In 2017, 867 patients (185 inpatients, 682 outpatients) and 117 family members completed the OPOC.

Thank you to all those who took the time to share their feedback!
What’s working and where can we do better?

Each year, we ask patients and families to tell us about their care at CAMH by completing the Ontario Perception of Care (OPOC) survey. The valuable feedback we receive helps us understand what we are doing well, and where we need to make improvements.

For example, patients have said they want better discharge plans. In response to this feedback, CAMH has developed a Discharge Project including discharge summaries, timely follow-up and enhanced patient education at discharge. The goal is that the Discharge Project, together with a new patient engagement strategy, will help improve patients’ experience with the discharge process.

What are we doing well?

Staff

Staff were found to be knowledgeable, competent and respectful. Patients felt that staff believed in their ability to move forward in their recovery journeys.

Environment

CAMH facilities were found to be accessible (in regard to mobility, hearing, vision and learning needs). Patients appreciated that private spaces were provided for discussing personal issues.

What areas can we improve?

Services and discharge planning

· Patients would like to have more open communication with their treatment teams about their medications, treatment plans and discharge plans.
· Patients would like more options for groups and activities.

Participation and rights

· Patients want to be more actively involved in decisions about their treatment plans.
· Some patients are not aware of the process for making a formal complaint.

Share your ideas!

What are your ideas for how we can improve?

What should we continue doing, or do more of?

Please give this section to your unit clerk, or drop off at the suggestions box at the Family Resource Centre at 100 Stokes Street, Room 1314 (main floor).