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## TRILLIUM HEALTH PARTNERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS ANNOUNCES DR. SAM SABBAH AS CHIEF OF STAFF

**May 14, 2024 (MISSISSAUGA, ON)** – Today, Trillium Health Partners (THP) announced that Dr. Sam Sabbah has been appointed as the new Chief of Staff for Trillium Health Partners, following an extensive national search process. Dr. Sabbah will begin his role on September 4, 2024.

Dr. Sabbah's extensive experience includes 15 years at University Health Network (UHN) where he held leadership roles in the Emergency Department and on various committees that pioneered new patient safety, quality improvement and digital transformation initiatives. As an Assistant Professor within the Department of Medicine at the University of Toronto's Temerty Faculty of Medicine, Dr. Sabbah is passionate about educating the next generation of health care providers.

"On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am very pleased to welcome Dr. Sabbah to THP as our new Chief of Staff. His career exemplifies putting patients at the centre of important advancements in healthcare," said Christine Magee, Chair of the THP Board of Directors. "Dr. Sabbah is a leader in continuous quality improvement and harnessing the power of information technology and innovation to improve the overall patient and provider experience. He will play a vital role in working with our professional staff and the entire team at THP as we deliver high quality care today while building for the future."

Mississauga is one of the most diverse cities in the world with an increasingly aging population. Dr. Sabbah brings a proven track record of implementing strategies to support the unique health needs of people and increasing access to care for all, including those in underserved and equity-deserving populations. This experience will help advance THP's mission of shaping a more inclusive and connected system that leaves no one behind. His credentials include the development of Canada's first ever Senior's Emergency Department, the establishment of a virtual emergency department, and cross-sector collaborations to bring Indigenous Health Navigators and Community Peer Support Workers into the Emergency Department.

THP is pleased to have Dr. Sabbah join its pursuit of high-quality care and exceptional experiences for all. We look forward to Dr. Sabbah's leadership as we advance our mission of shaping the future of health care for our community and beyond through <a href="https://example.com/Trillium HealthWorks">Trillium HealthWorks</a>, Canada's largest health infrastructure project.

## **Trillium Health Partners**

Trillium Health Partners is one of the largest community-based hospital systems in Canada. Comprised of Credit Valley Hospital, the Mississauga Hospital and the Queensway Health Centre, Trillium Health Partners serves the growing and diverse populations of Mississauga, West Toronto and surrounding communities. Trillium Health Partners is a teaching hospital affiliated with the University of Toronto, an associate member of the Toronto Academic Health Science Network and a proud member of Mississauga Health (Ontario Health Team).

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