PETITION

WHEREAS charitable workers and missionaries promote Canadian values and help bring prosperity abroad,

WHEREAS missionaries and charitable workers are often required to be abroad for periods over 6 months,

WHEREAS to be eligible for OHIP you must be physically present in Ontario for 153 days in any 12-month period,

WHEREAS missionaries' and charitable workers' primary residence remains in Ontario,

WE the undersigned petition the Legislative Assembly of Ontario as follows:

That the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care take steps to continue OHIP coverage for charitable workers or missionaries working abroad for more than 212 days in a 12month period.

Name (printed)	Address (printed)	Signature

Please return completed forms to the Office of Rick Nicholls, MPP Chatham-Kent-Essex: Leamington

111 Heritage Dr, Suite 100 Chatham, ON N7M 5W7

Chatham

115 Erie St. North, Unit B Leamington, ON N8H 3A3 Room 316, West Wing Main Legislative Bldg Toronto, ON M7A 1A8

Queen's Park