

Central Health Board of Trustees

Board Chair Report

May 2021

I'm pleased to share highlights from our open board meeting, held May 18, 2021.

The Board is pleased to report that 91% of the actions stemming from 36 recommendations as a result of the External Review have been completed. Released in May 2018, the review focused on governance, leadership, clinical management, relationships, succession planning, and community engagement. In total, there were 145 actions – 132 of 145 of the actions – stemming from the External Review recommendations have been completed; and 13 actions are still in progress. The Board would like to thank Central Health President and CEO Andrée Robichaud and her entire team for the work they have done over the past two and a half years. The Board appreciates the significant effort that has been put into the recommendations of the review.

The Board is pleased to report the implementation of the 2020-2023 Strategic Plan, which was developed under the direction of, and approved by, the Central Health Board of Trustees. The Strategic Plan defines this organization's direction and strategy and dictates how we allocate our resources to deliver on the strategy outlined. This plan will require us all working together, and with our partners, to achieve the goals.

The Board would like to pass along congratulations to the staff and residents of the Green Bay region on the opening of the new Green Bay Health Centre in Springdale. Developed with provincial government funding, this single-story 27,560 square foot facility was designed using a Person – and Family-Centre Care approach, and with Patient Experience Advisors involved throughout its development, to create a positive user-friendly experience for patients. A virtual tour is available on the Central Health website – www.centralhealth.nl.ca.

The next open board meeting is scheduled for June 29, 2021.

Don Sturge
Chair, Central Health Board of Trustees