

Overview

weCHC hosted its first-ever Men's Health Event on Sunday, November 9th, providing accessible, high-impact care to men, migrant workers, newcomers, and community members with limited access to preventive and primary care services.

Key Outcomes

Primary Care Attachment & Access

- **119 men** completed full intakes and are now attached to primary care
- **93% required full translation support**, highlighting significant language and access barriers

Winter Warmth & Basic Needs Support

- **71 winter coats distributed**, including to **4 newcomer families** who had arrived only 10 days prior

Laboratory & Diagnostic Services

- **178 total lab samples collected:**
 - 97 blood draws
 - 81 urine samples
- **11 colon cancer screening kits** distributed to clients without access; **7 kits ordered** for clients with OHIP coverage

Vaccinations & Preventive Health

- **421 vaccines administered**, including measles, Tdap, COVID-19, influenza, RSV, and other catch-up immunizations

Oral Health Services

- **10 clients** received preventive dental cleaning through Smile Wagon

Training & Education

- **9 students** trained onsite:
 - **8 Nurse Practitioner students** from the University of Windsor
 - **1 Medical Student**
- Students received hands-on experience in assessment, vaccination, and clinical care
- Staff dressed in **blue** in support of **Movember**

Partners & Community Support

Special thanks to:

- **MWCP** (Migrant Worker Community Program)
- **Smile Wagon**
- **Med Labs of Windsor**
- **LifeLabs**
- **Community donors** who provided winter coats



Impact

This first men's event showcased weCHC's commitment to breaking barriers and expanding accessible care for underserved men across Windsor-Essex. The outcomes highlight:

- Strong community engagement
- Deepened trust among migrant workers and newcomer populations
- Increased uptake of preventive care and screening
- A successful collaborative model supported by multiple partners
