



## COMMUNITY LIVING ESSEX COUNTY ADVANCES MISSION WITH LOGITECH VIDEO MEETING TECHNOLOGY

Community Living Essex County is a non-profit, charitable organization that supports people with intellectual disabilities and their families in southwestern Ontario, Canada. With amazing quality, clarity and reliability, the combination of Logitech GROUP, SmartDock with Surface® Pro, and Skype for Business facilitates and enhances the organization’s face-to-face video collaboration, information sharing, clinical treatment consultations with physicians, and remote support for people receiving services in their home, workplace or throughout the community.



### INDUSTRY

Developmental Services

### LOCATION

Ontario, Canada

### WEBSITE

communitylivingessex.org

### PRODUCTS USED



Logitech GROUP



Logitech SmartDock



Logitech GROUP  
Expansion Mics

### CHALLENGE

Community Living Essex County recently engaged in a change initiative to modernize the way they do business, including the ability to collaborate with others through video conferencing. Initial goal: Install three complete in-room systems with outstanding sound and video quality plus ease of use.

### SOLUTION

Logitech GROUP, a video conferencing solution for mid to large-sized meeting rooms that’s as simple to use as a mobile phone and as affordable as an office chair, provided the backbone of a turnkey system that includes the Logitech SmartDock AV control console bundled with Surface® Pro.

### RESULT

The combination of Logitech GROUP and SmartDock with Surface® Pro enables users to simply walk into a conference room and start a Skype for Business meeting with one-touch join. Results include exceptional AV quality, massive cost savings, and the ability to creatively expand support services.

**“We’ve done some studies to determine how much we’re able to save by moving to videoconferencing for meetings. For an average meeting of one hour with eight managers attending, we’re saving about \$500. When you look at those savings over the course of a year against the cost of our investment in Logitech video conferencing equipment, we’re quite happy with our return on investment.”**

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