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MEDIA ADVISORY/PHOTO OPPORTUNITY:

Special Media Preview Tour of New Hospice Residential Homes

What: The Hospice of Windsor and Essex County invites local media to tour our new Residential Homes

Why: This is an exclusive opportunity to learn about Hospice's new 24-hour residential care for eligible people facing life-threatening illnesses before the homes open. Media members will be able to interview patient and family design consultants, the architect, lead donors and the Hospice Care team. Access to the homes will be limited once the homes open to residents.

When: Tuesday, April 10th from 10 a.m. (Tour to be followed by opportunities for media interviews with patients and Hospice Care team)

Where: The Hospice Village Residential Homes, 6038 Empress Street.

Background. The opening of an 8 bed residential patient home marks the culmination of the efforts of hundreds of board, staff members, volunteers and donors in the Windsor and Essex community over the past 27 years to fund-raise and provide a place of compassion for patients diagnosed with a life-threatening illness and their families to live in.

The Residential Homes are the newest additions to Canada's first Hospice Village. When completed, the Hospice Village will provide an entire range of compassionate care and services on one site and consist of our newly constructed Residential Homes, the Wellness Centre and all of its programs, our Pain Clinic and the Children's House. This new service complements the existing community-based support we provide to over 800 individuals and families in their homes, hospitals and long-term care facilities across Windsor and Essex County each year.

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To confirm your attendance at this event and for more information, please contact:

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