

SUPPORTING DEMENTIA INNOVATION IN RURAL LONG-TERM CARE

2019 CALL FOR PROPOSALS

THE NETWORK OF EXCELLENCE IN SENIORS' HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Background

More than 45,800 Albertans are living with dementia as of March 31, 2018¹. To address this, the Alberta Dementia Strategy and Action Plan (ADSAP) sets a future vision for Alberta where "Albertans are committed to optimizing brain health and valuing and supporting individuals impacted by dementia from its onset through to end-of-life"².

The Network of Excellence in Seniors' Health and Wellness (the Network) was established in 2013 to help build a province where every Albertan has the support they need to age well. The purpose of the Network is to champion a future where Albertans live to the fullness of their capacity as they age, as valued, independent, active and connected members of their communities. The Network has a history of generating new and impactful knowledge that supports innovation and transformative change to support seniors across the continuum of care.

Opportunity

The Network is aiming to improve the health and wellness of Albertans living with dementia in rural long-term care sites across the province.

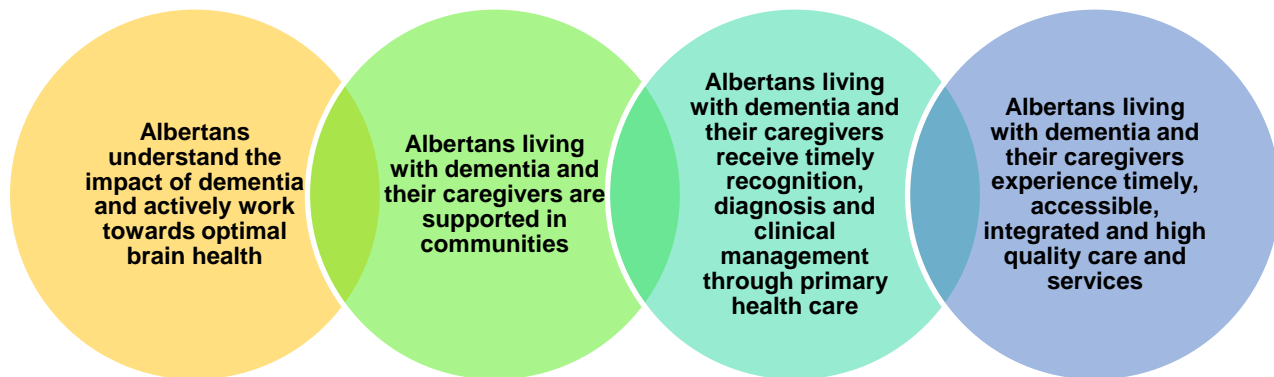
Through this initiative, rural long-term care sites are being asked to submit proposals that, if deemed eligible, may receive funding to support project implementation. The objective is to support pragmatic innovations from the bottom-up, as individual sites will have the best understanding of their own specific needs and challenges.

¹ Alberta Health, Continuing Care. (2019). Edmonton: AB.

² Alberta Health, Continuing Care. (2017). *Alberta Dementia Strategy and Action Plan*. Retrieved from: <https://open.alberta.ca/dataset/772005d6-94f8-4a62-a39b-cc91265f3fca/resource/40959fbb-ca1d-4b44-8864-f05e8d1c6d0f/download/alberta-dementia-strategy-and-action-plan.pdf>

Focus Areas for Funding

This funding opportunity will support proposals focused on one or more of the four outcomes of the Alberta Dementia Strategy and Action Plan:



Impact

The Network anticipates that initiatives will improve health and wellness outcomes of Albertans living with dementia in rural long-term care sites.

Eligibility to Apply

1. Rural long-term care sites in Alberta (see Appendix for full list of eligible sites).

Amount of Award

- The award is \$20,000 per project (basic research will not be funded).
- Depending on quality, scope and impact, proposals submitted jointly by multiple sites may be considered for higher funds (maximum \$40,000).
- Total funding available for this initiative is \$200,000.

Funding Contract

- **Project term is one year from the start date of funding.**
- Project reporting will include 1) submission of a 6-month report back and 2) submission of a final report and final deliverables. Note, reporting templates will be provided. In addition, two status updates will be scheduled with the Network

(can be via phone call) in between commencement of the project and 6-month point, and in between the 6-month point and project completion date.

Assessment Criteria

- The project advances creative and innovative ways of addressing the needs of Albertan's living with dementia and expected benefits are clear.
- The project clearly focuses on one or more of the four outcomes indicated in "Focus Areas for Funding".
- There is evidence that considerations have been made for how the project will carry forward beyond funding (sustainability).
- Project approach, design and evaluation is robust and clearly articulated.
- There is evidence of resource availability (e.g., skills and experience to carry out the project).
- The use or integration of technology is considered an asset.

Review Process

The Peer Review Committee will review all proposals and approve the final allocations.

Timeline

- Call out completed by: April 18, 2019
- **Proposals due: May 31, 2019 at 5:00 pm MST**
- Funding decisions announced by: July 5, 2019

Contact

Please submit proposals and any questions or concerns to:
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Appendix A– Eligible Sites

Rural long-term care sites in Alberta

Note: Eligibility criteria was based off of the AHS and AH "Official Standard Geographic Areas" report.

For the purpose of this initiative, only sites categorized as being in "Remote", "Rural" or "Large Rural Centre" areas were deemed eligible.

Operator	Site Name	Address
AgeCare Ltd.	Sagewood Seniors Community	140 Cambridge Glen Drive STRATHMORE, Alberta T1P 1N3
Alberta Health Services	Athabasca Healthcare Centre	3100 48 Avenue ATHABASCA, Alberta T9S 1M9
	Bassano Health Centre	608 5 Avenue BASSANO, Alberta T0J 0B0
	Bentley Care Centre	4834 52 Avenue BENTLEY, Alberta T0C 0J0
	Big Country Hospital	312 3 Avenue East OYEN Alberta T0J2J0
	Bow Island Health Centre	938 Centre Street, PO Bag 3990 BOW ISLAND, Alberta TOK 0G0
	Breton Health Centre	4919 49 Avenue BRETON, Alberta T0C 0P0
	Brooks Health Centre	440 Third Street East (Bag 300, T1R 1B3) BROOKS, Alberta T1R 0X8
	Canmore General Hospital	1100 Hospital Place CANMORE, Alberta T1W 1N2
	Cardston Health Centre	144 2 Street West PO Box 1440 CARDSTON, Alberta TOK 0K0
	Central Peace Health Complex	5010 45 Avenue SPIRIT RIVER, Alberta T0H 3G0

	Cold Lake Healthcare Centre	314 25 Street COLD LAKE, Alberta T9M 1G6
	Consort Hospital and Care Centre	5402 52 Avenue CONSORT, Alberta T0C 1B0
	Coronation Hospital and Care Centre	5000 Municipal Road CORONATION, Alberta T0C 1C0
	Crowsnest Pass Health Centre	2001 107 Street BLAIRMORE, Alberta T0K 0E0
	Didsbury District Health Services	1210 20 Avenue DIDSBURY, Alberta T0M 0W0
	Dr. W.R. Keir - Barrhead Continuing Care Centre	5336 59 Avenue BARRHEAD, Alberta T7N 1L2
	Drayton Valley Hospital and Care Centre	4550 Madsen Avenue DRAYTON VALLEY, Alberta T7A 1N8
	Drumheller Health Centre	351 9 Street NW DRUMHELLER, Alberta T0J 0Y1
	Edson Healthcare Centre	3825 - 6th Avenue EDSON, Alberta T7E 0C5
	Elk Point Healthcare Centre	5310 50 Avenue ELK POINT, Alberta T0A 1A0
	Fairview Health Complex	10628 110 Street FAIRVIEW, Alberta T0H 1L0
	Galahad Care Centre	1 Main St GALAHAD, Alberta T0B 1R0
	George McDougall - Smoky Lake Healthcare Centre	4212 55 Avenue SMOKY LAKE, Alberta T0A 3C0
	Grimshaw Berwyn and District Community Health Centre	5621 Wilcox Road GRIMSHAW, Alberta T0H 1W0
	Hanna Health Centre	904 Centre Street N, Box 830 HANNA, Alberta T0J 1P0
	Hardisty Health Centre	4531 47 Avenue, Box 269 HARDISTY, Alberta T0B1V0

	High River General Hospital	560 9 Avenue SW HIGH RIVER, Alberta T1V 1B3
	Hythe Continuing Care Centre	10307 100 Street PO Box 100 HYTHE, Alberta T0H 2C0
	Innisfail Health Centre	5023 42 Street INNISFAIL, Alberta T4G 1A9
	J.B. Wood Continuing Care Centre	4620 53 Avenue HIGH PRAIRIE, Alberta T0G 1E0
	La Crete Continuing Care Centre	10601 100 Avenue Box 295 LA CRETE, Alberta T0H 2H0
	Lacombe Hospital and Care Centre	5430 47 Avenue LACOMBE, Alberta T4L 1G8
	Manning Community Health Centre	600 2 Street NE MANNING, Alberta T0H 2M0
	Mannville Care Centre	5007 46 Street MANNVILLE, Alberta T0B 2W0
	Mayerthorpe Healthcare Centre	4417 45 Street MAYERTHORPE, T0E 1N0
	Milk River Health Centre	517 Centre Avenue East MILK RIVER, Alberta TOK 1M0
	Northwest Health Centre	11202 100 Avenue HIGH LEVEL, Alberta T0H 1Z0
	Oilfields General Hospital	717 Government Road BLACK DIAMOND, Alberta T0L 0H0
	Olds Hospital and Care Centre	3901 57 Avenue OLDS, Alberta T4H 1T4
	Peace River Community Health Centre	10101 68 Street PEACE RIVER, Alberta T8S 1T6
	Ponoka Hospital and Care Centre	5800 57 Avenue PONOKA, Alberta T4J 1P1
	Provost Health Centre	5002 54 Avenue Box 270 PROVOST, Alberta T0B 3S0
	Radway Continuing Care Centre	Hwy 28, Range Road 205 RADWAY, Alberta T0A 2V0

Raymond Health Centre	150 N 4 Street East RAYMOND, Alberta TOK 2S0
Redwater Health Centre	4812 58 Street REDWATER, Alberta TOA 2W0
Rimbey Hospital and Care Centre	5228 50 Avenue RIMBEY, Alberta TOC 2J0
Slave Lake Healthcare Centre	309 6 Street NE SLAVE LAKE, Alberta T0G 2A2
Smoky Lake Continuing Care Centre	4607 52 Avenue SMOKY LAKE, Alberta TOA 3C0
St. Theresa General Hospital	4506 46 Avenue FORT VERMILION, Alberta TOH 1N0
St. Therese - St. Paul Healthcare Centre	4713 48 Avenue ST. PAUL, Alberta T0A 3A3
Stettler Hospital and Care Centre	5912 47 Avenue STETTLER, Alberta TOC 2L0
Sundre Hospital and Care Centre	709 1 Street NE SUNDRE, Alberta T0M 1X0
Taber Health Centre	4326 50 Avenue TABER, Alberta T1G 1N9
Three Hills Health Centre	1504 2 Street North THREE HILLS, Alberta T0M 2A0
Tofield Health Centre	5543 44 Street Box 1200 TOFIELD, Alberta TOB 4J0
Two Hills Health Centre	4401 53 Avenue TWO HILLS, Alberta TOB 4K0
Valleyview Health Centre	4802 Highway Street East VALLEYVIEW, Alberta TOH 3N0
Vegreville Care Centre	525 50 Street VEGREVILLE, Alberta T9A 0A1
Vermilion Health Centre	5720 50 Avenue VERMILION, Alberta T9X 1K7
Vulcan Community Health Centre	610 Elizabeth Street S VULCAN, Alberta T0L 2B0
Wainwright Health Centre	530 6 Avenue WAINWRIGHT, Alberta T9W 1R6

	Westlock Healthcare Centre	10220 93 Street WESTLOCK, Alberta T7P2G4
	William J. Cadzow - Lac La Biche Healthcare Centre	9110 93 Street LAC LA BICHE, Alberta T0A 2C0
	Willow Creek Continuing Care Centre	4221 8 Street West CLARESHOLM, Alberta T0L 0T0
Church of God in Christ Mennonite	Westview Care Community	700 Nursing Home Road LINDEN, Alberta T0M 1J0
Covenant Health	Bonnyville Healthcare Centre	5001 Lakeshore Drive BONNYVILLE, Alberta T9N 2J7
	Killam Health Care Centre	5203 49 Avenue, Box 40 KILLAM, Alberta T0B 2L0
	Mary Immaculate Care Centre	Polomark Drive and 53 Street Box 349 MUNDARE, Alberta T0B 3H0
	Mineral Springs Hospital	305 Lynx Street PO Box 1050 BANFF, Alberta T1L 1H7
	Our Lady of the Rosary Hospital	5402 47 Street CASTOR, Alberta T0C 0X0
	St. Mary's Health Care Centre	451 Dechauney Avenue TROCHU, Alberta T0M 2C0
Extendicare	Extendicare Athabasca	4517 53 Street ATHABASCA, Alberta T9S 1K4
	Extendicare Bonnyville	4602 47 Avenue BONNYVILLE, Alberta T9N 2E8
	Extendicare Fort MacLeod	654 29 Street Box 189 FORT MACLEOD, Alberta T0L 0Z0
	Extendicare Mayerthorpe	4706 54 Street MAYERTHORPE, Alberta T0E 1N0
	Extendicare St. Paul	4614 47 Avenue ST. PAUL, Alberta T0A 3A3
	Extendicare Viking	5020 57 Avenue Box 430 VIKING, Alberta T0B 4N0
	Extendicare Vulcan	715 2 Avenue South VULCAN, Alberta T0L 2B0



Integrated Life Care Inc.	Manoir du Lac	164 3 Avenue NW MCLENNAN, Alberta T0H 2L0
Northcott Lodge Nursing Home Ltd.	Northcott Care Centre (Ponoka)	4209 48 Avenue PONOKA, Alberta T5J 1P4
Prairie North Regional Health Authority	Dr Cooke Extended Care Centre	3915 56 Avenue LLOYDMINSTER, Alberta T9V 1N9
	Lloydminster Care Centre	7402 – 29th Street, LLOYDMINSTER, Alberta T9V 3N1
The Bethany Group	Bethany Meadows	4209 55 Street CAMROSE, Alberta T4V 1Y6
	Louise Jensen Care Centre	5400 46 Avenue CAMROSE, Alberta T4V 4P8
	Rosehaven Care Centre	4612 53 Street CAMROSE, Alberta T4V 1Y6
The Good Samaritan Society	Clearwater Centre	5615 60 St, Rocky Mountain House, Alberta T4T1W2
	Wetaskiwin Hospital and Care Centre	4702 Northmount Drive WETASKIWIN, Alberta T9A 3T3
The United Church of Canada	Lamont Health Care Centre	5216 53 Street Bag 10 LAMONT, Alberta T0B 2R0