

### ● Project Team Feature



### CKHA Foundation

#### A Big Thank You to the Sydenham District Hospital Auxiliary

The Chatham-Kent Health Alliance Foundation (CKHAF) wants to extend a huge thank you to the Sydenham District Hospital Auxiliary for their amazing gift of \$100,000 in support of the Our Hospital, Our Future Wallaceburg Site Redevelopment Project! This donation is a big help as we get ready for the Our Hospital, Our Future campaign, which will start in 2025.

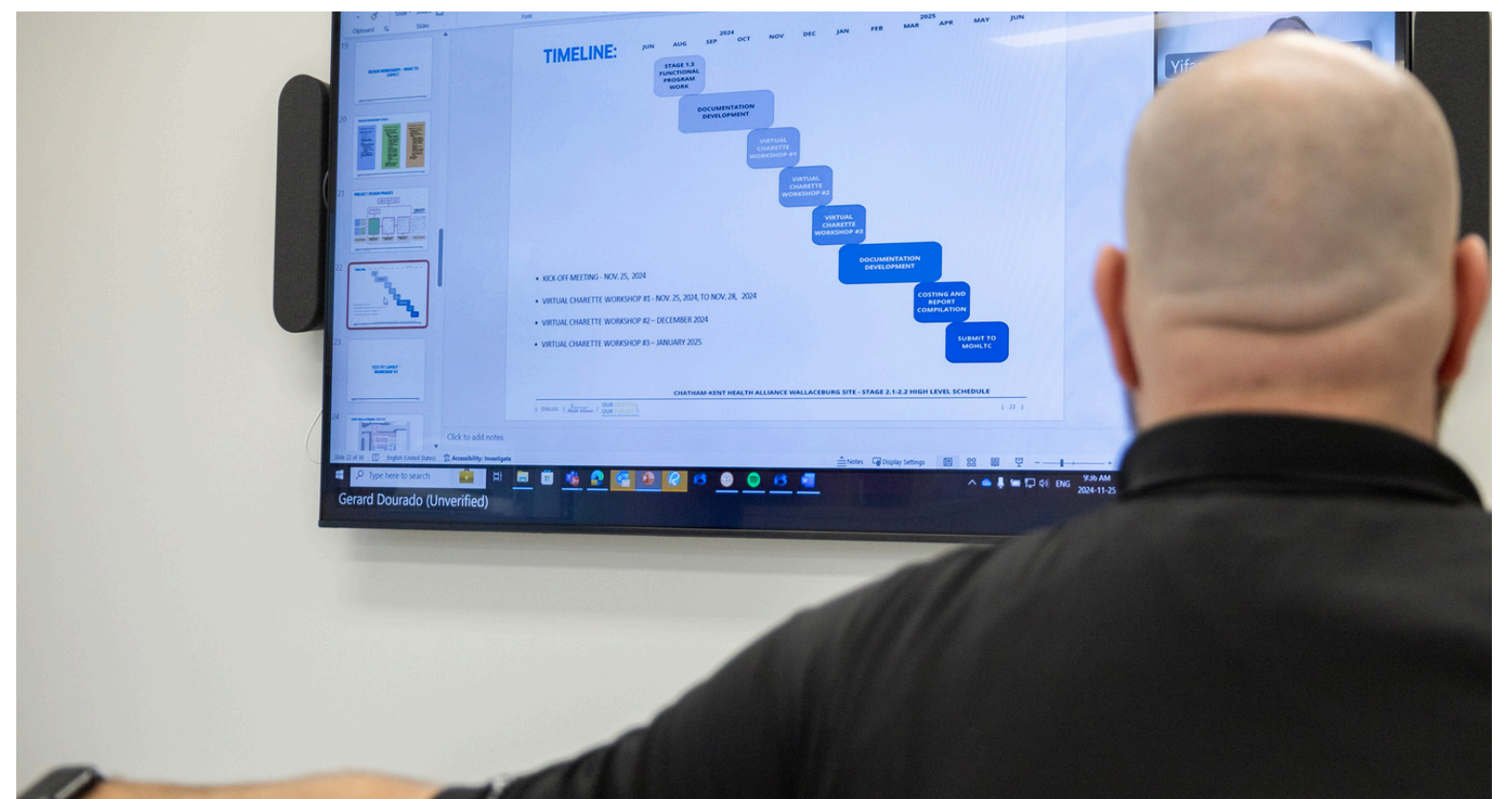
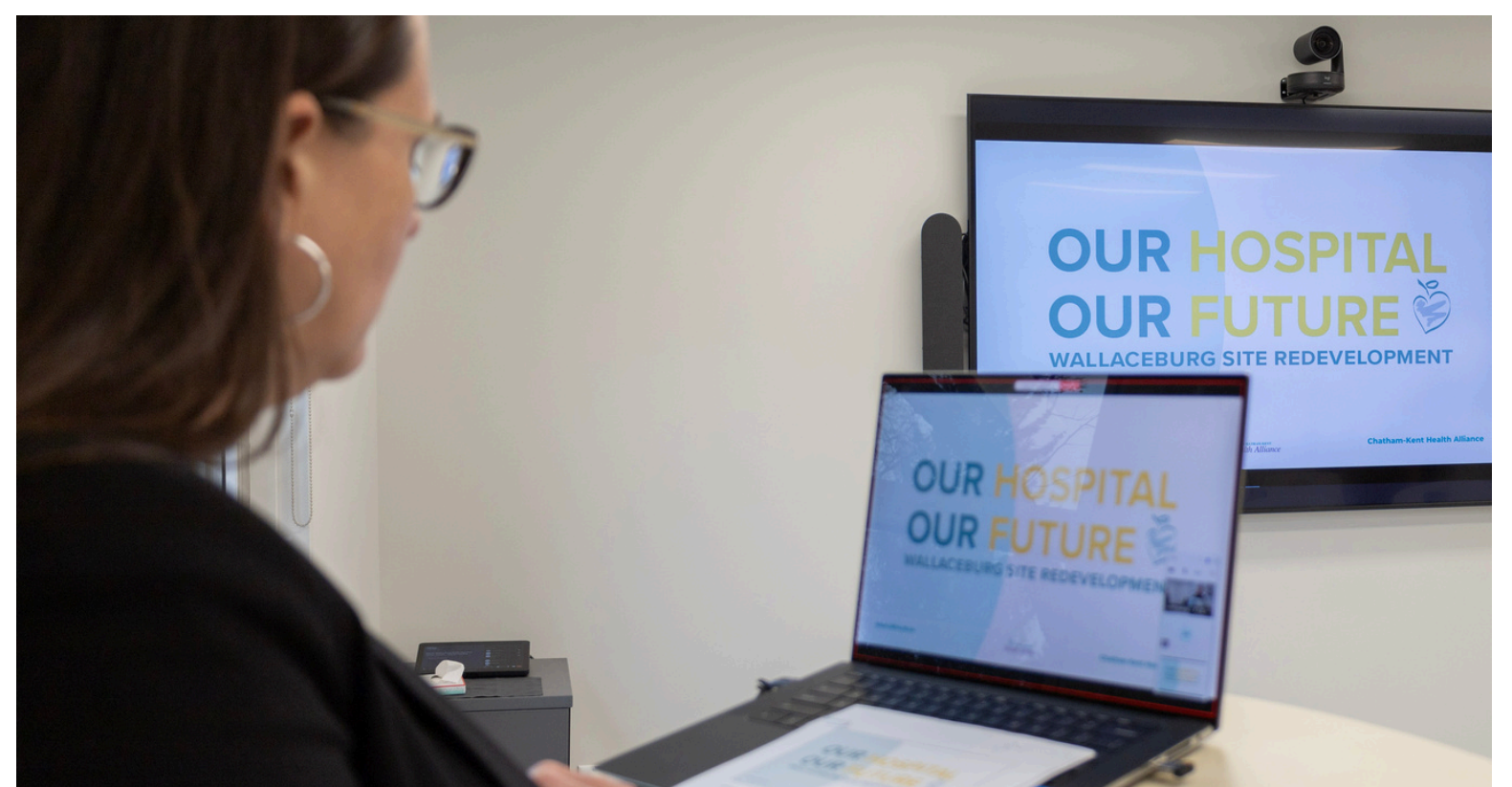
The Auxiliary's generous donation will help make important improvements at the Wallaceburg hospital site. These improvements will help make the hospital a better place for patients and families in our community.

The Auxiliary has been an incredible partner to the hospital for many years, and their continued involvement in this campaign is a testament to their longstanding dedication to the health and well-being of our community. With their commitment, we are confident they will inspire others to support the future of healthcare in Wallaceburg.

Thank you, Sydenham District Hospital Auxiliary, for being such an important part of this exciting redevelopment project. Your kindness will help make our hospital better for everyone.

Together, we are growing a Healthier Community.

To read more about the Auxiliary pledge, [click here](#).



### ● Design Charettes

On November 25, the Our Hospital Our Future Design Charettes began. A charette is a collaborative process that involves multiple disciplines and interested parties to create a design or vision for a project.

After over a decade of planning, this work will be completed as part of CKHA's Stage 2.2 Sketch Plan submission in the Ministry's Capital planning process. The charettes mark a significant step forward that will see the project transition from conceptual groundwork to the design details that will move the project closer to groundbreaking.

The charettes are divided into three separate workshops:

- Workshop 1 (November 25-28): Includes a focus on placing individual rooms within a floor plan, establishing adjacencies, and addressing spatial requirements.
- Workshop 2 (December 2024): Includes building on feedback to refine floor plans with room configurations, equipment/furniture layout, plumbing, and electrical needs.
- Workshop 3 (January 2025): Finalizes room details, furniture, fixtures, and equipment (FF&E), and includes an interior design presentation featuring material samples and finishes.

A User Group has been established to support and contribute to each of the areas of design: Emergency Department, Inpatient Medicine, Diagnostic Imaging, Laboratory and Ancillary Services (those teams working across multiple departments). The User Groups are comprised of leaders, frontline staff, physicians, members of the CKHA Patient Experience Community Advisory Council and DIALOG team members.

Between workshops, the DIALOG team will incorporate feedback and prepare detailed plans.

At the end of the charette process, the project team, along with project consultants DIALOG, will be able to submit these detailed plans to the Ministry, aiming for submission in the Spring of 2025.

## ● Detailed Planning

The charrette workshops are being conducted using the below test-fit draft that was created guided by the community engagement work conducted over the summer and fall months. The charrettes will use this test-fit plan to decide on the actual floor plan, as well as use the test-fit for a guide for the more detailed workshops beginning in the new year.

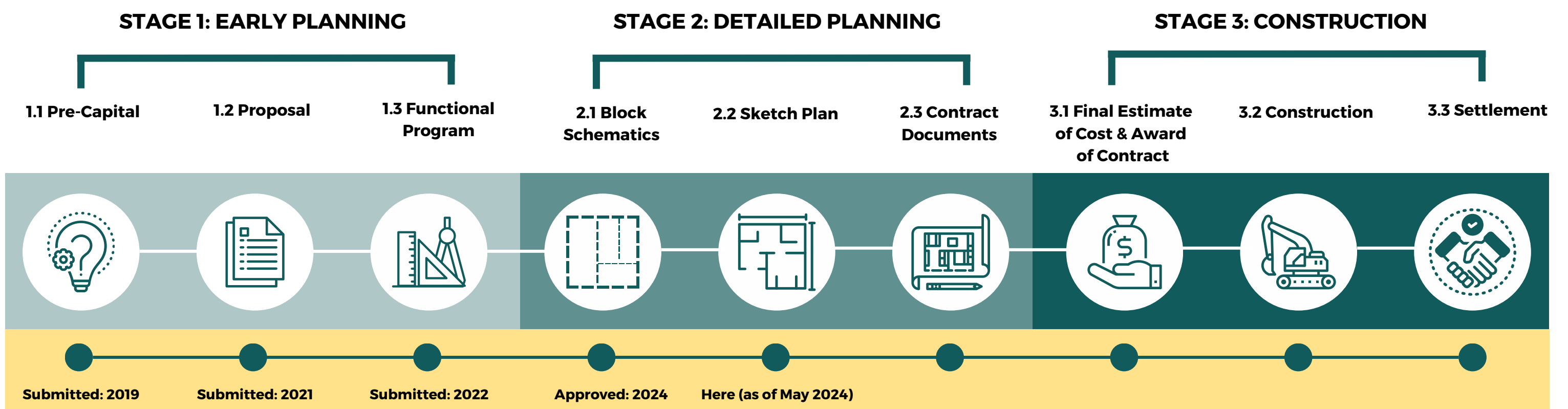
As such, while the test-fit looks fairly set, the final design of the building could look quite different depending on the conclusions of each collaborative workshop.

### Test-fit of new section

This test-fit includes the new 20,000 square foot addition, as well as new parking lots, the ambulance bay, and an outdoor courtyard space. As mentioned above, the final design which is submitted to the Ministry may look quite different.



## ● Capital Planning Stages



↑  
**WE ARE HERE**

## ● Contact Us

For more information about the Wallaceburg Site Redevelopment Project, please visit our website [OurHospitalOurFuture.com](https://OurHospitalOurFuture.com) or contact us at [OurHospitalOurFuture@ckha.on.ca](mailto:OurHospitalOurFuture@ckha.on.ca)

**OUR HOSPITAL  
OUR FUTURE**  
WALLACEBURG SITE REDEVELOPMENT