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New Vice President, Chief Financial Officer welcomed at NHH

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, Wednesday, January 30th, 2019 – Northumberland Hills Hospital (NHH) has welcomed Abhi Mukherjee to its senior management team.

Mukherjee was the successful candidate following NHH's recent search for a Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. His first day at NHH was Monday, January 28th, 2019.

Most recently with University Health Network (UHN) in Toronto, Mukherjee is a Chartered Accountant (CPA, CA – Ontario) and a Certified Public Accountant (CPA, Colorado, USA) by profession. He completed his early education in India, where he obtained both an Honours degree in Commerce and his Chartered Accountant designation, before immigrating to Canada in 2003 to join the Toronto office of Deloitte and Touche, a global professional services firm.

Mukherjee brings a unique mix of public and private expertise, spanning the health care sector, financial services and the airline industry. LEAN Green Belt certified, he has completed numerous healthcare leadership development programs with the University Health Network and the University of Toronto's Rotman School of Management. With UHN since 2013, most recently as Director of Finance, he was previously Finance Manager with St. Joseph's Health Centre in Toronto. Mukherjee spent close to five years prior to that with Bausch & Lomb Canada, where he rose to the position of Finance Controller for Canada (2010-2012).

A senior financial executive, Mukherjee's experience at UHN provided him a unique lens onto Ontario's complex healthcare funding model. At UHN, he led a finance team for two clinical portfolios (Medical Imaging and Laboratory Medicine) as well as several corporate portfolios (enterprise information technology services, biomedical engineering, telehealth, transcription services, health records and the project management office), with a combined operating budget of over \$200 million/year and \$14 million in annual capital expenses.

"Abhi's interest in Northumberland was driven by the opportunity to be part of an innovative and closely connected community hospital," said President and CEO Linda Davis in an internal announcement to hospital staff, physicians and volunteers earlier this year. "His skill set aligns very closely with our own strategic priorities and I am confident that he will be a very good fit with our team, professionally and personally. Please join us in extending a warm welcome to Abhi, as he transitions to NHH and the Northumberland community."

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About Northumberland Hills Hospital – Located approximately 100 kilometres east of Toronto, NHH delivers a broad range of acute, post-acute, outpatient and diagnostic services. Acute services include emergency and intensive care, medical/surgical care, obstetrical care and palliative care. Post-acute specialty services (PASS) include restorative care and rehabilitation. Mental health care, chemotherapy, dialysis and 16 other ambulatory care clinics are offered on an outpatient basis through partnerships with regional centres and nearby specialists. NHH offers a full range of diagnostic services, including magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), computed tomography (CT) and mammography. The hospital serves the catchment area of west Northumberland County. A mixed urban and rural population of approximately 60,000 residents, west Northumberland comprises the Town of Cobourg, the Municipality of Port Hope and the townships of Hamilton, Cramahe and Alnwick/Haldimand. NHH employs approximately 600 people and relies on the additional support provided by physicians and volunteers. NHH is an active member of the Central East Local Health Integration Network. For more information, please visit www.nhh.ca or follow us on Twitter [@NorHillsHosp](https://twitter.com/NorHillsHosp).

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