

# Filming in Vancouver General Hospital

A documentary TV series is being filmed in Vancouver General Hospital (VGH). This series will show people exactly what goes on in an emergency department, so that people can feel more at ease and will be more knowledgeable should they visit one. This series will also showcase our staff and physicians on the front-line – the doctors, nurses and numerous other staff who provide world-class care to the people of BC.

Filming will take place from February 2013 to April 2013.

## **Will the documentary series affect my care?**

No. Your care will not be affected whether or not you participate. If you do participate, you may be asked to spend extra time in the department to be filmed further and to complete paperwork.

## **What if I don't want to be filmed?**

We respect your privacy; you will not be filmed without your permission. If the crew wants to involve you, they will talk to you first and ask for your permission.

## **What if I agree to be filmed?**

If the producer approaches you about participating and you have given written permission via a release form to be filmed, once the filming is complete, you may or may not be in the series.

## **When can I watch the documentary series?**

The six one-hour documentary series will air on Knowledge Network in early 2014.

## **Who is filming the series?**

Stat Productions I Inc., a company associated with Vancouver-based Lark Productions Inc., is filming the series for broadcast on Knowledge Network, with the cooperation of Vancouver Coastal Health.

## **What is the Knowledge Network?**

Knowledge Network is British Columbia's public educational broadcaster. It is a crown corporation, owned and funded by the BC Government, and in part, by contributions from donors. Knowledge Network is available on cable (channel 5) in most parts of the lower mainland and direct to home satellite.

## **Who can I talk to for more information?**

For more information contact Stat Productions I Inc. at 604.558.3335.