Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux de l'Outaouais

## **Press Release**

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## **INAUGURATION OF THE NEW ONCOLOGY FACILITIES** AT THE PONTIAC HOSPITAL

Shawville, May 19th, 2023 – The Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux (CISSS) de l'Outaouais and The Pontiac Community Hospital Foundation are happy to announce to the population that the oncology facilities in the Pontiac Hospital have been expanded.

The improvement of the space now makes it possible to add 2 additional chairs for a potential total of 9, which is excellent news for the people of the Pontiac with this investment of nearly \$30,000.

In addition to making it possible to offer a quality and safe service to our users who come to our oncology facilities, the care team will be better organized to work in a better-adapted environment with more spacious facilities. In the context where cancer affects more people, it is imperative to offer local services proportionate to the needs of the population.

The Pontiac Community Hospital Foundation: "It is with great joy that we announce the inauguration of the new local oncology facilities at the Pontiac Hospital, this is a step forward for us because they will improve the quality of services offered to our community!"

Quote from Nicole Boucher Larivière, Proximity Director of the RLS du Pontiac: "On behalf of the users and staff of the CISSS de l'Outaouais, I would like to thank the foundation and the donors for their great involvement and generosity. The Pontiac community takes their local health services to heart and we are very grateful!"

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