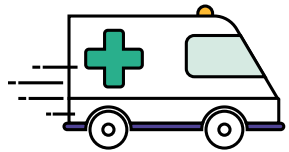


# Stroke Care in Ontario, 2017/18

## Stroke patients require specialized care



60%

of stroke/TIA patients arrived at the emergency department by **ambulance**

146

ONTARIO HOSPITALS  
ADMITTED

18,028

STROKE/TIA PATIENTS

62%

of patients were admitted to **designated stroke centres**

39

HOSPITALS HAD  
STROKE UNITS



STROKE  
FOCUSED TEAM

53%

of patients had **access** to stroke unit care | **Target > 75%**

## "Time is brain" and tPA restores blood flow

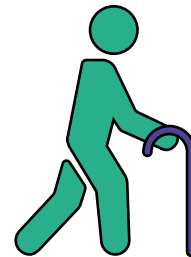


12%

of stroke patients received clot-busting tPA | **Target >12%**

45

**minutes** median door-to-needle time | **Target 30 minutes**



33%

of stroke patients were admitted to inpatient rehabilitation | **Target >30%**

67

**minutes** per day of inpatient therapy was received | **Target 180 minutes**

## Preventing another stroke is critical

45

stroke prevention **clinics** in Ontario

79%

of patients were referred to secondary prevention services after ED discharge

74%



of patients aged 65 and older with **atrial fibrillation** filled a prescription for **anticoagulant therapy** within 90 days of acute care discharge

8%

of stroke/TIA patients were readmitted within | **Target 10%**

