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Today the Ontario Health Quality Council released Q Monitor, our 2007 yearly report on the quality of the publicly funded health care system.

In addition to reporting on the overall performance of the health system, this year our report examines the chronic disease challenge in Ontario and provides examples of best practices from across the province. The report also looks at the need to strengthen quality assurance at the local service delivery level and the Wait Times Strategy transformation model as an example of how to improve the quality of the health system generally.

Please visit our website at www.ohqc.ca to download a copy of the report.

The Ontario Health Quality Council is an independent agency funded by the Government of Ontario through the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care. The Council reports directly to Ontarians on access to publicly funded health services, health human resources in publicly funded health services, consumer and population health status, and health system outcomes.