Sunnybrook Department of Medicine at a glance

- 15 Divisions
- 5 Inpatient Services
- 176 Acute Beds
- 5.6 Day Average Length of Stay

253 total faculty

- 125 Fulltime Faculty
- 62 Scientists/Investigators
- 51 Teachers/Educators
- 9 Clinicians in Quality & Innovation
- 3 Administrators
- 47% Associate or Full Professor

Women represent: 36% of our faculty

42% of formal leadership positions

49% new hires

51% of promotions

2,100 hours per teaching per year

14 Education Peer-reviewed grants
42 Education publications
29 Education presentations

$261,303,000+ in grant funding

2,949 publications
3 patents
Selected Quality stories

Hand hygiene performance has increased substantially as measured by our electronic monitoring initiative (44% to 60%), associated with a 30% reduction in nosocomial transmission of MRSA. Through the implementation of standardized order sets the rate of hypoglycemia in admitted patients has declined from >20% in 2010, to around 10% in 2013 to <5% in 2016.

Rapid Referral Clinic has seen over 8,000 patients through April 2018, and diverted over 1,600 from admission to the medicine service. The estimated savings of the clinic amounts to 1-2 beds/day over the year.

Our readmission rate for Congestive Heart Failure has dropped by 30% from 20% to 14% as of June 2018. Along with this, our median LOS for Heart Failure has decreased to below the National and Provincial benchmarks.