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Helping a colleague in a time of need

Recently the pictured team from Commerce Court came to the aid of their colleague after she suffered a seizure while working in the Security Operations Centre as a Dispatcher.

Each member of the team played a crucial role. While some members provided first aid, ensuring that their colleague received the care she needed. Others stepped in to assume their colleague's responsibilities guaranteeing that the security operations were not compromised.

Pictured left to right:

Lucas Villafana, Walid Zebdawi, Tirth Barot,
Yusuf Koca, Abhishek Saini, Jordan Green, Abhishek
Saurav, and Jermaine Agius

West Office now offers BST Course!

We are proud to announce that our Mississauga office is now delivering the Basic Security Training course for people looking to get licenced as security guards.





Three Paragon heroes save a life at the Atrium on Bay

On Feb 23th at 1530hrs Security Guard Raghunanadan was on patrol at Atrium on Bay in Toronto. While on patrol he noted an unconscious and unresponsive female lying on the stairs of the lower subway entrance. S/G Raghunanadan radioed for assistance.

Both Security Guard Raunak Singh Kadyan and Shift Supervisor Sachin Minhas attended, with a medical bag. Upon their arrival the female was noted to have shallow breathing and her face was pale. The guards spoke with the patient, attempting to judge her alertness. The female was placed in the recovery position and S/S Minhas administered a single dose of Naloxone.

Moments later the female regained consciousness and elected to leave the property prior to the arrival of EMS. Ignoring the advice of security to remain.

Pictured left to right:
Raunak Singh Kadyan, Sachin Minhas,
Raghunanadan

Safety Health Week

**MAY
6-11
2024**

While occupational health and safety should be a priority every day throughout the year, workplaces in Canada, Mexico, and the US observe North American Occupational Safety and Health (NAOSH) week. Founded in 1986 by Canada's Society of Safety Engineering (CSSE), the Canadian Occupational Health and Safety Week expanded to include Mexico and the US, and NAOSH was founded in 1997.

The goal remains the same: to raise workplace safety awareness and reduce injuries and illnesses in the workplace and in the community.

North American Occupational Safety and Health Week is an annual event held in the first full week of May to raise awareness about occupational safety and health, and to promote the implementation of systems that ensure workers' safety and well-being.

At Paragon we take our employee safety seriously; everyone deserves to go home safely at the end of their workday.



Visit to learn more:

<https://www.ccohs.ca/events/safety-and-health-week/>

find this year's events,
and view recordings from
previous years.

Frontline Heroes
Mental Health
Awareness Week
May 6-12, 2024



In the heart of our communities, you stand as frontline heroes, providing invaluable support to tenants, visitors, and those experiencing homelessness. Your dedication and compassion make a significant impact every day. As we observe Mental Health Awareness Week, we want to shine a light on the vital role you play in connecting individuals to resources and support.

As security guards, you are often the first point of contact for those seeking assistance. Whether it's a visitor in need of directions, a tenant facing a crisis, or someone experiencing homelessness seeking refuge, you are there to offer a helping hand and a compassionate ear.

Your efforts extend beyond traditional security duties, as you go above and beyond to connect individuals with the resources they need. Whether it's directing them to local shelters, providing information on support services, or simply offering a kind word, your actions make a difference in people's lives.

During Mental Health Awareness Week, let's recognize and celebrate the invaluable contributions you make as frontline staff. Your empathy, resilience, and commitment to serving others embody the spirit of community and compassion. Together, we can continue to make a positive impact and create a safer, more supportive environment for all.

Thank you for your unwavering dedication and for being true frontline heroes in our communities.

