

## Seriously?

Recently the Ford government sent a letter to family clinics, urging them to stay open evenings and weekends. Another desperate measure to take the pressure off hospitals that are buckling under the load of too many patients. It's a typical move for this government - asking others to cover for their own mistakes.

The thing is, many family clinics are already maxed out. Ontario's health-care workers have been on high alert for three years now. They don't have much left to give. Nurses in particular are overworked and burned out. And they're sick of a government that refuses to acknowledge a truth that everyone inside the system can see: the health-care crisis is a direct result of the way this government deliberately undervalues the workers whose dedication keeps the system alive.

Every day, the consequences of Ford's political arrogance become clearer. When pressed, he shrugs his shoulders and says, "We're doing the best we can." That just won't cut it. Doug Ford, this is on you.

