

TWO NEW SERVICE COLLABORATIVES ARE BEING LAUNCHED THIS FALL IN TORONTO

Two Service Collaboratives are starting up: one in **North York and City of York** and the other in **Scarborough and East York**. Their purpose is to improve coordination and enhance access for children and youth with mental health and addictions issues. The Service Collaboratives will bring together stakeholders from across sectors, including community services, health care, education, and justice, as well as youth and their families, to collectively implement systems change.

These collaboratives are two of eighteen collaboratives being established throughout Ontario as part of the System Improvement through Service Collaboratives (SISC) Initiative that is supported by six ministries of the Ontario Government. To find out more about SISC, visit servicecollaboratives.ca.

The collaboratives are:



Community led



Multi-sectoral

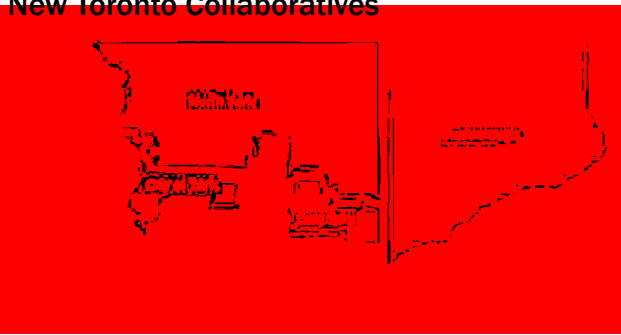


Health equity-focused



Action-oriented

New Toronto Collaboratives



A Town Hall information session for each of the collaboratives will be held in **mid-September** 2013 and the first collaborative meetings will be held in **October**.

For further information or to sign up for communications related to these collaboratives, contact:

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