

Minor Surgery Clinic (Carpal Tunnel) was originally set to begin September 2021, unfortunately the delays associated with Covid force post ponement of the carpal tunnel surgery.

April 22/2022 the first minor surgery, started with 6 patients, eventually the clinic will schedule up to 10 patients, the second Friday of each month, Three orthopedic surgeons from Edmundston will be performing the carpal tunnel procedure, alternating each month.

The minor surgery will take place in the same suite as the cataracts are performed. Small provisions were made to the suite to accommodate the carpal tunnel procedure.

The foundation purchased many instruments need to complete 12 trays, armboard, large examination light and Jurniquet.

By having minor surgery (Carpal Tunnel) and

Cataracts procedures done under local anesthetic can

help free the OR suites for larger cases and decrease

wait time for patients