

Hamilton Program for  
Schizophrenia Annual Report for

**2017-2018**

Fiscal Year

**HPS Attendance Statistics:**

**243** CLIENTS REGISTERED

**9919** CASE MANAGEMENT VISITS

**686** SOCIAL PROGRAM VISITS

**812** PSYCHIATRIC VISITS

**Quote from the Chair of the  
Board of Directors:**

“Our organization with its results-based approach develops mental health recovery by promoting hope, choice and wellness for personal growth. HPS’s unique team, community partnering and up to date training plan, combined with an amazing staff demonstrates more can be done year after year. We are passionate in providing long term community-based support to individuals recovering from mental illness. These efforts change lives. In 2018-19, we hope to move forward with CARF accreditation to ensure high standard of care is met with all clients, stakeholders and staff.”

*-Eduard Veerman*

**Client Experience Quotes:** “Everyone is at different stages of recovery, but you get a sense of community and HPS helps to accommodate for everyone. We are all going through this together”.

“HPS focuses on what you need help with, and they are more than happy to help you with things like making doctor appointments and banking”.

“As a Peer Facilitator, running the groups benefits me and others and is a healing process”.



“There are many different facets about HPS. There are Case Managers, Psychiatrists, Nurses, Peer Facilitators and Rehab Assistants that are always willing to help and different social programs and events to be a part of. It’s a place where you get to meet lots of new people, make friends and be around good company. You get to interact with people in similar situations and that really helps you through hard times”.

*-HPS Clients*

**13** UNIQUE PROGRAMS

SUCH AS PING PONG,  
TRAVELLING CUP, MOVIE  
GROUP ETC.



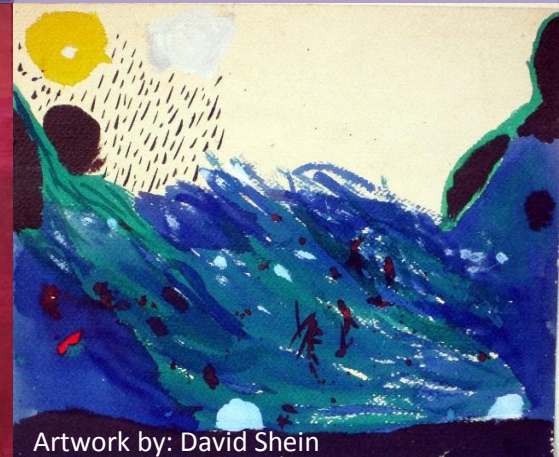
HPS continues to support The Cottage Studio, a unique program that promotes mental health recovery through creative



Examples of Cottage Studio artists’ work.



Artwork by: Jason Keey



Artwork by: David Shein

### **Client Betterment Committee**

This committee was established this past year and consists of four dedicated HPS clients who meet monthly. The members work together to enhance the client experience.

They bring a unique perspective to assist HPS management and staff to improve the program. It also serves as an advisory role and an advocacy role by making recommendations and seeking outcomes within the HPS community.

The Family Association has planned events such as Christmas parties, Family Picnics/BBQs and others.

