Financial statements March 31, 2018



## Independent auditors' report

To the Board of Directors of **Thames Valley Children's Centre** 

## Report on the financial statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of **Thames Valley Children's Centre**, which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2018, and the statements of operations, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

#### Management's responsibility for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, 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.

## Auditors' responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditors consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

#### Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of **Thames Valley Children's Centre** as at March 31, 2018, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

#### Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

As required by the *Corporations Act* (Ontario), we report that, in our opinion, Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations have been applied on a basis consistent with the preceding year.

London, Canada May 28, 2018

Chartered Professional Accountants Licensed Public Accountants

Ernst & young LLP



Incorporated without share capital under the laws of Ontario

# Statement of financial position

As at March 31

	2018	2017
	\$	\$
Assets		
Current		
Cash and cash equivalents	2,324,054	1,116,109
Investments [note 6]	8,204,435	8,771,603
Accounts receivable	605,321	644,456
Other assets	188,500	371,033
Total current assets	11,322,310	10,903,201
Capital assets, net [note 4]	10,442,877	10,774,566
Long-term lease [note 5]	69	70
	21,765,256	21,677,837
Liabilities and net assets		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities [note 12]	2,764,989	2,605,127
Due to Ministry of Children and Youth Services [note 13]	1,689,025	811,089
Current portion of term loan [note 7]	80,099	314,996
Current portion of deferred contributions [note 8]	503,324	505,784
Total current liabilities	5,037,437	4,236,996
Term loan [note 7]	_	80,086
Deferred contributions [note 8]	10,518,729	10,814,086
Total liabilities	15,556,166	15,131,168
Commitments and contingencies [notes 17 and 18]		
Net assets		
Internally restricted net assets [note 9]	5,470,963	5,470,963
Unrestricted net assets	738,127	1,075,706
Total net assets	6,209,090	6,546,669
	21,765,256	21,677,837

# Statement of operations

Year ended March 31

		2018			2017
	Government sponsored programs	Community funds	Contracted services	Total	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenue					
Ministry of Children and Youth Services					
Rehab [note 13]	8,260,599	_	_	8,260,599	8,278,786
Autism [notes 13 and 15]	17,999,832	_	_	17,999,832	16,180,637
Grey Bruce Preschool Speech & Language [note 13]	684,825	_	_	684,825	475,325
Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care				,	,
Priority programs	650,850	_	_	650,850	629,142
Other agencies	147,476	44,980	_	192,456	214,398
Fees for service	11,817	13,188	3,164,811	3,189,816	3,531,492
Fundraising grant and special purpose donations	· —	997,898	· · · —	997,898	975,967
Investment income [note 6]	5,595	72,044	_	77,639	642,159
Amortization of deferred capital contributions [note 8[b]]	255,405	512,639	_	768,044	703,731
Other	26,109	41	_	26,150	19,746
	28,042,508	1,640,790	3,164,811	32,848,109	31,651,383
Program expenses [notes 2 and 3]					
Clinical and technical specialty services	3,552,907	79,708	2,052,065	5,684,680	5,941,470
Early childhood, school age and adolescent services	5,484,652	362,160	1,238,640	7,085,452	6,951,430
Grey Bruce Preschool Speech & Language	742,972	_	_	742,972	520,579
Autism services [note 15]	18,006,572	_	_	18,006,572	16,193,801
Research	_	257,171	_	257,171	295,902
Community resources	_	526,156	_	526,156	571,750
Special purposes	_	2,376	_	2,376	10,343
Amortization of capital assets	255,405	624,904	_	880,309	830,019
	28,042,508	1,852,475	3,290,705	33,185,688	31,315,294
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses					
for the year	_	(211,685)	(125,894)	(337,579)	336,089

# Statement of changes in net assets

Year ended March 31

	2018		2017
Internally			
restricted	Unrestricted	Total	Total
\$	\$	\$	\$
[note 9]			
5,470,963	1,075,706	6,546,669	6,210,580
_	(337,579)	(337,579)	336,089
5,470,963	738,127	6,209,090	6,546,669

Net assets, beginning of year
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over
expenses for the year
Net assets, end of year

## Statement of cash flows

Year ended March 31

	2018	2017
	\$	\$
Operating activities		
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses for the year	(337,579)	336,089
Add (deduct) items not affecting cash	(00.,010)	000,000
Amortization of capital assets	880,309	830,019
Unrealized loss (gain) on investments [note 6]	203,666	(387,853)
Amortization of deferred capital contributions [note 8 [b]]	(768,044)	(703,731)
Decrease in deferred contributions	(2,514)	(62,414)
Decrease in long-term lease [note 5]	(2,014)	(02, 111)
Net change in non-cash working capital		•
balances related to operations [note 10]	1,259,466	869,886
Cash provided by operating activities	1,235,305	881,997
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Financing activities		
Principal repayments of credit facilities [note 7]	(314,983)	(306,841)
Deferred capital contributions received related to		
capital assets [note 8[b]]	472,741	803,225
Cash provided by financing activities	157,758	496,384
Investing activities		
Investment withdrawals	589,234	318,762
Investment funds reinvested	(225,734)	(208,233)
Additions to capital assets	(548,618)	(825,769)
Cash used in investing activities	(185,118)	(715,240)
Net increase in cash during the year	1,207,945	663,141
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	1,116,109	452,968
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	2,324,054	1,116,109

### Notes to financial statements

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## 1. Purpose of the organization

Thames Valley Children's Centre [the "Centre"] is a treatment centre providing habilitation and rehabilitation services for children and youth with communication, developmental or physical challenges living primarily in Southwestern Ontario. The Centre is incorporated without share capital under the *Corporations Act* (Ontario) and is a registered charity under the *Income Tax Act* (Canada).

#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with Part III of the *CPA Canada Handbook – Accounting*, which sets out accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations in Canada and includes the significant accounting policies summarized below.

#### [a] Basis of presentation

The operations of the Centre have been presented in three categories for the information of the reader.

Government-sponsored programs account for the Centre's clinical program delivery and administrative activities that are financed by provincial ministries and other agencies, certain fees for service and other operating revenue. Any funding in excess of expenses is refunded to the funder.

Community funds account for activities funded by monies received from general donations, bequests and special fundraising events [note 16], investment income from the investment portfolio and other income generated by these activities. The expenses are related to programs or expenses not funded by the government. Externally funded research projects are also included in this category.

Contracted services account for activities that are provided on a fee for service basis. It is the intention that the fees entirely offset the costs of the programs.

The programs delivered by the Centre are described below:

Clinical and technical specialty services: provides seating, augmentative communication, adaptive technology, cleft lip and palate, medical clinics and gait analysis services to children from birth through young adulthood throughout Southwestern Ontario. Acute pediatric rehabilitative services at Children's Hospital at London Health Sciences Centre are also provided through this program.

Early childhood, school age and adolescent services: uses an interdisciplinary team approach to provide rehabilitation and habilitation services for children and their families from birth through young adulthood. Acquired brain injury outreach and preschool speech are also provided through this program.

Autism services: provides autism intervention program, school support, connections for students and community based applied behaviour analysis-based services. These programs are now collectively referred to as the Ontario Autism Program.

Research: assists clinical staff in implementing research projects through consultation, education and the provision of resources.

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Community resources: includes the resource centre that provides access to health-related information for families, staff and community partners; a specialized pool of equipment; the volunteer program, which coordinates the recruiting of volunteers from the community and placement in appropriate positions in the Centre; and coordination and support of the Opportunities to Participate programs.

Expenses for special purposes: funds that have been donated to the Centre for a specific purpose.

#### [b] Revenue recognition

The Centre follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions. Unrestricted contributions and fundraising grants and bequests are recognized as revenue when received or receivable if the amount to be received can be estimated and collectability is reasonably assured. Externally restricted contributions are deferred and recognized as revenue in the period in which the related expenses are recognized. Capital contributions for the purpose of acquiring capital assets are deferred and amortized on the same basis and over the same periods as the related capital assets. Fees for service are recognized when the services have been rendered.

Investment income, which consists of interest, dividends, income distributions from pooled funds, and realized and unrealized gains and losses, are recorded in the statement of operations.

### [c] Capital assets and amortization

All capital assets reflected in the statement of financial position are recorded at acquisition cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at fair value at the date of contribution. Amortization is provided on the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets as follows:

#### **Tangible**

Building 10 to 40 years
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment 5 years
Therapy and rehab equipment 5 years
Computer equipment 3 years

Intangible

Computer software 3 years

#### [d] Allocation of expenses

The costs of personnel and other expenses directly related to functions are allocated to each function. The Centre also incurs general support expenses that are common to the administration of the Centre and each of its functions. Certain of these expenses are allocated to functions identified in note 3.

The allocated expenses include those related to senior management, human resources, finance, information systems, facility resources, communication and clinical records. These expenses are allocated proportionately based on personnel hours incurred, building space occupied or percentage of overall operating costs incurred.

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#### [e] Multi-employer plans

Defined contribution plan accounting is applied to the multi-employer defined benefit plan, whereby contributions are expensed on an accrual basis, as the Centre has insufficient information to apply defined benefit plan accounting.

#### [f] Credit facilities

Credit facilities are initially measured at fair value, net of transaction costs and financing fees. They are subsequently measured at amortized cost. Transaction costs and financing fees are amortized using the straight-line method.

#### [g] Contributed materials and services

Contributed materials and services are not recognized in the financial statements.

#### [h] Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Examples of such estimations and assumptions include the useful lives of capital assets. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### [i] Financial instruments

The Centre has elected to record all investments at fair value. Transactions are recorded on a trade date basis and transaction costs are expensed as incurred.

Other financial instruments include accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities initially recorded at fair value and subsequently at amortized cost, net of provisions.

## 3. Allocation of expenses

Central administration costs have been allocated as follows:

	2018 \$	2017 \$
Clinical and technical specialty services	851,656	890,051
Early childhood, school age and adolescent services	1,166,568	1,147,311
Autism services	1,610,925	1,464,152
Research	24,132	24,190
Community resources	85,816	85,180
	3,739,097	3,610,884

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## 4. Capital assets

Capital assets consist of the following:

	2018		2017	
	Accumulated			Accumulated
	Cost	amortization	Cost	amortization
_	\$	\$	\$	\$
Tangible assets				
Building	19,371,791	9,328,190	18,964,242	8,678,220
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	2,267,243	2,119,678	3,457,846	3,300,520
Therapy and rehab equipment	597,667	496,968	1,924,855	1,800,457
Computer equipment	1,960,564	1,824,278	2,083,732	1,902,872
_	24,197,265	13,769,114	26,430,675	15,682,069
Intangible assets				
Computer software	320,605	305,879	649,252	623,292
	24,517,870	14,074,993	27,079,927	16,305,361
Less accumulated amortization	14,074,993		16,305,361	
Net book value	10,442,877		10,774,566	

## 5. Long-term lease

A long-term lease for the use of land has been entered into between the Centre and London Health Sciences Centre. The term of the lease is 99 years with payments of \$1 to be made on an annual basis. The amount has been prepaid and 69 years remain in the term.

### 6. Investments

Investments, all of which are recorded at fair value, have an asset mix as follows:

	2018 \$	2017 \$
Money market funds	1,025,724	1,065,636
Bond funds	3,124,856	3,143,038
Canadian equity funds	2,004,217	2,462,075
Global and US equity funds	2,049,638	2,100,854
	8,204,435	8,771,603

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Investment income consists of the following:

		2018		2017
	Government sponsored programs \$	Community funds \$	Total \$	Total \$
Dividends and interest Net realized and unrealized gains	5,595	224,292	229,887	231,191
(losses)	5,595	(152,248) 72,044	(152,248) 77,639	410,968 642,159

Included in the above is an unrealized loss of \$203,667 [2017 – gain of \$387,853].

### 7. Credit facilities and term loan

The credit facilities established by the Centre's bank consist of a variable rate revolving demand facility of 1,000,000 [2017 – 1,000,000] bearing interest at a prime rate of 3.450% [2017 – 2.70%] minus 0.50% [2017 – 0.50%]. No amount has been drawn on this facility at year-end.

The Centre has a fixed rate term loan due June 5, 2018 bearing interest at 2.62% [2017 – 2.62%].

Interest costs incurred during the year amounted to \$7,154 [2017 - \$15,579].

Amounts drawn on these facilities are shown in the following table:

	2018	2017
	\$	\$
Fixed rate term loan due June 5, 2018, repayable at \$26,750 [2017 –		
\$26,750] per month, principal and interest	80,099	395,082
Less current portion	80,099	314,996
	_	80,086

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### 8. Deferred contributions

Deferred contributions consist of the following:

	<b>2018</b> \$	<b>2017</b> \$
Related to expenses of future periods [a] Related to capital assets [b]	540,722 10,481,331	543,236 10,776,634
Less current portion	11,022,053 503,324	11,319,870 505,784
	10,518,729	10,814,086

The Centre's estimate of the amount of deferred contributions to be recognized in the next fiscal year is included in the current amount.

## [a] Deferred contributions related to expenses of future periods

Deferred contributions related to expenses of future periods are as follows:

	<b>2018</b> \$	<b>2017</b> \$
Balance, beginning of year	543,236	605,650
Add amounts received related to future periods	1,953,092	2,172,234
Less amounts recognized as revenue during the year	(1,955,606)	(2,234,648)
Balance, end of year	540,722	543,236

## [b] Deferred contributions related to capital assets

Deferred contributions related to capital assets are as follows:

	<b>2018</b> \$	2017 \$
Balance, beginning of year	10,776,634	10,677,140
Additional contributions received [note 15] Less amounts amortized to revenue	472,741 (768,044)	803,225 (703,731)
Balance, end of year	10,481,331	10,776,634

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## 9. Internally restricted net assets

Internally restricted net assets consist of the following:

	<b>2018</b> \$	<b>2017</b> \$
Funds restricted for other Board designated purposes	5,470,963	5,470,963

Funds restricted for Board designated purposes are used at the discretion of the Board of Directors. These funds are known as the "Children's Legacy For Success".

#### 10. Statement of cash flows

The following table details the components of the net change in non-cash working capital balances related to operations:

	2018 \$	<b>2017</b> \$
Accounts receivable	39,135	(92,112)
Other assets	182,533	(38,033)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	159,862	272,752
Due to government agencies	877,936	727,279
	1,259,466	869,886

#### 11. Healthcare of Ontario Pension Plan

Substantially all of the employees of the Centre are members of the Healthcare of Ontario Pension Plan ["HOOPP"], which is a multi-employer, defined benefit, final average earnings, contributory pension plan. The Centre's contributions to HOOPP during the year amounted to \$1,633,689 [2017 – \$1,620,782]. This amount is included in the statement of operations.

The most recent actuarial valuation for financial reporting purposes completed by the HOOPP as at December 31, 2017 disclosed net assets available for benefits of \$77,755,000 [2016 – \$70,359,000] with pension obligations of \$59,602,000 [2016 – \$59,602,000], resulting in a surplus of \$18,153,000 [2016 – \$15,898,000]. The cost of pension benefits is determined by HOOPP at \$1.26 per every dollar of employee contributions.

As at December 31, 2017, the HOOPP was 122% funded [2016 – 122%].

#### 12. Government remittances payable

As at March 31, 2018, accounts payable and accrued liabilities include government remittances payable of \$49,720 [2017 – \$40,504].

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## 13. Ministry of Children and Youth Services ["MCYS"]

The Centre's service contract with the MCYS requires management to produce various year-end reports including an Annual Reconciliation Report, which shows a summary of all revenue and expenses and any resulting surplus or deficit that relates to the contract. These reports indicate that there is \$877,936 [2017 – \$727,279] in excess funding for 2018 payable to the MCYS. The remaining amount owing of \$811,089 represents 2014, 2015 and 2017 reconciled amounts.

### 14. Financial instruments and risk management

The Centre's financial instruments include cash and cash equivalents, investments, accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

The Centre's risks have not changed during the year.

#### Market risk

The Centre has an investment policy that restricts the types and amounts of eligible investments. Equity and fixed income securities are held within pooled funds. Risk and volatility of investments are mitigated through diversification of investments in different countries, business sectors and corporation sizes.

#### Credit risk

The Centre is exposed to credit risk in connection with its accounts receivable. The Centre's maximum credit risk is limited to the carrying value of accounts receivable. As at March 31, 2018, 90% of the accounts receivable balance is due from the provincial government and government funded organizations [2017 – 95%].

#### Foreign currency risk

The Centre's investments are denominated in Canadian dollars. Certain investments such as the US and other international equities are subject to foreign currency fluctuations. The Centre mitigates the currency risk exposure of its foreign securities through diversification of the pooled funds, which are comprised of multiple currencies.

### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk refers to the adverse consequences of interest rate changes on the Centre's financial position and results of operations. Interest rate changes directly impact the value of fixed income securities. The Centre manages the interest rate risk exposure of its fixed income investments by holding shorter duration investments with varying terms to maturity.

#### Liquidity risk

The Centre is exposed to the risk that it will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with its financial liabilities. The Centre has a planning and budgeting process in place to help determine the funds required to support the Centre's normal operating requirements on an ongoing basis. The Centre also manages its liquidity risk by forecasting cash flows from operations and anticipated investing, capital 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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## 15. Applied behaviour analysis-based services

The Centre has a MCYS funded Autism program, Community Based Applied Behaviour Analysis-Based Services [MCYS code A598], with funding received as follows:

	<b>2018</b> \$	<b>2017</b> \$
Funding Operating expenditures Funds deferred to offset future amortization of capital assets	2,877,343 (2,676,950)	2,985,715 (2,888,365)
	(200,393)	(97,350)
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Funding used for operating purposes was recognized as revenue totalling \$2,676,950 [2017 – \$2,888,365]. Additional funds of \$200,393 [2017 – \$97,350] were used for capital expenditures and have been deferred to offset future amortization expense.

#### 16. Children's Health Foundation

On April 1, 2015, the Centre entered into a new five-year agreement with the Children's Health Foundation ["CHF"] under which the future fundraising activities of the Centre will continue to be undertaken on their behalf by CHF. The agreement provides for annual funding amounts approved in advance of each fiscal year through CHF's granting process. During this third year of the contract, \$992,925 was received [2017 – \$1,000,000].

### 17. Commitments

The Centre has obligations under operating leases related to buildings. The approximate aggregate minimum payments required under such leases are as follows:

	\$
2019	407,414
2020	258,560
2021	99,601
2022	95,082
2023	95,082