

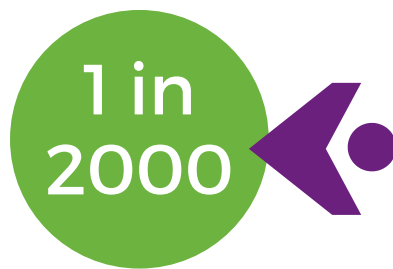


EPILEPSY

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

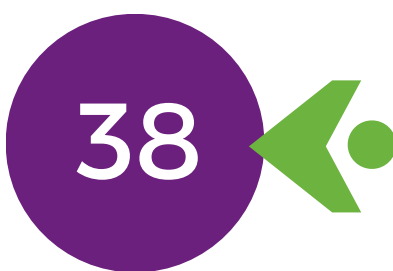
epilepsy durham region

is committed to promoting the independence and optimal quality of life for people with epilepsy



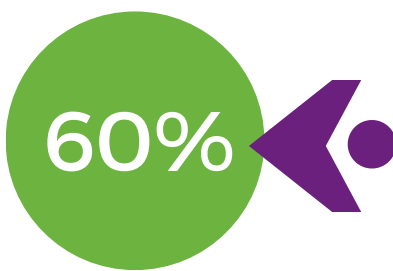
ARE DIAGNOSED

with epilepsy each year; 50-60% of cases have no known cause



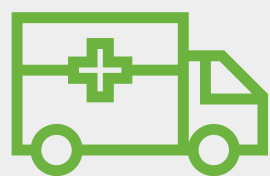
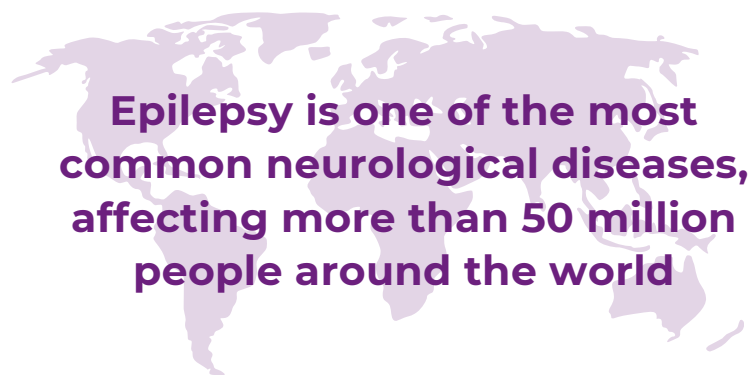
PEOPLE EACH DAY

are diagnosed with epilepsy in Canada



NEWLY DIAGNOSED

are young children and seniors



A seizure is not always a medical emergency; call 911 if a seizure last longer than 5 minutes



1 in 100 people with epilepsy will die each year from SUDEP - Sudden Unexpected Death in Epilepsy



People with epilepsy experience increased rates of mental health challenges compared to the general population including depression and anxiety

EPILEPSY DURHAM REGION PROVIDES

programs and services to children, adults, and families in all eight municipalities of our community

