions

The Foundation was established to raise funds to support the Hospital and its program and capital needs. The Foundation is incorporated without share capital under the laws of the Province of Ontario and is a charitable organization registered under the Income Tax Act (Canada). The Hospital is considered to have significant influence over the Foundation due to common directors on the boards. The Foundation provided capital grants during the year ended 2023 of \$12,547 (2022 - \$7,752), which have been reflected as deferred capital contributions, and also provided operational grants of \$1,574 (2022 - \$2,345), which have been recognized as revenue from ancillary operations. In addition, there is \$611 (2022 - \$284) receivable from the Foundation for reimbursement of costs incurred on its behalf.

The Hospital is party to a joint venture agreement with Proresp Inc. The joint venture, North York ProResp, provides home respiratory products and services to the community. The Hospital's share of revenue for the year was \$82 (2022 – \$127), which was recorded in ancillary operations.

The Hospital is party to a joint venture agreement with 2359158 Ontario Inc. The joint venture, North York General Assessment and Wellness Centre, provides independent medical examination services to insurance companies, employers, government organizations and the Workplace Safety and Insurance Board. The Hospital's share of revenue for the year was \$367 (2022 – \$771), which was recorded in ancillary operations.

#### 12 Risk management

The Hospital is exposed to a variety of financial risks, including market risk, interest rate risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The Hospital's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimize potential adverse effects on the Hospital's financial performance.

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#### Market risk

The Hospital is exposed to market risk through the fluctuation of financial instrument fair values due to changes in market prices. The significant market risk to which the Hospital is exposed is interest rate risk.

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk arises from the possibility that changes in interest rates will affect the value of fixed income securities held by the Hospital. The interest bearing long-term investments have a limited exposure to interest rate risk due to their nature. The Hospital has entered into interest rate swap contracts to mitigate the interest rate risk on the long-term debt.

#### Credit risk

The Hospital's principal financial assets are cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable and long-term investments, which are subject to credit risk. The carrying amounts of financial assets on the statement of financial position represent the Hospital's maximum credit exposure at the statement of financial position date.

The Hospital's credit risk is primarily attributable to its accounts receivable. The amounts disclosed in the statement of financial position are net of an allowance for doubtful accounts, estimated based on previous experience and an assessment of the current economic environment. The Hospital is exposed to credit risk in the event of non-payment by patients for non-insured services and services provided to non-resident patients. The risk is common to hospitals as they are required to provide care for patients regardless of their ability to pay for services provided.

As at March 31, 2023, the following accounts receivable were past due but not impaired:

	30 days \$	60 days \$	90 days \$	Over 120 days \$
Accounts receivable	7,242	893	595	2,516

The credit risk on cash and cash equivalents and long-term investments is limited because the counterparties are institutions with high credit. Cash and cash equivalents is held in highly rated Canadian chartered banks.

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk the Hospital will not be able to meet its financial obligations when they come due. The Hospital manages its liquidity risk by forecasting cash flows from operations and anticipating investing and financing activities and maintaining credit facilities to ensure it has sufficient available funds to meet current and foreseeable financial requirements.

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The table below is a maturity analysis of the Hospital's financial liabilities:

	Up to 1 year \$	More than 1 year up to 5 years \$	More than 5 years \$	Total \$
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	141,790	-	-	141,790
Other long-term liability	-	9,376	-	9,376
Long-term debt (including interest)	1,159	4,605	2,055	7,819
	142,949	13,981	2,055	158,985

#### 13 Shared services

The Hospital is a member of Plexxus, a not-for-profit shared services organization the mandate of which is to provide supply chain services to member organizations. The objectives of Plexxus are to maximize supply chain savings that will be reinvested in direct patient care. On April 1, 2023, Plexxus was amalgamated with Mohawk Medbuy Corporation.

The Hospital is a member of Shared Hospital Laboratory, a not-for-profit organization the mandate of which is to provide laboratory services to its member organizations. During the year the Hospital paid \$nil (2022 – \$nil) to Shared Hospital Laboratory in connection with laboratory services.

#### 14 Commitments and contingencies

- i) Due to the nature of its operations, the Hospital is periodically subject to lawsuits in which the Hospital is a defendant, as well as grievances filed by its various unions. In the opinion of management, the ultimate resolution of any current lawsuits and/or grievances would not have a material effect on the Hospital's financial position or results of operations.
- ii) Healthcare Insurance Reciprocal of Canada (HIROC) was formed in 1987 as an insurance reciprocal pursuant to the Insurance Act of Ontario. HIROC is licensed in Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, British Columbia, Northwest Territories, Yukon, Nunavut and Newfoundland and Labrador. It facilitates the exchange of reciprocal contracts of insurance among its subscribers, which are not-for-profit Canadian healthcare organizations including the Hospital. Subscribers pay annual premiums, which are actuarially determined and are subject to assessment for losses in excess of such premiums, if any, experienced by the group of subscribers for the years in which they were a subscriber. No such assessments have been made as at March 31, 2023.

In fiscal 2015, the Hospital entered into an agreement with HIROC whereby HIROC continues to provide indemnity insurance to the Hospital; however, the cost of investigating and defending any litigation claim, previously included in the insurance premium, will be borne by the Hospital. Costs associated with claims arising prior to January 1, 2012 will be borne by HIROC. Projected costs of defending claims that arise subsequent to January 1, 2012 are based on claims defence costs incurred by HIROC in the past.

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Since its inception in 1987, HIROC has accumulated an unappropriated surplus, which is the total of premiums paid by all subscribers plus investment income, less the obligation for claims reserves and expenses and operating expenses. Each subscriber that has an excess of premiums plus investment income over the obligation for its allocation of claims reserves and expenses and operating expenses, may be entitled to receive distributions of its share of the unappropriated surplus at the time such distributions are declared by the Board of Directors of HIROC. There is no distribution receivable from HIROC as at March 31, 2023.

iii) The Hospital has operating lease agreements with payments due approximately as follows:

	\$
2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 Thereafter	1,574 1,709 1,670 1,670 1,681 10,133
	18,437

iv) In November 2022, the Ontario Superior Court of Justice ruled that Bill 124 was unconstitutional, enabling unions to trigger reopener provisions in collective agreements. With the triggering of the reopener clause by the Ontario Nurses Association (ONA), the Ontario Hospital Association (OHA) was required to resume negotiations with unions on compensation for the years that were previously capped by Bill 124. In April 2023, the arbitrators released decisions regarding the monetary award for ONA. The Hospital has accrued a liability for salaries payable in the amount of \$13,179 under the reopener clause of the ONA collective agreement.

#### 15 Adoption of Section PS 3280, Asset Retirement Obligations (ARO)

During the year, the Hospital adopted ARO using the modified retroactive approach without restating comparatives. As a result of applying the new accounting policies (as described in note 2), an asset retirement obligation of \$3,748 was recognized in the statement of financial position as at April 1, 2022, representing the estimated asbestos costs for three specific buildings and disposal costs related to fuel storage tanks. The below is a summary of the changes at April 1, 2022:

	As previously reported \$	Adjustments \$	April 1, 2022 \$ As restated
Capital assets	206,711	496	207,207
Other long-term liability	5,725	3,748	9,473
Unrestricted net assets	70,642	(3,252)	67,390

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