

## **About World Down Syndrome Day: March 21st**

World Down Syndrome Day (WDSD) is a global awareness day officially observed by the United Nations since 2012. In 2016, the Government of Ontario recognized March 21st as Ontario Down Syndrome Day. The Down Syndrome Association of Hamilton (DSAH) is a not for profit organization that serves families of children and adults with Down syndrome as well as interested professionals in the Hamilton & surrounding areas.

The **#ProudtobeME** campaign illustrates how Down syndrome is just one small part of what makes a person who they are. It is not their full story. Each person born with Down syndrome has their unique set of characteristics, skills, dreams, likes and dislikes. But there is one thing that most people with Down syndrome have in common: They are PROUD to be who they are!

## Join us for a CELEBRATION!

We are hosting an OPEN HOUSE on **Wednesday, March 21st from 3pm to 7 pm** at our office located at 26-1/2 Hatt Street, Dundas. We invite our membership, friends, educators, professionals, service providers and the Hamilton Community to celebrate with us the abilities & possibilities of people with Down syndrome.

Looking for more information? Please connect with us! Website: <a href="www.dsah.ca">www.dsah.ca</a> | Email: <a href="mailto:contactus@dsah.ca">contactus@dsah.ca</a> | Facebook: <a href="www.facebook.com/dsah.ca">www.facebook.com/dsah.ca</a>