MILESTONES IN **RPCHC'S JOURNEY**

The Regent Park Community Health Centre (RPCHC) is a non-profit, community-based organization serving Regent Park and the Downtown East area of Toronto.

Our vision is equitable health outcomes and social justice for the communities we serve.

RPCHC INCORPORATES!

At the time of opening at 19 Belshaw Place, RPCHC has six employees.



1990

1988

1973





Parents for Better Beginnings

(now Early Years Program)

becomes part of RPCHC.



To serve recent immigrants, East Africa Health Program (now Newcomer Program) is launched.



Community needs assessment takes place, which leads to the expansion of Community Development services and the enhancement of RPCHC's role as a community partner.

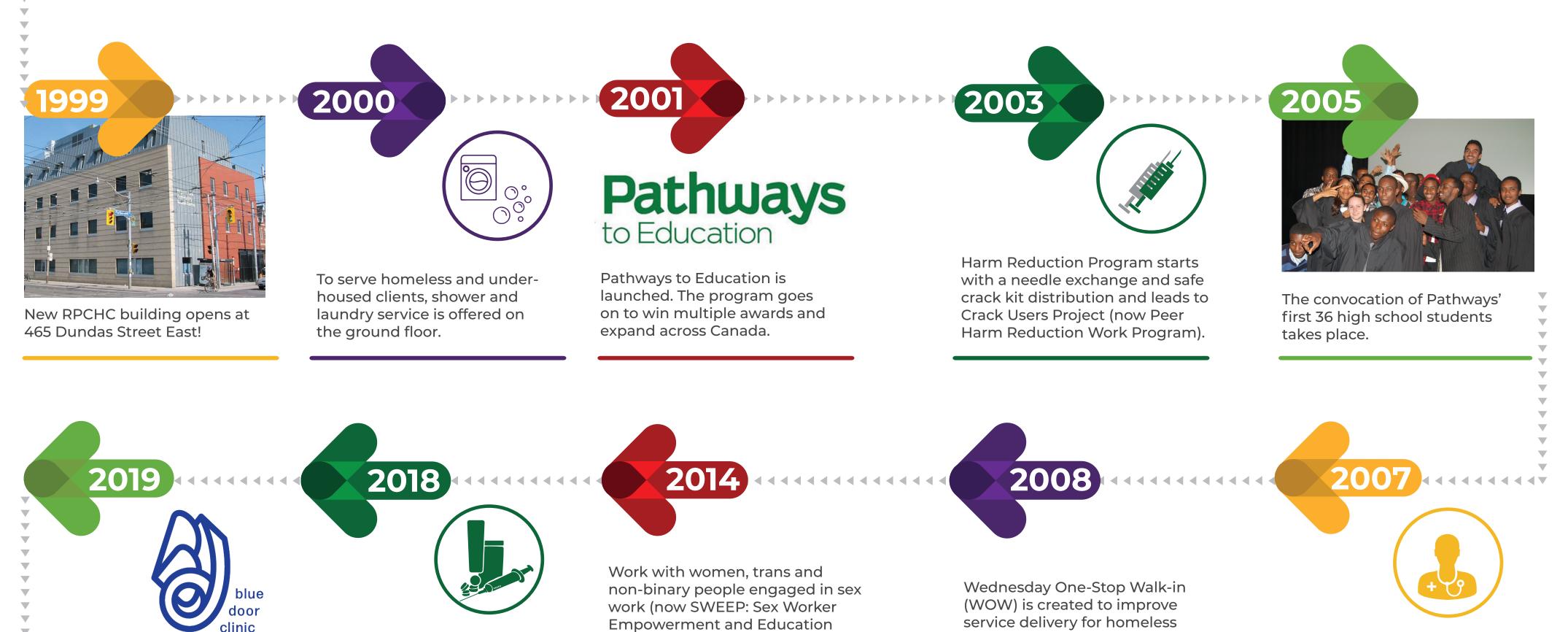


RPCHC expands to include 21 and 23 Belshaw Place.

South East Asian (SEAs) project is launched.

Dental program expands to five days per week.

Chiropody program is launched.





Blue Door Clinic opens for people with HIV who do not have health insurance or immigration status in Canada.

Overdose Prevention Site (OPS) is launched with harm reduction workers, registered nurses and a community health Project) is launched.

Physiotherapy services are introduced targeting rehabilitation and prevention.

clients.

First annual Reclaim the Streets event takes place and is still going 15 years later!

2023

To help prevent and manage diabetes, the Diabetes Education Program is launched with a nurse educator and dietician.

1973-2023

2020

2021

worker.

Youth Enrichment Academy (YEA!) is launched to create a healthy environment for youth.

JOBS4U is launched to help youth navigate the labour market.

To enhance harm reduction Services, Safe Opioid Supply (SOS), Community Outreach and Support Team (COAST) and Integrated Prevention and Harm Reduction Initiative (iPhare) are launched.



Vaccine clinic opens (now Wellness Hub for Downtown East in partnership with Sherbourne Health). More than 18,600 vaccines are administered within the first three months of the clinic.



Consumption and Treatment Service (CTS) team moves to a newly renovated space and rebrands to Bevel Up.

Anti-Racism Action Program (ARAP) is created in collaboration with the Social Development Plan Network.

REGENT PARK COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

CELEBRATING

50 YEARS

RPCHC celebrates 50 years of service to the **Regent Park and Moss Park communities!**