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Ta'wow/Welcome Directory

Aboriginal Edmonton is a dynamic, vibrant, and an energetic community. It is young, entrepreneurial, educated, culturally active, artistic, and caring. It is the home of the second largest urban Aboriginal population in Canada, and lies in the heart of Treaty 6 territory.

The "Aboriginal community" is not one community, but "many communities", and is, therefore, a reflection of the diverse and multifaceted Aboriginal population that makes Edmonton their home. The Aboriginal people in Edmonton have roots that are deeply sown and well-traveled through-out the whole of the City and extend from the past, through to the present, and will continue well into the future.

The City of Edmonton's Edmonton Aboriginal Urban Affairs Committee (EAUAC), Aboriginal Edmonton Directory founder, in partnership with the Edmonton Aboriginal Relations Office have worked collaboratively to reproduce this directory with the intent to help you navigate the diverse and friendly Edmonton community. We hope you find it useful. Your feedback and suggestions are welcomed.

How to Use This Directory

We have categorized the contents by sectors followed by an alphabetical listing of all organizations and service providers.

Aboriginal Relations Office

Community Services 8th Floor, CN Tower 10004-104 Avenue NW P.O. Box 2359 Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: (780) 944-7602 **FAX**: (780) 577-3525

EMAIL: aboriginal relations@edmonton.ca **WEBSITE**: www.edmonton.ca/aro





211 Edmonton

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: 211 (in Edmonton)

PHONE: (780) 482-INFO (4636) (outside of Edmonton area)

WEBSITE: www.211Edmonton.com

This program of The Support Network is your single access point to health, human services, community resources, and government assistance people need every day as well as in times of crisis.

Individuals, families, and service agencies can call 211 when dealing with issues such as addictions, donations, education, family and domestic violence, food, immigrant services, medical concerns, mental health or youth.

The Community Resource Department at (780) 482-0198, publishes the Directory of Community Services and the Tough Times Handbook, as well as various specialized directories. Additional services include an email broadcast service.

911 - Edmonton Police / Fire / Ambulance

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: 911 (Emergency)

PHONE: (780) 421-3333 (Switchboard) **PHONE:** (780) 423-4567 (Non-Emergency)

TTY/TDD: (780) 425-1231

CRIME STOPPERS: 1-800-222-8477

FAX: (780) 421-2187

EMAIL: eps@edmontonpolice.ca

WEBSITE: www.edmontonpolice.ca/contactEPS.aspx

Alberta Health Services - Addiction & Mental Health

TOLL FREE: 1-866-332-2322

WEBSITE: www.albertahealthservices.ca/addiction.asp

If you, or someone you know, is experiencing problems with alcohol, other drugs, tobacco or gambling, AHS Addiction & Mental Health is here to help. The good news is these problems are treatable. Call the Helpline if you have any concerns.

Alberta Health Services - PADIS - Poison and Drug Information Services

Calgary, AB

TOLL FREE: 1-800-332-1414 **PHONE:** (403) 944-6900 (Admin)

FAX: (403) 944-1472

EMAIL: padis.secretary@albertahealthservices.ca

WEBSITE: www.padis.ca

PADIS provides free confidential phone consultations about any poisoning (drugs, chemicals, plants, poisonous bites, insecticides, household cleaners, pesticides, foods), drugs (prescription medications, over the counter medications, street drugs) or herbal medication interaction. An Information Specialist with extensive experience in toxicology, a nurse or pharmacist, will take your call and advise you what to do and answer any questions you may have.



Alta Care Resources

15355 - 117 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5M 3X4

PHONE: (780) 451-6040 **FAX:** (780) 453-3723

WEBSITE: www.altacareresources.com

The creative and innovative programming offered by the agency includes: Therapeutic Youth Work, Family Aide Services, Family Support Services, 3R's Early Intervention Services, and Residential Group Care.

Anawim Place

10650 - 95 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2C6

PHONE: (780) 426-3679 **FAX:** (780) 436-7255

Anawim Place provides food and outreach programs to the less fortunate living in Edmonton's inner city. It operates the Edmonton Food Bank depot, serving those who live between Jasper and 111 Avenue from 90 Street to 98 Street. Has volunteeer opportunities.



Bissell Centre

10527 - 96 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2H6

PHONE: (780) 423-2285 **FAX:** (780) 429-7908

WEBSITE: www.bissellcentre.org

Providing various services to people in the inner city, the Bissell Centre's mission is through working with others, to empower people to move from poverty to prosperity. They enable people to meet their own basic daily needs, participate in community, have sustainable livelihoods, feel hope for the future and make plans for a prosperous life

Boyle Street Community Services

10116 - 105 Avenue NW Edmonton, AB T5H 0K2

PHONE: (780) 424-4106 **FAX:** (780) 425-2205

EMAIL: info@boylestreet.org **WEBSITE:** www.boylestreet.org

Boyle Street Community Services works to connect people living in poverty with the same things everyone needs: somewhere to live, someone to talk to and something to do. Programs include Street Outreach Services, Family Support, Mental Health Counselling, Housing Support Services, Adult Literacy, Addictions Support, Youth Services, Group Care, Needle Exchange, Volunteering Opportunities, Welcoming Services for Aboriginal People moving to Edmonton, Indian Residential School Health Support Program, Adult Housing, Aboriginal Cultural Programming, and a Drop-In Centre.

Canadian Red Cross

9931 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1E2

PHONE: (780) 423-2680 **TOLL FREE:** 1-888-800-6493 **FAX:** (780) 428-7092

EMAIL: wz-edm-dm@redcross.ca **WFRSITF:** www.redcross.ca

Has volunteer opportunities.

Provides a short-term supply of basic necessities such as food, shelter, and clothing to those affected by disaster. The Canadian Red Cross teaches individuals and families to be prepared for disasters and emergencies in their own homes.

Canadian Red Cross RespectED

9931 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1E2

PHONE: (780) 423-2680 **TOLL FREE:** 1-800-565-4483

FAX: (780) 428-7092

EMAIL: RespectED.Alberta@redcross.ca

WEBSITE: www.redcross.ca

Education is the key to prevention – of abuse, bullying, violence and sexual exploitation. RespectED: Violence & Abuse Prevention programs promote healthier relationships and safer communities through education and partnerships.

Child Abuse Hot Line (24 Hour)

TOLL FREE: 1-800-387-5437 (KIDS)

FAX: (780) 422-5632

Everybody has a responsibility to report child abuse. Call the hotline if you believe a child is in need of protection.

Crisis Support Centre

400, 10025 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1G4

PHONE: (780) 482-0198

24 HOUR DISTRESS LINE: (780) 482-HELP (4357) **SENIORS' ABUSE HELPLINE:** (780) 454-8888

FAX: (780) 488-1495

EMAIL: admin@crisissupportcentre.com **WEBSITE:** www.CrisisSupportCentre.com

Crisis Support Centre, a program of The Support Network, offers immediate, 24-hour, confidential and non-judgemental support from highly trained staff and volunteers – By phone, in person, and online. Programs include: Walk-in Counselling, Suicide Bereavement Program, Suicide Caregiver Support,



E4C - Women's Emergency Accommodation Centre

9611 - 101A Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0C8

PHONE: (780) 423-5302 **FAX:** (780) 424-9642

EMAIL: weac@e4calberta.org **WEBSITE:** www.e4calberta.org

The Women's Emergency Accommodation Centre is a secure, supervised facility that provides free semi-private rooms, meals and clothing to women-in-need 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Edmonton Emergency Relief Services Society

10255 - 104 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1B1

PHONE: (780) 428-4422 **FAX:** (780) 423-6712

EMAIL: healthmcc@telus.net **WEBSITE:** www.eerss.ca

Established in 1986 in response to a tragic fire, the Society is dedicated to serving victims of fire and disaster by helping them with the basic supplies such as household necessities, and furniture. All support is given at no cost to the people in need.

Edmonton Food Bank

11508 - 120 Street Edmonton, AB T5M 4B5

PHONE: (780) 425-4190 **FAX:** (780) 426-1590

EMAIL: clientservices@edmontonfoodbank.com **WEBSITE:** www.edmontonsfoodbank.com

Each month, more than 15,000 people receive hampers from Edmonton's Food Bank or one of the over 190 affiliated agencies, churches or food depots. They also distribute food for more than 300,000 meals and snacks each month. Approximately 40 per cent of clients served are children under 18.

Edmonton Women's Shelter Ltd. (WIN House)

P.O. Box 20088 RPO Beverly Edmonton, AB T5W 5E6

PHONE: (780) 471-6709

CRISIS LINE: (780) 479-0058 (24 Hour)

FAX: (780) 479-8252 EMAIL: ewsinfo@telus.net WEBSITE: www.winhouse.org

Edmonton Women's Shelter operates two 24-hour residential shelters for women with or without children who are fleeing domestic violence. They provide crisis intervention, child support, outreach services, a donation distribution system, public education and volunteer program – all free of charge.

Hope Mission

9908 - 106 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0N6

PHONE: (780) 422-2018 **FAX:** (780) 426-7507

EMAIL: reception@hopemission.com

WEBSITE: www.hopemission.com/men.htm

Hope Mission cares for impoverished and homeless people in the city of Edmonton. Basic and emergency care is provided to over 800 people daily, as well as counsel and referral services for men, women, and youth.

EMERGENCY SHELTERS:

Herb Jamieson Single Men's Hostel

New registrations at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. daily

Emergency Shelter

Intake 8:30 p.m. - midnight; clearout at 6:30 a.m.

Intox Shelter

Intake 8:30 p.m. - 2 a.m.; clearout at 6:30 a.m.

Youth Shelter (age 16-24)

Intake 9:30 p.m. - 2 a.m.; clearout at 8 a.m.

Breakout Recovery Community (Men)

1 year, live-in recovery program; intakes daily at Herb Jamieson

Wellspring Recovery Program (Women)

1 year, live-in recovery program; inquire at Main Building reception (9908 - 106 Avenue)

Community Meals

Mon-Fri. Breakfast 8 a.m., Lunch Noon, Supper 5 p.m.; Sat-Sun. Brunch 11 a.m., Supper 4:30 p.m.

Kids Help Phone

TOLL FREE: 1-800-668-6868

WEBSITE: www.kidshelpphone.ca/en

Canada's only toll-free, 24-hour, bilingual and anonymous phone counselling, referral and Internet service for children and youth. Every day, professional counsellors provide immediate, caring support to young people in urban and rural communities across the country. The service is completely, anonymous and confidential – they don't trace calls, they don't use call display. You don't even have to tell them your name if you don't want to.

Lurana Shelter

11035 - 92 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 1W5

PHONE: (780) 424-5875 (Crisis Line) EMAIL: info@luranashelter.com WEBSITE: www.canacal.com/lurana

Lurana Shelter is a first-stage emergency shelter for women and children in immediate crisis who are fleeing domestic violence. It provides safe shelter in a confidential location, immediate crisis intervention, food, clothing, transportation and child support.



Marian Centre

10528 - 98 Street Edmonton, AB R2H 2N4

PHONE: (780) 424-3544 **FAX:** (780) 424-4806

EMAIL: mceedmonton@shaw.ca **WEBSITE:** www.madonnahouse.org

The centre offers a meal from 12:30 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. every day of the week except Wednesdays (closed) and on Sundays when sandwiches are given out at the back door at the same time. They also have a clothing room that is open during the Tuesday meal.

SAGE Senior Safe House

15 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2E5

PHONE: (780) 702-1520 **PHONE:** (780) 426-3746 **FAX:** (780) 428-6856 **WEBSITE:** www.mysage.ca

This is a program for abused seniors, 60 years of age or older. Seniors are provided with safe accommodation and case management services for up to 60 days. This is a free service for both men and women experiencing any type of abuse – mental, physical, financial, sexual and neglect.



Senior's Abuse Helpline

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 454-8888

24 hour information and support line for abused older adults and their family and friends. If you feel you are in immediate danger, call 911 as your first choice.

Sexual Assault Centre of Edmonton

Suite 205, 14964 - 121A Avenue Edmonton, AB T5V 1A4

PHONE: (780) 423-4102

PHONE: (780) 423-4121 (24 Hour Sexual Assault Crisis Line)

TTY: (780) 420-1482 (TTY) FAX: (780) 421-8734 EMAIL: info@sace.ab.ca WEBSITE: www.sace.ab.ca

The Sexual Assault Centre runs a 24-hour crisis line for Edmonton and surrounding area. The line provides support to victims of sexual abuse and assault, and to their support people. Information and referrals are provided by highly trained crisis line volunteers.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

10830 - 109 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 3C1

PHONE: (780) 471-5577

Edmonton and area chapters send volunteers to visit with people in need in their homes to provide supportive listening, advocacy, or advice and occasional material assistance. Free clothing distribution is also offered.

Student Legal Services of Edmonton

11011 - 88 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6G 0Z3

Corona Criminal Law (Downtown Office) 203, 9924 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C7

PHONE: (780) 492-2226

FAX: (780) 492-7574

EMAIL: slsoed@ualberta.ca

WEBSITE: www.slsedmonton.com

Student Legal Services of Edmonton (SLS) is a student-managed, non-profit society dedicated to helping low-income individuals in Edmonton and area understand their legal issues and solve their legal problems. They can assist with Provincial Court civil matters, summary conviction criminal offences, uncontested divorces and lectures and mock trials to junior and senior high schools.

The George Spady Centre

10015 - 105A Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0M5

PHONE: (780) 424-8335 **FAX:** (780) 426-1203

EMAIL: admin@gspady.ab.ca **WEBSITE:** www.gspady.ab.ca

The centre provides a supervised environment for those who are under the influence of alcohol and/or other drugs and require assistance in stabilizing their condition. In addition to non-medical detoxification, they offer treatment referrals, and interim housing for men pre- and post-treatment or in Edmonton's Housing First program.

The Mustard Seed

10635 - 96 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2J4

Donations Only: P.O. Box 1842

PHONE: (780) 426-5600 FAX: (780) 426-5400 EMAIL: info@theseed.ca WEBSITE: www.theseed.ca

The Mustard Seed is a Christian not-for-profit organization that delivers basic services, including six evening meals per week, clothing, and personal items, to those living in poverty. You can access free clothing, personal items and work boots, with ID at the new location of the Personal Assistance Centre, 10568 - 114 Street, Edmonton. Hours of operation: Monday 3 - 6 p.m., Wednesday 5 - 9 p.m., Thursday 3 - 6 p.m., Saturday 3 - 7 p.m.



The Salvation Army

Alberta & Northern Territories Divisional Headquarters 9618 101A Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0C7

PHONE: (780) 423-2111 **FAX:** (780) 425-9081

EMAIL: info_ab.can.salvationarmy.org **WEBSITE:** www.ab.salvationarmy.ca/alberta

Addictions & Residential Services 9611 - 102 Avenue

Edmonton AB T5H 0E5 **PHONE:** (780) 429-4274

Community & Family Services 9620 -101A Avenue NW Edmonton, AB T5H 0C7 **PHONE:** (780) 424-9222

The Salvation Army provides life-changing social services and programs, giving hope and support to vulnerable people.



The Support Network

400, 10025 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1G4

PHONE: (780) 482-0198 **FAX:** (780) 488-1495

EMAIL: admin@thesupportnetwork.com **WEBSITE:** www.TheSupportNetwork.com

The Support Network is the operating organization for the Crisis Support Centre, 211 Edmonton, and Volunteer Edmonton; programs that contribute to the well-being of the people in Northern Alberta by providing a connection to resources and information to individuals, families, and not-for-profit organizations.

YMCA

10030 - 102A Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 0G5

PHONE: (780) 421-9622 **FAX:** (780) 429-1455

EMAIL: swatson@edmonton.ymca.ca **WEBSITE:** www.edmonton.ymca.ca

The YMCA's four-floor housing facility in downtown Edmonton has more than 100 rooms and still serves young men just getting on their feet. The facility also serves women and families and can accomodate up to 120 idividuals at one time. All rooms have a bed and a desk, and include all utilities. Shared bathrooms and showers are on each floor Government issued picture ID required prior to check-in. Residents have access to the Don Wheaton Family YMCA (a few blocks away) during specific hours.

Youth Emergency Shelter Society

9310 - 82 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6C 0Z6

PHONE: (780) 468-7070 FAX: (780) 466-1374 EMAIL: yess@yess.org WEBSITE: www.yess.org

The Youth Emergency Shelter Society is a non-profit agency that helps at-risk and homeless youth between the ages of 15 and 19. In addition to emergency and residential services, YESS offers counselling for youth and their families, advocacy, and repatriation or assistance to become self-reliant. The shelter doors open at 9 p.m. for intake of youth. YESS operates 24/7, 365 days a year

The Armoury Youth Centre at 10310 - 85 Avenue was opened in 2009 in response to the need for youth to be safe and engaged during the daytime hours when the shelter was closed. The centre is open 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. daily.

YESS offers additional services directed toward aboriginal youth, including encouragement to incorporate spirituality and culture into their personal goals, connecting to community resources, transportation to attend sweats, and connecting with elders.





A bead at a time

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 862-5745

EMAIL: kihew awasis 72@yahoo.com

Clayton Aubichon's skills include beadwork and singing. He sings traditional and ceremony songs for round dance, powwow and funeral.

Alberta Aboriginal Performing Arts Association

12014 - 127 Street Edmonton, AB T5L 0Z4

PHONE: (780) 913-3570 or (587) 989-6838 **EMAIL:** albertaaboriginalarts@gmail.com **WEBSITE:** www.albertaaboriginalarts.com

Alberta Aboriginal Arts is a professional Aboriginal theatre and performing arts organization based in Edmonton, Alberta. AAA was co-founded in 2009 by Ryan Cunningham and Christine Sokaymoh Frederick, both Aboriginal (Métis) from Edmonton. AAA provides audiences of all backgrounds a chance to experience challenging artistic works from an unique aboriginal perspective.

Aaron Paquette

Edmonton, AB

EMAIL: paquette.aaron@gmail.com **WEB:** www.aaronpaquette.net

Aaron is a Nationally recognized First Nations Artist who has taken the lessons of his art and life and begun to share them as part of his social responsibility and desire to be a positive agent of change and good role model.

Arts & Culture

Alberta Foundation for the Arts

10708 - 105 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0A1

PHONE: (780) 427-9968 **FAX:** (780) 422-9132 **WEBSITE:** www.affta.ab.ca

The Alberta Foundation for the Arts (AFA) provides support to Alberta's arts community, including specific grant streams unique to practitioners of the traditional Aboriginal arts. Grants streams are open for traditional Aboriginal arts projects for both individual artists and arts organizations.

Bearclaw Gallery

10403 - 124 Street Edmonton, AB T5N 3Z5

PHONE: (780) 482-1204 **FAX:** (780) 488-0928

EMAIL: info@bearclawgallery.com **WEBSITE:** www.bearclawgallery.com

The Bearclaw Gallery carries a diverse selection of Canadian First Nations art including traditional Native and Inuit arts and crafts, original paintings and sculpture. The gallery features works by internationally acclaimed First Nations artists Daphne Odjig and Norval Morrisseau (both of whom are recipients of the Order of Canada), Alex Janvier, Jane Ash Poitras, George Littlechild, Roy Thomas, Maxine Noel, Jim Logan, Aaron Paquette and many other Canadian native artists and Inuit artists.

Chris Burnstick

Alexander First Nation #134, AB

CELL: (780) 270-8433

They say artists have a different relationship with the Creator, everything I draw a vision of values of peace, moving forward, the home fire and most of all the sun that gives us life.

- 1. Canvas Painting
- 2. Ink Art
- 3. Traditional Earrings
- 4. Special requests

Dreamspeaker's Festival Society

8726 - 112 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5B 0G6

PHONE: (780) 378-9609 **FAX:** (780) 378-9611

EMAIL: info@dreamspeakers.org **WEBSITE:** www.dreamspeakers.org

The Dreamspeakers Festival Society supports and educates the public about Aboriginal culture, art and heritage through the hosting of an annual Aboriginal film festival. It is a resource for Aboriginal filmmakers, for directors, scriptwriters, cameramen, technicians, actors, musicians, storytellers, artists and craftspeople. The Society is also a resource bank – a way to get in touch with Aboriginal filmmakers, performers and artists. And through Dreamspeakers, Aboriginal people receive training in arts, culture and festival operations.

Arts & Culture

Edmonton Arts Council

Box 9, 10440 - 108 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 3Z9

PHONE: (780) 424-2787 **FAX:** (780) 425-7620

EMAIL: info@edmontonarts.ca **WEBSITE:** www.edmontonarts.ab.ca

The Edmonton Arts Council is a non-profit society and charitable organization that supports and promotes the arts community in Edmonton. The EAC works to increase the profile and involvement of arts and culture in all aspects of our community life.

Edmonton Fur Tanners Ltd.

12403 - 67 Street Edmonton, AB T5B 1N2

PHONE: (780) 471-2255 **FAX:** (780) 471-2221

Fur and leather tanning and sales.

Edmonton Inuit Cultural Society

CONTACT: Jakoe Schnell **CELL:** (780) 982-2294

EMAIL: jmaeschnell@gmail.com **WEBSITE:** www.edmontoninuit.ca

The Edmonton Inuit Cultural Society builds a strong, active inuit community by providing culturally-based support systems to urban Inuit, and representing the Inuit community in the greater Edmonton area.

Haida Laas Consulting

4, 11715 - 101 Street Edmonton, AB T5G 2B5

PHONE: (780) 298-8422 EMAIL: dabrahams@live.ca WEBSITE: www.haidalaas.com

Damian Abrahams is a First Nations presenter, mentor, and performer, and holds Bachelor's degree in psychology. Originally from Vancouver his roots are in Haida Gwaii with the ts'aahl laanas clan. Damian provides workshops on a variety of topics including: childhood abuse, self-esteem, medicine wheel teachings, addiction (stimulant specific), identity, and family violence. He also does Haida song and dance performances which encourage audience participation and includes Haida culture teachings. Damian will do keynote speeches tailored to your needs while utilizing his own experiences and understanding of the topics.

Halford's

8629 - 126 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5B 1G8

PHONE: (780) 474-4989 **TOLL FREE:** 1-800-353-7864

FAX: (780) 477-3489

EMAIL: gisele@halfordhide.com **WEBSITE:** www.halfordsmailorder.com

Retail/wholesale store offering leather, fur, and craft supplies; butcher supplies; and animal damage control and trapping.

Arts & Culture

Infamous Enterprises

3452 - 78 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6B 2X9

PHONE: (780) 465-3509 Home studio **PHONE:** (780) 932-2120 Cell line

FAX: (780) 665-6160

EMAIL: heather@shillinglaw.ca **WEBSITE:** www.shillinglaw.ca

Heather Shillinglaw is a Metis artist, curator, speaker and art educator. She holds a vision that honors her ancestors. She fuses mixed media to tell the stories of how wildflowers and herbs heal. A graduate of Alberta College of Art and Design with a BFA Degree, She has exhibited, curated, and spoken at symposiums and conferences nationally and abroad. She programs artist in residence programs in all grade levels and skill levels. Being mentored by a Paraguayan Guarani medicine woman as well as Alex Janvier has helped create her unique philosophy. She has her work in many collections; nationally, internationally, and with private collectors.

- Commissions
- Speaking Engagements
- · Artist in Residence
- Art Workshops

Laura Mclaughlin

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 451-0465

Traditional and contemporary Native clothing, specializing in ribbon shirts.

Lightningwoman Designs – Melody Good Striker & Paul Campbell

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 953-0543

EMAIL: lightningwomandesigns@yahoo.ca

Specializing in shell and turquoise jewelry and powwow regalia, as well as providing dance and flute performances, and serving as cultural arts/powwow facilitators.

Martha Campiou

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 497-2546

EMAIL: mcampiou@hotmail.com

Martha markets traditional clothing and jewelry, as well as teaches traditional crafts and cultural awareness.

Mother Earth Essentials

12318-111 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5M 2N4

PHONE1: 587-523-9966 **PHONE2:** 780-907-7199

EMAIL: carrie@motherearthessentials.ca **WEBSITE:** www.motherearthessentials.ca

Mother Earth Essentials was founded by Carrie Belcourt who comes from a long line of Cree Medicine women. Her passion is sharing Aboriginal culture and the vehicle for her message is her products. Carrie has based her company on traditional Aboriginal teachings and a philosophy steeped in respect and honor for the environment and the beautiful plants used in her luxurious bath, body and beauty line. Retail, wholesale and corporate gifts available.

Nechi Art - Scott Stonechild, BA, Owner - Visual Art

Box 122, 21, 10405 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 3S2

Mission P.O. #23075 Calgary, AB T2S 3A8

EMAIL: nechiartist@hotmail.com

Scott is a practicing artist for eight years, and does murals, designs and commission work.

Painted Shirt Native Arts & Crafts (Aaron J. Lee)

Box 144 Hobbema, AB TOC 1NO

PHONE: (780) 471-3257 or (780) 904-9361

FAX: (780) 904-9361

EMAIL: creecanindian66@msn.com

WEBSITE: www.members.shaw.ca/canindian66

Painted Shirt Native Arts and Crafts is a home-based, Native owned and operated business in Edmonton, providing Native arts and crafts such as chokers, breast plates and more. They also do custom orders and corporate gifting.



Spirit~Vision~Designs

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 331-3293 **CELL:** (780) 213-3645

EMAIL: n8vedesigner@outlook.com

WEBSITE: www.spiritvisiondesigns.daportfolio.com

Spirit~Vision~Designs' C.E.O. Gerald "Geo" Wasp-Collin III is a multi-disciplined Dene Tha First Nations visionary artist and technical designer who's artistic incorporation of traditional art and technical designs creates complex, yet simple images that honour his ancestors of millenias past through vibrant, engaging visions of Native stories, legends and mystery.

Sun and Moon Visionaries Aboriginal Artisans Society

10125 - 97 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5K 0B3

PHONE: (780) 433-3097 CONTACT: Jaret Sinclair-Gibson EMAIL: isq 001@yahoo.ca

WEBSITE: www.sunandmoongallery.com

Sun and Moon Visionaries is a non-profit organization that has been delivering successful community based arts and culture programming to urban Aboriginal Youth and Artisans since 1999. Since inception yearly program registration averages 250+ urban Aboriginal youth and their families.

Terry Lusty, B.Ed - Photographer

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 977-0155

Métis historian, photographer, journalist, reporter, writer, conference presenter, sports and cultural advocate, and residential school survivor.



Business & Economic Development

Aboriginal Business Canada

630 Canada Place 9700 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T6J 4G2

PHONE: (780) 495-2773 (Contact Aboriginal Affairs and

Northern Development Canada)

WEBSITE: www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ecd/ab/abc/abt/index-eng.asp

ABC provides support to Aboriginal entrepreneurs and businesses for a range of activities including business planning, start-up, expansion and marketing. It provides eligible majority-owned Aboriginal enterprises with financial assistance, business information and resource materials, and referrals to other possible sources of financing or business support. ABC works with clients of all Aboriginal heritage groups – on-reserve and off-reserve – in urban, rural and remote areas.

Aksis: Edmonton's Aboriginal Business & Professional Association

P.O. Box 62086 Edmonton, AB T5M 4B5

PHONE: (587) 334-3845 **EMAIL:** info@aksis.ca

WEBSITE: www.aksis.ca, www.aksismember.com

Aksis is Edmonton's Aboriginal Business and Professional Association. Our vision is to Make Edmonton the Aboriginal Business Capital of Canada by playing a pivotal role in the growth and development of member businesses and professionals for the betterment of all Aboriginal people.

We host monthly training Lunch & Learn events, Monthly Meet, Greet & Eat after hours Business Mixers, Industry Dialogue sessions and Business and Professional preparation and development programs. Our goal is to Connect, Collaborate and Create.

Business & Economic Development

Alberta Indian Investment Corporation

P.O. Box 180 Enoch, AB T7X 3Y3

PHONE: (780) 470-3600 **TOLL FREE:** 1-888-308-6789

FAX: (780) 470-3605

EMAIL: info@aiicbusiness.org **WEBSITE:** www.aiicbusiness.org

Formed in 1987, the Alberta Indian Investment Corporation (A.I.I.C) is owned by all First Nation communities in the province of Alberta. Throughout its history A.I.I.C. has provided First Nation owned business unparalleled source of loan and equity financing and has been instrumental in business development activities throughout the province, within First Nation's economic development sector.

Apeetogosan (Métis) Development Inc

#302, 12308 - 111 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5M 2N4

PHONE: (780) 452-7951 **TOLL FREE:** 1-800-252-7963

FAX: (780) 454-5997

EMAIL: office@apeetogosan.ab.ca **WEBSITE:** www.apeetogosan.com

Apeetogosan (Métis) Development Inc. was incorporated in 1984 as an initiative of the Métis Nation of Alberta to create an economic development tool to provide small business loans and advisory services to Métis entrepreneurs. Apeetogosan is a one-stop shop for business financial services. Primary services include commercial loans, business advisory services and access to the Aboriginal Business Development Program.

BMP - Boller Media Productions (Trevor Boller)

13556 - 126 Street Edmonton, AB T5L 0Y8

PHONE: (780) 482-5523
EMAIL: bmp@trevorboller.com
WEBSITE: www.trevorboller.com

BMP provides photography for portraits, commercial use or events. They also supply professional photo booths for weddings and events.

CANDO - Council for the Advancement of Native Development Officers

9635 - 45 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6E 5Z8

PHONE: (780) 990-0303 **TOLL FREE:** 1-800-463-9300

FAX: (780) 429-7487 EMAIL: cando@edo.ca WEBSITE: www.edo.ca

CANDO is Aboriginal-controlled, community-based and membership-driven, and is directed by a national regionally represented volunteer board of elected Economic Development Officers (EDOs) representing each region of Canada. As a federally registered, non-profit society, CANDO has been instrumental in facilitating partnerships with EDOs, academics, Aboriginal leaders and senior corporate and government representatives. CANDO is unique because it is the only national organization that focuses on education and professional development for EDOs working in Aboriginal communities or organizations.

CIBC – Aboriginal Banking

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 429-5810 **FAX:** (780) 426-7320

WEBSITE: www.cibc.com/ca/small-business/aboriginal

CIBC is dedicated to providing financial services to First Nations, Inuit and Métis. Their experienced frontline staff and Aboriginal Banking Team will work with you and your community to bring you products and services that meet your changing and diverse needs. In addition to offering banking expertise, they also take an active role in the community at both a national and local level. Their community involvement means they are better able to understand the specific needs of the Aboriginal community allowing them to help you find the right solutions for your unique needs.

Four Winds & Associates

P. O. Box 63014 8770 - 170 Street Edmonton, AB T5T 5X1

PHONE: (780) 962-3479 FAX: (888) 820-1653 CELL: (780) 982-1912 EMAIL: dan@fwinds.net WEBSITE: www.fwinds.net

Four Winds & Associates is an Aboriginal owned and operated company, working extensively with First Nations, Métis, Non-Status and other Aboriginal communities, organizations, governments and industry in the areas of Aboriginal awareness, organizational, community, social and economic development and relationship building.

Since 1993, Four Winds has been instrumental in bringing Aboriginal groups, government and industry together to discuss and address difficult issues, and working with Aboriginal communities to develop positive approaches to resolve issues and concerns.

Homefire Grill

18210 - 100 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5S 2V2

PHONE: (780) 489-8086 **FAX:** (780) 489-3065

WEBSITE: www.homefiregrill.ca

Restaurant and caterer with a fusion of contemporary Canadian and Aboriginal cuisine. Experience the aroma of cooking on flames and the warmth of the central fireplace. Specializing in grain-fed Alberta bison, AAA Angus beef, rotisserie chicken and fresh fish. The restaurant seats 120 and the lounge seats another 60 people.

Ironhead Golf & Country Club

P. O. Box 69 Wabamun, AB TOE 2KO

PHONE: (780) 892-4653 **FAX:** (780) 892-2486

WEBSITE: www.golfpatio.com/courses/canada/alberta/ironhead-na1010

The Ironhead Golf & Country Club is a fabulous championship length golf course located on the shores of Lake Wabamun. The course can easily adapt to any skill level and at the same time challenge the game's best players. From the championship tees, Ironhead measures in at 6,835 yards and features an abundance of water and sand bunkers in play. There are 96 bunkers strategically placed throughout the course, making Ironhead a course that requires intelligent course management to score well.

Native Delights

Restaurant 10406 - 118 Avenue

Edmonton, AB T5G 0P7

Mail 45 Keyhole Cresent NW

Edmonton, AB T6P 1B7

PHONE: (780) 237-0717 **PHONE:** (780) 217-0039

EMAIL: admin@nativedelights.ca **WEBSITE:** www.nativedelights.ca

We are a Mobile Food Concession (a.k.a "Food Truck") that has been serving Aboriginal Cuisine in and around the City of Edmonton for over two years. We have catered and vended at many events, large and small. We specialize in traditional fried Bannock as we put a modern spin on our Aboriginal Cuisine. Our new restaurant will soon feature a salad bar containing indigeneous ingredients, a variety of stews containing premium cuts of indigeneous meats, along with freshly ground Organic, fair trade coffee and a selection of loose leaf teas. Take-out and delivery will be available also at our 'fast casual' dining location.

Peace Hills Insurance

300,10709 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5J 3N3

PHONE: (780) 424-3986 **FAX:** (780) 424-0396

EMAIL: phi@peacehillsinsurance.com **WEBSITE:** www.peacehillsinsurance.com

Peace Hills Insurance, proudly owned by the Samson Cree Nation, has been insuring Western Canadians since 1982. As a well-respected profitable provider of general insurance products, Peace Hills Insurance prides itself on being a unique insurance company that truly cares.

Peace Hills Trust

Peace Hills Trust Tower 10011 - 109 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 3S8

PHONE: (780) 421-1229 **FAX:** (780) 425-1005

EMAIL: edmonton@peacehills.com **WEBSITE:** www.peacehills.com

Peace Hills Trust is Canada's first and largest First Nation Financial Institute. They proudly offer a range of financial services relevant to the needs of their customers. Business hours: Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Pinnacle Business Services Ltd.

#302, 12308 - 111 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5M 2N4

PHONE: (780) 453-1992 **TOLL FREE:** 1-800-252-7963

FAX: (780) 454-5997

EMAIL: office@pinnaclebusiness.ab.ca

WEBSITE: www.office@pinnaclebusiness.ab.ca

Pinnacle Business Services Ltd. provides professional business advisory services to the Alberta Aboriginal business community. Primary services include opportunity assessment, business plan preparation and accounting set-up and training.

River Cree Resort and Casino

300 East Lapotac Boulevard Enoch, AB T7X 3Y3

PHONE: (780) 484-2121 **PHONE:** (780) 930-2700

EMAIL: info@rivercreeresort.com **WEBSITE:** www.rivercreeresort.com

River Cree Resort and Casino is Edmonton's luxury gambling, dining and events location. The development features the four star Edmonton Marriott Hotel; Casino, with 850+ slot machines, 38 table games, High-Limit Room, Horses Off Track, 24-Hour Poker Room; The Venue at River Cree, with new shows every week; Sage Steakhouse, Tap 25 Sports Lounge and The Kitchen Buffet Bistro.

Samson Management Limited

3rd Floor, Cree Tribal Administration (CTA) Building Samson Reserve PO Box 539 Hobbema, AB TOC 1NO

PHONE: (780) 585-2468

PHONE: (780) 428-9600 (Edmonton Direct)

FAX: (780) 585-2393

EMAIL: administration@smlcorp.com **WEBSITE:** www.smlcorp.com

Samson Management Ltd. is a Samson Cree Nation owned and operated corporation involved in divesified industries of real estate, pharmaceuticals, insurance, petroleum, automotives and fast food service.

Scotiabank – Aboriginal Banking Centre

10050 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 1V7

PHONE: (780) 448-7600 **FAX:** (780) 448-7799

WEBSITE: www.scotiabank.com

Scotiabank is dedicated to offering specialized financial services to Aboriginal communities throughout Canada. Working together, we can build and sustain mutually beneficial banking relationships based on respect and an appreciation for Aboriginal traditions.

Settlement Investment Corporation

Suite 104, 10335 - 172 Street Centurion Building, Edmonton, AB T5S 1K9

PHONE: (780) 488-5656 **TOLL FREE: 1**-800-661-9902

FAX: (780) 488-5811

WEBSITE: www.settlementinvestcorp.com

The Settlement Investment Corporation encourages and assists Métis entrepreneurs to start businesses or expand their existing business by providing loans, and business consulting. Loans may be used for business expansion, purchase of fixed assets, equipment or working capital. The corporation will not undertake personal loans, loans for household improvements, home mortgaging or any other non-business use.

Settlement Investment Corporation will assist in the preparation of business plans, assist in the identification of relevant business material and provide various workshops directed at increasing awareness about business management.

The Business Link - Aboriginal Business Development Services - ABDS

10160 - 103 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 0X6

TOLL FREE: 1-800-272-9675

FAX: (780) 422-0055

EMAIL: abds@canadabusiness.ab.ca

WEBSITE: www.canadabusiness.ab.ca/abds

Aboriginal Business Development Services is committed to supporting the growth of Aboriginal entrepreneurship across Alberta. The program assists entrepreneurs by providing information and resources from business startup and market research to financing options and growing your business. These resources are tailored to meet unique requirements of Aboriginal clients and are accessible by phone, fax, e-mail, the internet and walk-in sites.

Western Varieties Wholesale

10027 - 63 Avenue (Argyll Road) Edmonton, AB T6E 4Z2

PHONE: (780) 439-1211 **FAX:** (780) 439-2811

EMAIL: westvar@telusplanet.net **WEBSITE:** www.westernvarieties.com

Wingate Inn Edmonton West

18220 - 100 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5S 2V2

PHONE: (780) 443-1000

TOLL FREE: 1-866-671-7666 or 1-800-228-1000

FAX: (780) 443-0500

EMAIL: gsmgr@wingateinnedmonton.com **WEBSITE:** www.wingateinnedmonton.com

There's a hotel in the heart of Edmonton that has everything you want, and all for one convenient rate. It's a warm, contemporary hotel that is built for business, ideal for a romantic rendezvous or family fun, and it's a place where employees see to your every need. The newly renovated Wingate by Wyndham, located just minutes from many major attractions, such as West Edmonton Mall, and within reach of several key business centres, is your best hotel choice when visiting the City of Champions.





Aboriginal Relations Office (ARO)

Community Services, City of Edmonton 8th Floor, CN Tower 10004-104 Avenue NW P.O. Box 2359 Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: (780) 944-7602 **FAX:** (780) 944-8504

EMAIL: aboriginal relations@edmonton.ca **WEBSITE:** www.edmonton.ca/aro

The City of Edmonton's Aboriginal Relations Office (ARO) is a welcoming place where Aboriginal people and organizations can:

- Make contact with the City of Edmonton
- Be linked to the appropriate City department
- · Access information

The Aboriginal Relations Office works to:

- Build and support good relations between the City of Edmonton, Aboriginal people and organizations that serve Aboriginal people.
- Increase Aboriginal participation in the City of Edmonton workforce.
- Ensure City-mandated services address the needs of Aboriginal people.
- Coordinate City participation in Aboriginal communityled initiatives.
- Help the City of Edmonton fulfill the intentions of City Council's Aboriginal Declaration
- Provide leadership and support in the renewal of the Accord
- Provide support to the Edmonton Urban Aboriginal Affairs Committee

City of Edmonton

3rd Floor, City Hall 1 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: 311

PHONE: (780) 442-5311 (Outside Edmonton)

EMAIL: 311@edmonton.ca **WEBSITE**: www.edmonton.ca

Mayor Don Iveson

2nd Floor, City Hall 1 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: (780) 496-8100 **FAX**: (780) 496-8292

City Councillors

2nd Floor, City Hall 1 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: (780) 496-8110 **FAX**: (780) 496-8113

EMAIL: councillors@edmonton.ca

Andrew Knack - Ward 1 PHONE: (780) 496-8122

Bev Esslinger - Ward 2 PHONE: (780) 496-8136

Dave Loken - Ward 3 PHONE: (780) 496-8128

Ed Gibbons - Ward 4 PHONE: (780) 496-8138

Michael Oshry - Ward 5 PHONE: (780) 496-8120

Scott McKeen - Ward 6 PHONE: (780) 496-8140

Tony Caterina - Ward 7 PHONE: (780) 496-8333

Ben Henderson - Ward 8 PHONE: (780) 496-8146

Bryan Anderson - Ward 9 PHONE: (780) 496-8130

Michael Walters - Ward 10 PHONE: (780) 496-8132

Mike Nickel - Ward 11 PHONE: (780) 496-8142

Amarjeet Sohi - Ward 12 PHONE: (780) 496-8148

Citizen and New Arrival Information Centre

Main Floor, City Hall 1 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: 311

FAX: (780) 496-5618

EMAIL: city.hall@edmonton.ca

- · City services
- · Community services
- Education
- · Accommodation and housing
- · Health and social services
- · Attractions and festivals
- Parks programs
- · Recycling
- · Recreation and leisure services
- Immigration and settlement services
- Seniors services



Edmonton Aboriginal Urban Affairs Committee

8th Floor, CN Tower 10004 - 104 Avenue NW Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: (780) 496-4936 **FAX**: (780) 577-3525

EMAIL: EAUAC@edmonton.ca

WEBSITE: www.aboriginal-edmonton.com

The Edmonton Aboriginal Urban Affairs Committee acts as a catalyst to promote the awareness and development of all Aboriginal people in the City of Edmonton. The Committee works with individuals, groups, agencies, and levels of government who are also addressing the urban issues and concerns of Edmonton's Aboriginal community – and works to promote urban Aboriginal citizens, agencies, organizations, businesses, and Aboriginal civic involvement and participation.

Attractions: City Arts Centre

10943 - 84 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6G 0V5

PHONE: 311

Since 1973, the City Arts Centre has provided opportunities for all Edmontonians to participate in quality visual and performing arts, and craft and hobby programs at an introductory level. Centre staff offer programs for pre-schoolers, children, adults and seniors. They also provide arts programming at a variety of outreach locations – including Jasper Place Annex and Terwillegar Community Recreation Centre.

Attractions: City of Edmonton Archives

10440 - 108 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 3Z9

PHONE: (780) 496-8711 **FAX**: (780) 496-8732

EMAIL: CMS.Archives@edmonton.ca **WEBSITE**: www.edmonton.ca/archives

Attractions: City Hall

1 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: 311

FAX: (780) 496-5618

EMAIL: city.hall@edmonton.ca

WEBSITE: www.edmonton.ca/cityhall

Located in the heart of downtown, this Edmonton landmark is the home of our civic leadership and a gathering place for the community. Edmonton City Hall was designed by local architect Gene Dub and opened on August 28, 1992, on the site of the former City Hall. The design combines old with new, as located throughout the building are reclaimed pieces of the old City Hall.

There is always something happening at City Hall in every season. Edmontonians come here to enjoy events, festivals, and activities year round. City Hall is also the home of the Citizen and New Arrival Information Centre, the Employment Centre, the Sports Hall of Fame and Kids in the Hall Bistro.

Attractions: Fort Edmonton Park

Box 2359

Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: 311

PHONE: (780) 442-5311 (Outside Edmonton)

EMAIL: Attractions@edmonton.ca **WEBSITE**: www.fortedmontonpark.ca

Fort Edmonton Park is a living history park that traces the growth and development of Edmonton through four historical periods – The Fort, 1885 Street, 1905 Street and 1920 Street.

Attractions: Heritage Amphitheatre

c/o Fort Edmonton Park PO Box 2359 Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: (780) 423-5069

EMAIL: Amphitheatre@edmonton.ca

The Heritage Amphitheatre is an ideal venue for live, intimate and interactive performances and events in a beautiful park environment. Each year over 50,000 visitors experience the unique natural and cultural setting this facility offers.



Attractions: John Janzen Nature Centre

7000 - 143 Street Whitemud Drive & Fox Drive Shared parking lot with Fort Edmonton Park Edmonton, AB

PHONE: 311

PHONE: (780) 442-5311 (Outside Edmonton)

EMAIL: Attractions@edmonton.ca

Discover nature in the city! Nestled in the heart of the river valley, the John Janzen Nature Centre offers programs, events, exhibits and information to encourage awareness and understanding of nature in an urban setting.

Attractions: John Walter Museum

9180 Walterdale Hill Located at the bottom of Walterdale and Queen Elizabeth roads, on the north side of the Kinsmen Sport Centre Edmonton, AB

PHONE: 311

FAX: (780) 496-4701

EMAIL: Attractions@edmonton.ca

John Walter was one of Edmonton's foremost entrepreneurs and played a unique role in the development of the city. He established a ferry service, two lumber mills, a coal mine operation, a general store, a carriage service and numerous wood-related industries.

During January, John Walter Museum is not open to the general public, but is available for birthday parties and school programs and courses. Call (780) 496-2925 for information.

Attractions: Muttart Conservatory

9626 - 96A Street Edmonton, AB T6C 4L8

PHONE: 311

PHONE: (780) 442-5311 (Outside Edmonton) EMAIL: MuttartQuestions@edmonton.ca WEBSITE: www.muttartconservatory.ca

The Muttart Conservatory, Edmonton's premier horticultural attraction, is nestled in the river valley and features more than 700 species of plants in arid, temperate and tropical climates.

Attractions: Sir Winston Churchill Square

Civic Events Office 1 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: (780) 944-7740 **FAX**: (780) 944-0042

EMAIL: Civic.Events@edmonton.ca

Located in the heart of Edmonton's vibrant downtown, Churchill Square is a cultural centrepiece and anchor in the business and arts communities. Churchill Square is a dynamic outdoor programming space which plays host to a variety of events ranging from large gatherings (festivals) to small events year round.

Attractions: Valley Zoo

13315 Buena Vista Road (87 Avenue) PO Box 2359 Edmonton, AB T5J 2R7

PHONE: 311

PHONE: (780) 442-5311 (Outside Edmonton)

EMAIL: Attractions@edmonton.ca **WEBSITE**: www.valleyzoo.ca

The Valley Zoo is one of Edmonton's premier attractions, offering fun and education for the whole family. The Zoo has a strong conservation focus, which is evident in its exhibits and educational programs. Come to observe, to learn and to make friends as you experience first-hand the variety of wild creatures that call our planet home.



OUTDOOR POOLS

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: 311

PHONE: (780) 442-5311 (Outside Edmonton)

EMAIL: 311@edmonton.ca

Borden Park

11200 - 74 Street

Fred Broadstock

10515 - 158 Street

Mill Creek

9555 - 82 Avenue

Oliver

10315 - 119 Street

Queen Elizabeth

9100 Walterdale Hill



RECREATION CENTRES

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: 311

PHONE: (780) 442-5311 (Outside Edmonton)

EMAIL: 311@edmonton.ca

ACT Aquatic & Recreation Centre

2909 - 113 Avenue

Bonnie Doon Leisure Centre

8648 - 81 Street

Clareview Community Recreation Centre

3804 - 139 Avenue

Commonwealth Sport & Fitness Centre

11000 Stadium Road

Confederation Leisure Centre

11204 - 43 Avenue

Eastglen Leisure Centre

11410 - 68 Street

Grand Trunk Fitness & Leisure Centre

13025 - 112 Street

Hardisty Fitness & Leisure Centre

10535 - 65 Street

Jasper Place Fitness & Leisure Centre

9200 - 163 Street

Kinsmen Sports Centre

9100 Walterdale Hill

Londonderry Fitness & Leisure Centre

14528 - 66 Street

Millwoods Recreation Centre

7207 - 28 Avenue

O'Leary Leisure Centre

8804 - 132 Avenue

Peter Hemingway Fitness & Leisure Centre in Coronation Park

1308 - 111 Avenue

Scona Pool

10450 - 72 Avenue (shares a common entrance with Scona High School)

St. Francis Xavier Sports Centre

9240-163 Street

Terwillegar Community Rec Centre

2051 Leger Road





Aboriginal Multi-Media Society (AMMSA)

13245 - 146 Street Edmonton, AB T5L 4S8

PHONE: (780) 455-2700 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-661-5469 **FAX**: (780) 455-7639

EMAIL: market@ammsa.com **WEBSITE**: www.ammsa.com

AMMSA is the publisher of several monthly publications serving Aboriginal audiences: Alberta Sweetgrass and Windspeaker. The Society also owns and operates Alberta's only province-wide Aboriginal radio network, CFWE-FM. AMMSA works with clients and community groups to communicate with Alberta's urban and rural Aboriginal people and communities.

Aboriginal Peoples Television Network (APTN)

339 Portage Avenue Winnipeg, MB R3B 2C3

PHONE: (204) 947-9331 **TOLL FREE**: 1-888-330-2786

FAX: (204) 947-9307 TTYTDD: 1-866-371-7659 WEBSITE: www.aptn.ca

APTN is the first national Aboriginal television network in the world with programming by, for and about Aboriginal Peoples, to share with all Canadians as well as viewers around the world.

Communications

Aboriginal Voices Radio Network

P.O Box 87 Station E Toronto, ON M6H 4E1

PHONE: (416) 703-1287 **FAX**: (416) 703-4328

WEBSITE: www.aboriginalvoices.com

AVR is Canada's first and only national Aboriginal radio network, broadcasting Aboriginal talent from stations in Vancouver 106.3 FM, Calgary 88.1 FM, Edmonton 89.3 FM, Kitchener 102.5 FM, Toronto 106.5 FM, Ottawa 95.7 FM and Montreal 106.7 FM.

Alberta Sweetgrass

PHONE: (780) 455-2700 **FAX**: (780) 455-7639

WEBSITE: www.ammsa.com/publications/alberta-sweetgrass

Sweetgrass is a monthly publication showcasing Aboriginal people, places and events from across Alberta. Regular features include profiles of artists, entertainers, community leaders, elders and role models.



CFWE – The Native Perspective

13245 - 146 Street Edmonton, AB T5L 4S8

PHONE: (780) 447-2393 **FAX**: (780) 454-2820

Radio broadcast via satellite to 43 Alberta communities 24 hours each day. Provides the 24-hour national signal for a number of Aboriginal communications societies scattered throughout Canada. Provides Aboriginal language service in Cree and English.

Native Journal

Box 57096, 2020 Sherwood Drive Sherwood, AB T8A 5L7

PHONE: (780) 448-9693 TOLL FREE: 1-866-526-8688 FAX: (780) 448-9694 EMAIL: njeditor@shaw.ca

WEBSITE: www.nativejournal.ca

This Aboriginal owned newspaper publisher, also offers full offset printing services.



Communications

Windspeaker

The Aboriginal Multi-Media Society (AMMSA) 13245 - 146 Street Edmonton, AB T5L 4S8

PHONE: (780) 455-2700 **FAX**: (780) 455-7639

WEBSITE: www.ammsa.com/publications/windspeaker

Windspeaker is Canada's most widely distributed Aboriginal news publication and the most effective means of reaching Canada's Aboriginal people.



Alberta Native Friendship Centres Association (ANFCA)

10336 - 121 Street Edmonton, AB T5N 1K8

PHONE: (780) 423-3138 **FAX**: (780) 425-6277

EMAIL: info@albertafriendshipcentres.ca

WEBSITE: www.anfca.com

United with 20 Alberta-based Friendship Centres, we share a common vision and goal to support The Alberta Native Friendship Centres Association (ANFCA) is the Provincial/Territorial Association office of Friendship Centres in Alberta and was the The Alberta Native Friendship Centres Association.

ANFCA is a provincial, charitable organization that represents and provides support to 20 urban Aboriginal Friendship Centres in the province, and shares the common vision and goal to support and/or facilitate the delivery of exceptional services and programs that will positively impact the lives of urban Aboriginal people residing in Alberta.



Bent Arrow Traditional Healing Society -New in Town Aboriginal Welcome Service

11648 - 85 Street Edmonton, AB T5B 3E5

PHONE: (780) 474-1995 PHONE: (780) 474-2400 FAX: (780) 474-3030 EMAIL: baths@bentarrow.ca WEBSITE: www.bentarrow.ca

Aimed at Aboriginal individuals and families new to Edmonton, or living in Edmonton for a year or less, this service provides assistance in navigating, city systems and services and/or provide supported referrals to community agencies. They can also assist with relocation planning by providing information about city services prior to your move to Edmonton. The New in Town service is also available to individuals upon release from provincial corrections facilities.

Bissell Centre

10527 - 96 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2H6

PHONE: (780) 423-2285 **FAX**: (780) 429-7908

WEBSITE: www.bissellcentre.org

Bissell Centre is an Edmonton-based non-profit organization working towards the elimination of poverty and homelessness in our community. Bissell Centre's work is based on building relationships, hope and trust.

Bissell Thrift Shoppe and Sorting Centre

8818 - 118 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5B 0T4

PHONE: (780) 471-6644 **FAX**: (780) 471-6681

WEBSITE: www.bissellcentre.org

The Thrift Shoppe is a social enterprise of Bissell Centre providing low income families and individuals a venue for purchasing high-quality products at very affordable prices. It is also a great place for bargain hunters to visit. Products offered include men's, women's and children's clothing on a seasonal basis, footwear, housewares, books, and collectibles.

Bissell Thrift Shoppe houses the Sorting Centre, where staff sort and disperse all donations of gifts-in-kind. Donors contributing new and gently used goods are asked to take them to this location, though they do have a south side drop-off location at 5120 - 122 Street.

Boyle Street Community Services

10116 - 105 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0K2

PHONE: (780) 424-4106 **FAX**: (780) 425-2205

EMAIL: info@boylestreet.org **WEBSITE**: www.boylestreet.org

Boyle Street Community Services works to connect people living in poverty with the same things everyone needs: somewhere to live, someone to talk to and something to do. Programs include Street Outreach Services, Family Support, Mental Health Counselling, Housing Support Services, Adult Literacy, Addictions Support, Youth Services, Group Care, Needle Exchange, Volunteering Opportunities, Welcoming Services for Aboriginal People moving to Edmonton, Indian Residential School Health Support Program, Adult Housing, Aboriginal Cultural Programming, and a Drop-In Centre.

Butterfly Transitions and Healing Society (BTAHS)

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 716-7058

EMAIL: butterflytransitionsandhealingsociety@live.ca

This newly incorporated society is dedicated to holistic harm reduction and restorative practices. BTAHS is created by families, for families, and will support families in any way they need to be supported, focusing on the emotional and spiritual aspects of the family. BTAHS services include healing circles, transportation to other social resources, clothing/food exchanges, research, and individualized supports.

Canadian Native Friendship Centre

11728-95 Street Edmonton, AB T5G 1L9

New location by spring. Move is not on a definite date but we will move by this year. 11817-80 Street Edmonton, AB T5B 2N6

PHONE: (780) 761-1900 **FAX**: (780) 761-1900

EMAIL: reception@cnfcedmonton.com

WEBSITE: www.newcnfc.ca

Canadian Native Friendship Centre was organized to help aboriginal newcomers to the city with referral services, and social and recreational programs. It was, and remains, a gathering place for meetings, social events, and community gatherings.

CEASE: Centre to End All Sexual Exploitation

P.O. Box 11471 Edmonton, AB T5J 3K6

PHONE: (780) 471-6137 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-517-2233

FAX: (780) 471-6237

EMAIL: coordinator@ceasenow.org

CEASE is a caring community working through partnerships to create and pursue strategies to address sexual exploitation and the harms created by prostitution.

Creating Hope Society of Alberta

10863 - 96 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2K2

PHONE: (780) 477-7961 **FAX**: (780) 477-7918

EMAIL: info@creatinghopesociety.ca **WEBSITE**: www.creatinghopesociety.ca

Founded from 60s and 70s Scoop Aboriginals, the Society is working to stop the cycle of child welfare in our communities. Programming: Moccasins in Motion, which includes Métis dancing, powwow dancing, drumming classes; Youth Drop-in Night; Aboriginal Mothers Advocacy Project; Grandparents Empowering Grandparents; Junior High After School Program at Rosslyn Junior High; monthly community luncheon; Broken Hearts documentary and Knowing Your Rights workbook for Aboriginal parents dealing with child welfare; and Annual Blanket of Remembrance Round Dance.

Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues

7103 - 105 Street Edmonton, AB T6E 4G8

PHONE: (780) 437-2913 EMAIL: Info@efcl.org WEBSITE: www.efcl.org/

Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues acts on behalf of 154 community leagues throughout the City of Edmonton. Community leagues are open to everyone and provide a host of recreational programs and facilities including hall rentals, sporting programs for youth and adults, mom/tot playgroups, seniors activities and neighbourhood get-togethers and events.

Indigenous Sports Council of Alberta

P.O. Box 2429 Hobbema, AB TOC 1NO

PHONE: (780) 585-3340

88 Canada Olympic Road SW Calgary, AB T3B 5R5

PHONE: (403) 202-6539 **FAX**: (403) 202-6561

WEBSITE: www.aborginalsports.org

The Indigenous Sports Council of Alberta's mandate is the development of youth in sports, and adults in coaching and officiating. Programs offered include the Aboriginal Coaching Manual (ACM), Run, Jump Throw (children), National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP), and the North American Indigenous Games (NAIG). Summer 2013 will see the athlete/team playdowns to determine participation in NAIG 2014 in Regina.

Jasper Place Child and Family Resource Centre

Main Floor, Cabrini Centre 16811 - 88 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5R 5Y6

PHONE: (780) 489-2243 **FAX**: (780) 483-0249

WEBSITE: www.jasperplace-cfrc.com

Located on the West Side of Edmonton, on the main floor of the Cabrini Centre, we are located behind the main building of the Misericordia Hospital. At Jasper Place Child and Family Resource Society, we have been in operation since 1972. We have grown from a small child care centre to an organization that, in addition to comprehensive children's programs, offers a wide range of parent-related services. A guick glance at our Programs and Services: West Edmonton Parent link; Jasper Place Early Learning and Care; Jasper Place Family Support Services. We offer Parent Education, Early Childhood Development and Care, Family Support, Information and Referral, Childcare, Kindergarten, Inclusive Program, Respite Care, Family Outreach Program, Support for Immigrant and Refugee Families, and the TALKS Program (Teen parents Achieving Life-long Knowledge & Success).

In operation since 1972, the Centre has grown into an organization that, in addition to comprehensive children's programs offers a wide range of parent-related services such as West Edmonton Parent link, Jasper Place Early Learning and Care, and Jasper Place Family Support Services. The Centre offers Parent Education, Early Childhood Development and Care, Family Support, Information and Referral, Childcare, Kindergarten, Inclusive Program, Respite Care, Family Outreach Program, Support for Immigrant and Refugee Families, and the TALKS Program (Teen parents Achieving Life-long Knowledge & Success).

KARA Family Resouce Centre

Northeast Parent Link Centre 6717 - 132 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5C 2A4

PHONE: (780) 478-5396 FAX: (780) 478-1979 EMAIL: info@kara-frc.ca WEBSITE: www.kara-frc.ca

KARA Family Resource Centre is designated the Northeast Parent Link Centre for Edmonton and provides services and supports in the areas of Parent Education, Family Support, Early Childhood Services, Information & Referral, Toy Lending Library, Parent Resource Library, Childcare Provider Registry, and Developmental Screening. All KARA programs and services are free of charge.

Papaschase First Nation

3359 - 145 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5Y 2E9

PHONE: (780) 634-1225

WEBSITE: www.papaschase.com



Community Organizations

REACH Edmonton -Council for Safe Communities

Suite 901 Baker Centre 10025 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1G4

PHONE: (780) 498-1231 **FAX**: (780) 498-1266

EMAIL: info@reachedmonton.ca **WEBSITE**: www.reachedmonton.ca

REACH Edmonton is a community-based organization that's all about making Edmonton a safer place to live, work and play. REACH Edmonton is a centre of excellence, inspiring citizen engagement and coordinating the good work on community safety already being done by agencies and organizations.

Sacred Heart Church of the First Peoples

10821 - 96 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2J8

PHONE: (780) 422-3052 **FAX**: (780) 423-0176

EMAIL: shcfp@sacredpeoples.zzn.com **WEBSITE**: www.sacredpeoples.com

Designated as the official Parish for the Catholic First Nations Peoples of Edmonton and surrounding communities, Sacred Heart Church of the First Peoples offers a place where the people of the First Nations and Métis Nation can call their spiritual home and share their gifts with one another. Sweetgrass, sage, cedar, tobacco and fungus, as well as drums and the singing of songs that speak deeply to the congregation are used in the liturgies.

Community Organizations

Sports Central

The Brick Sport Central 11847 Wayne Gretzky Drive North Edmonton, AB T5B 1Y2

PHONE: (780) 477-1166 **FAX**: (780) 474-9982

EMAIL: thekid@sportcentral.org **WEBSITE**: www.sportcentral.org

Sports Central distributes all kinds of sport equipment to kids in need, and plays a key role in promoting safety in sport. While Edmonton and area is the first priority, other communities in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, BC, Quebec, the Territories and overseas receive help.

Two Spirit Circle of Edmonton Society

10717 - 107 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2Y9

PHONE: (780) 488-6647 EMAIL: edlavallee@shaw.ca

Socials, ceremonial support, individual and family support, Two Spirit awareness and educational workshops, seminars, training and conferences.



Community Development

Volunteer Edmonton

400, 10025 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1G4

PHONE: (780) 732-6649 **PHONE**: (780) 482-0198 **FAX**: (780) 488-1495

WEBSITE: www.VolunteerEdmonton.com

Volunteer Edmonton, a program of The Support Network, believes in building healthy communities by promoting volunteerism, advocating for good standards of practice for volunteer involvement, and facilitating collective action among organizations that support volunteerism.

Wicihitowin Circle of Shared Responsibility Society

405, 10408 - 124 Street Edmonton, AB T5N 1R5

PHONE: (780) 809-2192
TOLL FREE: 1-877-782-4609
EMAIL: info@Wicihitowin.ca
WEBSITE: www.wicihitowin.ca

The Wicihitowin Circle of Shared Responsibility and Stewardship is a community-driven governance model that advocates for the needs of Edmonton's Urban Aboriginal people. The Wicihitowin Circles include urban Aboriginal people, agencies and governments working together to address the needs identified by Edmonton's urban Aboriginal people and recommend solutions.

Community Development

YMCA of Edmonton

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 476-YMCA (9622) WEBSITE: www.edmonton.ymca.ca

YMCA Centres provide fitness, health, recreation, childcare, daycamps, education, employment and housing services to the community. Membership and Program Assistance is available for those in need. YMCA Enterprise Centre also offers education support, employment services, and volunteer opportunities.

Castle Downs Family YMCA

11510 - 153 Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5X 6A3 **FAX**: (780) 476-9725

Don Wheaton Family YMCA

10211 - 102 Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5J 0A5 **FAX**: (780) 428-9469

Jamie Platz Family YMCA

7121 - 178 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5T 5T9 **FAX**: (780) 487-4038

William Lutsky Family YMCA

1975 - 111 Street Edmonton, Alberta T6J 7C6 **FAX**: (780) 469-3367

Athabasca University Centre for World Indigenous Knowledge and Research

#1200, 10011 - 109 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 3S8

PHONE: (780) 428-2064

TOLL FREE: 1-800-788-9041 Ext. #2064

FAX: (780) 497-3416

EMAIL: indigenous@athabascau.ca

WEBSITE: www.athabascau.ca/indigenous

The centre exists to address and achieve the following goals:

- Meet the academic needs of Indigenous students, scholars, nations, communities, institutions and organizations
- Improve the development and delivery of Indigenous Education at Athabasca University
- Strengthen the research undertaken for, by and about First Nation, Metis and Inuit people at Athabasca University
- Acknowledge and develop the role of traditional knowledge in academic settings

Ben Calf Robe/St. Clare School

11833 - 64 Street Edmonton, AB T5W 4J2

PHONE: (780) 471-2360 **FAX**: (780) 471-3104

WEBSITE: www.bencalfrobe.ecsd.net

The School's mission is to provide a holistic, culturally relevant Catholic education that builds on the strengths and values of Aboriginal families, which will inspire our students to learn, work, to live fully and to serve God in one another. Students follow the mandated Program of Studies as outlined by the Government of Alberta. The distinguishing characteristic is in the duality of cultural framework offered to students to maximize their learning and self-awareness.

Boyle Street Education Centre

10312 - 105 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1E6

PHONE: (780) 428-1420 **FAX**: (780) 429-1428 **WEBSITE**: www.besc.ab.ca

Socially, economically and otherwise disadvantaged students deserve the opportunity for full and equal participation in the life of Alberta. The Boyle Street Education Centre's purpose is to promote the success of students who are high risk youth or who have been out of school, in their goals of education, including the acquisition of social and employability skills, so they may be responsible, caring and contributing members of society.

Concordia University College of Alberta

7128 Ada Boulevard Edmonton, AB T5B 4E4

PHONE: (780) 479-8481 **PHONE**: (780) 413-7808 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-479-5200 **FAX**: (780) 466-9394

EMAIL: admits.concordia@ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.concordia.ab.ca

Concordia University College of Alberta's offerings include undergraduate and graduate degree programs, as well as diploma and certificate programs in career development, and academic upgrading programs. Concordia's highly regarded Aboriginal University and College Entrance Program has provided quality upgrading for adult students for more than 25 years.

Edmonton Catholic School District - Catholic Education Services - Aboriginal Learning Services

9807 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C2

PHONE: (780) 441-6000 TOLL FREE: 1-888-441-6010 FAX: (780) 425-8759 EMAIL: info@ecsd.net

WEBSITE: www.ecsd.net/programs/aboriginal/aboriginal.html

Achieving a high standard of student success is a priority at the Aboriginal Learning Centre. A healthy body, mind, spirit and emotions of our First Nation, Métis and Inuit students are a district priority. Aboriginal Learning is a place where education is honoured and Aboriginal culture celebrated.

Edmonton Community Foundation

9910 - 103 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 2V7

PHONE: (780) 426-0015 **FAX**: (780) 425-0121

EMAIL: info@ecfoundation.org **WEBSITE**: www.ecfoundation.org

Recognizing that many students need financial help to achieve their post-secondary educational and training goals, Edmonton Community Foundation supports a variety of learning opportunities through its scholarship, bursary and award funds. These include the Belcourt Brosseau Métis Awards which assist Métis Albertans who are experiencing financial need. See the website for information on these and other awards.

Education

Edmonton Public Library

7 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2V4

PHONE: (780) 496-7000 **FAX**: (780) 496-1885 **WEBSITE**: www.epl.ca

From its 18 locations throughout the city, EPL creates year-round opportunities for sharing, learning and fellowship. People can look for information, have free access to the internet, and attend over 6,800 free programs. Dedicated Aboriginal collections – focused on materials written, performed and/or produced by Aboriginal people – are offered in most of the branches. EPL hosts several Aboriginal-focused programs and events including cultural programs and performances, Aboriginal book clubs, career planning workshops, health workshops and Aboriginal story times, to name just a few. Check out www.epl.ca/aboriginal for more info!



Edmonton Public Schools

Centre for Education One Kingsway Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 4G9

PHONE: (780) 429-8000 **WEBSITE**: www.epsb.ca

Edmonton Public School Board - First Nations, Metis, Inuit and Diversity Education

Our umbrella of work includes linking students to each other, to staff and to the greater Aboriginal community as we strive to ensure that each student completes high school. We support a wide variety of programming and school cluster projects and look for ways to include community partners. Our current emphasis is on creating welcoming, inclusive environments that possess culture integrity.

Staff in the unit are available to work with school staff on student engagement, building cultural knowledge, linking families to community supports and working with schools on infusing curriculum. We also collect wise practices that are working in our district in order to decrease any barriers to education

The mission of Edmonton Public Schools Aboriginal Education is to improve and enhance the educational experience of Aboriginal students, families and staff within Edmonton Public Schools. The guiding principles are:

- Having the Aboriginal perspective guide educational planning and program delivery;
- Understanding, accepting, validating, recognizing, and implementing the Aboriginal way of knowing, learning and doing;
- Drawing on the strengths of Aboriginal peoples.

Education

First Nations, Metis and Inuit (FNMI) Services, Alberta Education

9th Floor, 44 Capital Boulevard 10044 - 108 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 5E6

PHONE: (780) 415-9300 **FAX**: (780) 415-9306

EMAIL: FNMIServices@gov.ab.ca

WEBSITE: www.education.alberta.ca/FNMI

The First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Education unit strives to support and enhance the educational experience and achievement of First Nations, Métis, and Inuit students.

We do this by helping schools develop a holistic understanding of First Nations, Métis, and Inuit cultures, worldviews, histories, and current realities. We believe this approach fosters relationships that welcome, nurture, and honour individual student's stories and cultures and supports the weaving of culture and curriculum to enhance the learning for all students.

We collaborate with district staff, First Nations communities, Métis and Inuit organizations, and stakeholders to develop strategies, resources, programs and initiatives that support personal growth, high school completion, and career pathways to post-secondary studies or the world of work.

Freehorse Family Wellness Society (FFWS)

204, 11710 Kingsway Avenue Edmonton, AB T5G 0X5

PHONE: (780) 944-0172 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-411-9658 **FAX**: (780) 944-0176

EMAIL: general@freehorse.org **WEBSITE**: www.freehorse.org

Freehorse Family Wellness Society (FFWS) is a non-profit organization that administers a post-secondary funding program on behalf of Aboriginal and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC). This program is run in accordance with the Post Secondary Student Support Program (PSSSP) and University and College Entrance Preparation Program (UCEP) Policies and Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development (AAND).



Grant MacEwan University -Aboriginal Education Centre

Room 7-131 10700 - 104 Aveune Edmonton, AB T5J 4S2

PHONE: (780) 497-5382 (City Centre Campus) **TOLL FREE**: 1-888-497-4622 ext. 5382

FAX: (780) 497-5383

EMAIL: aboriginaleducationcentre@macewan.ca

WEBSITE: www.macewan.ca

The Aboriginal Education Centre offers a diverse range of services; such as, academic counselling, personal support services, and cultural programming. Cultural activities include an annual feast, Aboriginal Cultural Day, and an Elders-In-Residence program. Aboriginal Elders are invited throughout the year to share their knowledge and traditions through workshops and special sessions. The Centre is a unique community environment where students gather, study, and learn. All are welcome.

Indigenous Media Institute (IMI)

200, 10169 - 101 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 0T6

PHONE: (780) 701-7398 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-429-4878 **FAX**: (780) 429-4042

WEBSITE: www.aboriginalcircle.com/profile/?u=IMI

The Indigenous Media Institute (IMI) is a private post-secondary education institute offering an Indigenous-based learning environment and support that compliments its media training programs. Currently, IMI's *Digital Media Production diploma program is provided by GURU Digital Arts College. As well, IMI is currently developing programs in broadcasting, film making, journalism, art, and other creative technologies.

Michif Institute and Resource Centre

9 Mission Avenue St. Albert, AB T8N 1H5

PHONE: (780) 458-9176 **FAX**: (780) 459-5892

The aims and objectives of the Michif Insitute are: to continue to exist as an Aboriginal people in Canada; to foster and preserve the Mètis culture and identity through leadership and education; to develop a museum, artifacts and archival documents relevant to Mètis history in Alberta; to provide programs and facilitate workshops, and to establish a Mètis Resource Centre.

Native Networks Inc.

47 Narrows Park Alexis Nakota Sioux Nation PO Box 186 Glenevis, AB TOE 0X0

PHONE: 1-888-511-0688
EMAIL: info@nativenetworks.ca
WEBSITE: www.nativenetworks.ca

Educating, empowering and supporting the growth of Native communities of Canada. Native Networks specializes in creating Native wellness programs for Aboriginal communities/organizations. They also offer Aboriginal cross cultural development programs, event planning services, marketing and promotions to other organizations working within Aboriginal communities.

Nechi Training, Research & Health Promotions Institute

PO Box 2039 Stn Main 1 Poundmaker Road St. Albert, AB T8N 2G3

PHONE: (780) 459-1884 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-459-1884

FAX: (780) 458-1883 EMAIL: nechi@nechi.com WEBSITE: www.nechi.com

The Nechi Training, Research and Health Promotions Institute offers specialized training to addictions counsellors working in Aboriginal communities. Students experience a unique blending of academic curriculum and traditional Aboriginal culture. Nechi also incorporates traditional Aboriginal spirituality to enhance each students' learning experience. These shared spiritual and traditional values result in a solid foundation of Aboriginal awareness that enhances self-esteem, personal growth and greater respect for individuals, families and communities.



NorQuest College

10215 - 108 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1L6

PHONE: (780) 644-6000 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-534-7218

FAX: (780) 644-6013 (Office of the Registrar)

EMAIL: info@norquest.ca **WEBSITE**: www.norquest.ca

Eleven per cent of NorQuest College students are of Aboriginal ancestry. The college recognizes the diverse and unique needs of these students and has put programs and services in place to address those needs. NorQuest's Aboriginal programs are designed to incorporate aspects of Aboriginal culture into program curriculum. These Aboriginal-focused courses and programs include academic upgrading and preparatory programs, as well as certificate and diploma programs in health and community service careers.

Prince Charles Elementary School

12325 - 127 Street Edmonton, AB T5L 0Z9

PHONE: (780) 455-5533 **FAX**: (780) 453-1525 **EMAIL**: pcharles@epsb.ca

WEBSITE: http:princecharles.epsb.net

Prince Charles Elementary School is home to the Awasis program, which is named after the Cree word for child. The Awasis Program is designed to meet the needs of urban Aboriginal children and families. It follows the Alberta Learning curriculum and integrates Aboriginal content into all subject areas.

Education

Red Willow Training Society

P.O. Box 394 Enoch, AB T7X 3Y3

PHONE: (780) 953-8483 or (780) 772-0559 **EMAIL**: info@redwilowtraining.com

WEBSITE: redwillowtraining.com

Red Willow Training Society's mandate is to create and deliver one of a kind programs that focus on personal development by incorporating cultural teachings and values to all of our projects. Clients will gain the confidence and self awareness that encourage achievable goal setting and strategies for success. Bridging the gap between the core areas of self by promoting balanced personal wellness is paramount to overcoming struggles of the past, decision making for the present and goal setting for the future.

The Northern Alberta Institute of Technology

11762 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5G 2R1

PHONE: (780) 471-6248 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-333-6248

FAX: (780) 471-8490 EMAIL: AskNAIT@nait.ca WEBSITE: www.nait.ca

Canada's Aboriginal population is growing. By 2015, one in five young Albertans will be Aboriginal descent. NAIT is well-positioned to deliver career-related programs to Aboriginal communities and other remote sites. A new initiative called NAIT in Motion takes NAIT training on the road. Two mobile education units are equipped to support the delivery of trade-related programs such as electrical, pipe trades and welding.

University of Alberta - Alberta Network Environments for Aboriginal Health Research

#7-133J Education North Tower University of Alberta Edmonton, AB T6G 2G5

PHONE: (780) 492-1827 or (780) 792-6115

FAX: (780) 492-6115 EMAIL: acadre@ualberta.ca

WEBSITE: www.acadre.ualberta.ca

The Alberta ACADRE Network is a program where Aboriginal communities and educational institutions share knowledge, learn together, and build capacity at all levels of Aboriginal health research. All research initiatives endeavor to link expertise, encourage mutual respect, integrate Aboriginal ways of knowing, and strengthen the capacity of academic, government, and community institutions alike.



University of Alberta - Aboriginal Student Services Centre (ASSC)

#2, 400 Students' Union Building (SUB) 8900 - 114 Street, University of Alberta Edmonton, AB T6G 2J7

PHONE: (780) 492-5677 **FAX**: (780) 492-1674

EMAIL: assc.reception@ualberta.ca

WEBSITE: www.uofaweb.ualberta.ca/native

The Aboriginal Student Services Centre (ASSC) helps the University of Alberta provide an environment that encourages full access, participation and success for Aboriginal students. The vision statement recognizes our commitment to the Aboriginal community on campus and for providing services that reflect this responsibility – ASSC honours the Indigenous worldview of education as a continuous ceremony of learning by respecting and supporting the voices and spirit of our community at the University of Alberta.



University of Alberta - Aboriginal Teacher Education Program (ATEP)

845 Education South University of Alberta Edmonton, AB T6G 2G5

PHONE: (780) 492-3691 or (780) 492-3187

FAX: (780) 492-2461

WEBSITE: www.atep.ualberta.ca

The Aboriginal Teacher Education Program works towards developing a greater understanding of the Aboriginal culture, history and perspective on teaching and learning, primarily in schools where Aboriginal children are learning. ATEP's goal is to improve the educational success of Aboriginal children by increasing the number of Aboriginal teachers and teachers with an understanding of Aboriginal culture, history and perspectives in communities in northern Alberta.

University of Alberta - Faculty of Native Studies

2-31 Pembina Hall Edmonton, AB T6G 2H8

PHONE: (780) 492-2991 **FAX**: (780) 492-0527

EMAIL: nativestudies@ualberta.ca

WEBSITE: www.ualberta.ca/nativestudies

The Faculty of Native Studies provides a common ground for Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal students to study the historical experiences and the contemporary lives, identities, rights and goals of Indigenous peoples in Canada and internationally.

University of Alberta -Indigenous Health Initiatives Program

Division of Community Engagement & Social Responsiveness (CESR) Faculty of Medicine & Dentistry 2-68 Zeidler Ledcor Centre Edmonton, AB T6G 2X8

PHONE: (780) 492-9526 or (780) 492-8068

FAX: (780) 492-2696

The Mandate of the Indigenous Health Initiatives Program is to correct the under-representation of Aboriginal physicians in Canada by encouraging more Aboriginal students to consider careers in medicine and dentistry; to facilitate their admission into the MD Program and other programs in the Faculty; and to provide support services to enable students to graduate successfully.

University of Alberta -Indigenous Law Program

Room 128F Law Centre Faculty of Law University of Alberta Edmonton, AB T6G 2H5

PHONE: (780) 492-0046 **FAX**: (780) 492-8656

WEBSITE: www.law.ualberta.ca

The Indigenous Law Program assists interested and qualified Aboriginal students achieve their goals of obtaining a legal education. This program, funded by the Alberta Law Foundation, advises prospective students on admission procedures, admissions criteria, offers academic counseling for students enrolled in the LLB program, and provides career and employment counseling.

White Cloud Head Start

9550 - 152 Street Edmonton, AB T5P 0B9

PHONE: (780) 486-2543 **FAX**: (780) 489-5089

WEBSITE: www.bentarrow.ca

The purpose of the White Cloud Head Start is to provide Aboriginal pre-school children with a positive sense of themselves. The program offers children the opportunity to develop and learn skills that will empower them to be able to walk proudly in both the Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal worlds.

Yellowhead Tribal College (YTC)

#304, 17304 - 105 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5S 1G4

PHONE: (780) 484-0303 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-982-3382

FAX: (780) 481-7275

WEBSITE: www.ytced.ab.ca

Yellowhead Tribal College (YTC) is committed to helping students achieve success in learning and in life. We provide accredited programs in a flexible, supportive academic environment that nurtures our First Nations cultures and traditions. YTC is a proud community partner delivering upgrading programs as well as accredited post-secondary courses. certificates, diplomas, and degrees through recognized colleges and universities. YTC has also designed its own accredited programs which are grounded in First Nations culture and language.



Alberta Advanced Education and Technology

Seventh Street Plaza, South Tower, 7th Floor 10030 - 107 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 4X7

PHONE: (780) 427-5901 **FAX**: (780) 422-3734

WEBSITE: www.tradesecrets.gov.ab.ca/

Alberta Employment and Immigration - Edmonton Alberta Job Corps

11244 - 120 Street Edmonton, AB T5G 0W5

PHONE: (780) 422-4011 **FAX**: (780) 422-4425

EMAIL: ajc.edmonton@gov.ab.ca

Hours of Operation:

8:15 a.m. - Noon, 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday



Employment

Alberta Employment and Immigration -Edmonton City Centre Alberta Service Centre

10242 - 105 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 3L5

PHONE: (780) 427-9674 **TDD**: (780) 422-0790 **FAX**: (780) 422-0161

EMAIL: 105-street.is@gov.ab.ca

Hours of Operation: 8:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday

This office also provides career advising, career and employment counselling, workshops, work search assistance and student funding information.

Alberta Employment and Immigration - Edmonton North Alberta Service Centre

Unit #2050 Northgate Centre 9499 - 137 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5E 5R8

PHONE: (780) 422-9440 **TDD**: (780) 427-1544

FAX: (780) 422-3683 or (780) 422-6461 or (780) 422-7398

EMAIL: edmnorth.is@gov.ab.ca

Hours of Operation: 8:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday

This office has a full Labour Market Information Centre and also provides career advising, career and employment counselling, workshops, work search assistance and student funding information.

Alberta Employment and Immigration - Edmonton South Alberta Service Centre

Argyll Centre 6325 Gateway Boulevard Edmonton, AB T6H 5H6

PHONE: (780) 644-2888 **FAX**: (780) 644-1631 **LMIC**: (780) 644-2827 **TDD**: (780) 427-1569

EMAIL: edmsouth.is@gov.ab.ca

Hours of Operation: 8:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday

This office also provides career advising, career and employment counselling, workshops, work search assistance and student funding information).

Alberta Employment and Immigration -Edmonton West - Meadowlark Canada Alberta Service Centre

120 Meadowlark Shopping Centre 15710 - 87 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5R 5W9

PHONE: (780) 415-8116 **FAX**: (780) 422-0745

EMAIL: LMIC.WEST@gov.ab.ca

Hours of Operation: 8:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday

This office also provides career advising, career and employment counselling, workshops, work search assistance and student funding information.

Employment

Alberta Employment and Immigration - Edmonton West Alberta Service Centre

200 Westcor Building 12323 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB T5N 4A9

PHONE: (780) 415-6500 **TDD**: (780) 415-5874 (TDD) **FAX**: (780) 427-1492

EMAIL: edmwest.is@gov.ab.ca

Hours of Operation: 8:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday

This office also provides career advising, workshop referrals and work search assistance.

CAREERS: The Next Generation

Suite 200, 10787 - 180 Street Edmonton, AB T5S 1L3

PHONE: (780) 426-3414

TOLL FREE: 1-888-757-7172 or 1-800-757-7172

FAX: (780) 428-8164

EMAIL: careers@nextgen.org **WEBSITE**: www.nextgen.org

CAREERS: The Next Generation is a unique, industry-driven public-private partnership that connects learning time to earning time in new ways, unlocking the extraordinary potential in our young people. CAREERS is a catalyst bringing together educators, government, industry, communities, parents and students to meet the interdependent needs of youth employability and skilled labour shortages.

Edmonton Police Service - Recruiting Centre

10177 - 97 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 0L4

PHONE: (780) 421-2233 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-777-0815 **WEBSITE**: www.joineps.ca

However you look at it, a career with the Edmonton Police Service will challenge you to be your best while providing you and your family with financial security. If you are interested in a career which combines personal fulfillment with contributing to community welfare, the Edmonton Police Service may be the employer you are looking for.

EmployAbilities

402, 10909 Jasper Avenue

PHONE: (780) 423-4106 **FAX**: (780) 426-0029

EMAIL: employ@employabilities.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.employabilities.ab.ca

The one stop for job-hunters and employers. Whether you're looking for work or for workers, EmployAbilities Career and Employment Centre (ECEC) is the right place to start your search. Our goal is to connect people with disabilities with jobs they can excel at and grow in, and our full range of services prepares both workers and employers for successful and productive professional relationships. All of the resources and services for job-hunters and employers are offered at no cost.

Employment

Oteenow Employment and Training Society

Suite 300 14925 - 111 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5M 2PS

PHONE: (780) 444-0911 **FAX**: (780) 444-3477

WEBSITE: www.oteenow.com

Oteenow Employment & Training Society is the First Nation society responsible for employment and training services in the greater Edmonton area.

Public Service Commission of Canada

9700 Jasper Avenue, Room 830 Edmonton, AB T5J 4G3

PHONE: (780) 495-6134 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-645-5605 **TTY**: 1-800-532-9397 **FAX**: (780) 495-2098

EMAIL: Edmonton@psc-cfp.gc.ca **WEBSITE**: www.psc-cfp.gc.ca

The Public Service Commission (PSC) is dedicated to building a public service that strives for excellence. PSC recruits talented Canadians to the public service, drawn from across the country. PSC continually renews their recruitment services to meet the needs of a modern and innovative public service.

RCMP Recruiting

11140 - 109 Street Edmonton, AB T5G 2T4

PHONE: (780) 412-5488 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-726-7472

FAX: (780) 412-5328

WEBSITE: www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca

The RCMP is the federal police force of Canada and provides services at the federal, provincial and municipal level. The RCMP employs three categories of employees to handle the wide scope of its responsibilities: Regular Members (Police Officers), Civilian Members and Public Service Employees.

Rupertsland Institute

Métis Centre of Excellence 2300, 10123-99 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 3H1

PHONE: (780) 801-9977 **FAX**: (780) 801-9992

EMAIL: info@rupertsland.org **WEBSITE**: www.rupertsland.org

Rupertsland Institute (RLI), is an affiliate of the Metis Nation of Alberta (MNA), with locations across Alberta. Rupertsland Institute develops and delivers programming and services to the Alberta Metis population in relation to the labour market and education assistance. Our mission is to help Metis people achieve parity with the rest of the population in terms of education and ultimately as members of the workforce.

Employment

Spirit Staffing & Consulting Inc.

#132, 6325 Gateway Boulevard Edmonton, AB T6H 5H6

PHONE: (780) 430-8262 **FAX**: (780) 430-8285

EMAIL: edmonton@spiritstaffing.com **WEBSITE**: www.spiritstaffing.com

Leaders in workforce diversity solutions – This award-winning recruitment and training agency has a proven record of securing the "right fit" between employers and job seekers. Spirit Staffing's business success has been built upon their ability to finding individual talent for professional, administrative, or technical/trade careers in temporary, contract or direct-hire placements.

Trade Winds To Success Training Society

#311, 16120 - 118 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5V 1C6

FAX: (780) 471-9177 **PHONE**: (780) 471-9100

EMAIL: infoedm@tradewindstosuccess.ca **WEBSITE**: www.tradewindstosuccess.ca

Designed specifically to increase the number of Aboriginal people working the trades of boilermaker, carpenter, electrician, ironworker, millwright, plumber, steam/pipe fitter and welder. The trade streaming process allows students to make an informed career decisions, get academic upgrading, theory, shop and hand skill training and safety skills. The program is offered in Edmonton and Calgary, and is open to Métis, Inuit and First Nations people of Alberta.

Tribal Chiefs Employment and Training Services Association

Suite 200, 17628 - 103 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5S 1J9

FAX: (780) 488-1367 **PHONE**: (780) 481-8585 **WEBSITE**: www.tcetsa.ca

TCETC is an Aboriginal Skills, Employment and Training Strategy (ASETS) Holder funded by Human Resources and Skills Development Canada (HRSDC).

The agreement is designed to improve the employment opportunities of Aboriginal people and enable them to fully participate in the Canadian economy based on mutual trust, respect and openness. Tribal Chiefs Employment and Training is the administrative head office for the Human Resources Departments as well as the Daycare Centres in its member First Nation.

Women Building Futures Society

10326 - 107 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1K2

FAX: (780) 452-1279 **PHONE**: (780) 452-1200 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-452-1201

EMAIL: info@womenbuildingfutures.com **WEBSITE**: www.womenbuildingfutures.com

Women Building Futures is a registered, not-for-profit, charitable organization that works to help women build better lives and achieve economic independence through training, employment and mentorship. Graduates make excellent tradespeople and, through them, WBF is able to give companies new competencies and new work resources.

Employment

Your City: Your Opportunity City of Edmonton

Edmonton, AB

FAX: (780) 496-8063

PHONE: (780) 496-7872 or (780) 496-7831 WEBSITE: www.edmonton.ca/careers TALENT HUB: www.cityofedmontonjobs.ca

The City of Edmonton team is made up of skilled trades professionals, post-secondary graduates, students, and people with a unique combination of skills and experience. City of Edmonton employees take pride in their work and have passion and enthusiasm for providing quality service. Join us!

The City of Edmonton Talent Hub is designed to help you visualize yourself in your future career at the City of Edmonton. Use the Talent Hub to explore the variety of areas within the City of Edmonton and see where you can make an impact on an ever-changing and progressive city!



Alexander First Nation

P. O. Box 3419 Morinville, AB T8R 1S3

PHONE: (780) 939-5887 **FAX**: (780) 939-6166

WEBSITE: www.alexanderfn.com

Alexis Nakota Sioux Nation

P. O. Box 7 Glenevis, AB TOE 0X0

PHONE: (780) 967-2225 **FAX**: (780) 967-5484 **EMAIL**: info@ansn.ca

WEBSITE: www.alexisnakotasioux.com

Athabasca Chipewyan First Nation

P. O. Box 366 Fort Chipewyan, AB TOP 1B0

PHONE: (780) 697-3730
TOLL FREE: 1-888-420-7011
FAX: (780) 697-3500
EMAIL: admin@acfn.com
WEBSITE: www.acfn.com

Beaver First Nation

P. O. Box 2700 High Level, AB TOH 1Z0

PHONE: (780) 927-3544 **FAX**: (780) 927-4064

First Nations

Beaver Lake Cree Nation

P. O. Box 960 Lac Lac Biche, AB TOA 2CO

PHONE: (780) 623-4549 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-610-3110 **FAX**: (780) 623-4523

WEBSITE: www.beaverlakecreenation.ca

Bigstone Cree Nation

P. O. Box 960 Wabasca, AB TOG 2K0

PHONE: (780) 891-3836 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-268-6783 **FAX**: (780) 891-3942

WEBSITE: www.bigstone.ca

Blood Tribe

P. O. Box 60 Stand Off, AB TOL 1Y0

PHONE: (403) 737-3753 **FAX**: (403) 737-2336

WEBSITE: www.bloodtribe.org

Chipewyan Prairie First Nation

General Delivery Chard, AB TOP 1G0

PHONE: (780) 559-2259 **FAX**: (780) 559-2213

WEBSITE: www.chipewyan.com

Cold Lake First Nations

P.O. Box 1769 Cold Lake, AB T9M 1P4

PHONE: (780) 594-7183 **FAX**: (780) 594-3577 **WEBSITE**: www.clfns.com

Dene Tha' First Nation

P. O. Box 120 Chateh, AB TOH 0S0

PHONE: (780) 321-3775
TOLL FREE: 1-877-336-3842
FAX: (780) 321-3886
EMAIL: info@denetha.ca
WEBSITE: www.denetha.ca/

Driftpile First Nation

Box 30 Driftpile, AB TOG 0V0

PHONE: (780) 355-3868 **FAX**: (780) 355-3650

WEBSITE: www.driftpilecreenation.com

Duncan's First Nation

P. O. Box 148 Brownvale, AB TOH OLO

PHONE: (780) 597-3777 **FAX**: (780) 597-3920

EMAIL: duncans1@duncansfn.ca **WEBSITE**: www.duncansfn.ca/

First Nations

Enoch Cree Nation

P.O. Box 29 Enoch, AB T7X 3Y3

PHONE: (780) 470-4505 **FAX**: (780) 470-3380

EMAIL: admin@enochecdev.ca **WEBSITE**: www.enochecdev.ca

Ermineskin Tribe

P. O. Box 219 Hobbema, AB TOC 1NO

PHONE: (780) 585-3741 **FAX**: (780) 585-2550

EMAIL: info@creegallery.com **WEBSITE**: www.creegallery.com

Fort McKay First Nation

P. O. Box 5360 Fort McMurray, AB T9H 3G4

PHONE: (780) 828-4220 **FAX**: (780) 828-4680

WEBSITE: www.fortmckay.com

Fort McMurray #468 First Nation

P. O. Box 6130

Fort McMurray, AB T9H 4W1

PHONE: (780) 334-2293 **FAX**: (780) 334-2457

WEBSITE: www.atc97.org/first-nations/fort-mcmurray-no-468-first-nation

Frog Lake First Nation

General Delivery Frog Lake, AB TOA 1M0

PHONE: (780) 943-3737 **FAX**: (780) 943-3966 **WEBSITE**: www.froglake.ca

Heart Lake First Nation

P. O. Box 447 Lac La Biche, AB TOA 2CO

PHONE: (780) 623-2130 **FAX**: (780) 623-3505

Horse Lake First Nation

P. O. Box 303 Hythe, AB TOH 2C0

PHONE: (780) 356-2248 **FAX**: (780) 356-3666

WEBSITE: www.horselakefirstnation.com

Kapawe'no First Nation

Box 10 Grouard, AB TOG 1C0

PHONE: (780) 751-3800 **FAX**: (780) 751-3864

WEBSITE: www.kapaweno.ca

First Nations

Kehewin Cree Nation

Box 220 Kehewin, AB TOA 1CO

PHONE: (780) 826-3333 **FAX**: (780) 826-2355

WEBSITE: www.kehewincreenation.ca/

Little Red River Cree Nation

P. O. Box 30 John D'Or Prairie, AB TOH 3X0

PHONE: (780) 759-3912 **FAX**: (780) 759-3780

EMAIL: administration@lrrcn.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.lrrcn.ab.ca

Loon River First Nation

P. O. Box 189 Red Earth Creek, AB TOG 1X0

PHONE: (780) 649-3883 **FAX**: (780) 649-3873

EMAIL: reception@loonriver.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.loonriver.net

Louis Bull Tribe

P. O. Box 130 Hobbema, AB TOC 1NO

PHONE: (780) 585-3978 **FAX**: (780) 585-3799

EMAIL: contactus@louisbulltribe.ca **WEBSITE**: www.louisbulltribe.ca

Lubicon Lake Nation

P. O. Box 6731

Peace River, AB T8S 1S5

PHONE: (780) 629-3945 **FAX**: (780) 629-3939

EMAIL: lubiconlakenation@telus.net **WEBSITE**: www.lubiconlakenation.com/

Mikisew Cree First Nation

Allison Bay Indian Reserve #219

P. O. Box 90

Fort Chipewyan, AB TOP 1B0

PHONE: (780) 697-3740 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-668-1634

FAX: (780) 697-3826

WEBSITE: www.mikisew.org

Montana First Nation

P. O. Box 70

Hobbema, AB TOC 1NO

PHONE: (780) 585-3744

PHONE: (780) 429-4065 (Edmonton Direct)

TOLL FREE: 1-866-585-3744

FAX: (780) 585-3264

WEBSITE: www.montanafirstnation.com

First Nations

O'Chiese First Nation

P. O. Box 1570 Rocky Mountain House, AB T4T 1B2

PHONE: (403) 989-3943 **TOLL FREE**: 1-888-256-3884

FAX: (403) 989-3795 **WEBSITE**: www.ochiese.ca

Paul First Nation

P. O. Box 89 Duffield, AB TOE ONO

PHONE: (780) 892-2691 **FAX**: (780) 892-3402

WEBSITE: www.paulfirstnation.com

Peerless Trout #478 First Nation

P.O. Box 1128 Slave Lake, AB TOG 2A0

PHONE: (780) 869-2331 **FAX**: (780) 869-2849

Piikani Nation

P. O. Box 70 Brocket, AB TOK 0H0

PHONE: (403) 965-3940 **FAX**: (403) 965-2214

WEBSITE: www.piikanination.com

Saddle Lake First Nation

P. O. Box 100 Saddle Lake, AB TOA 3TO

PHONE: (780) 726-3829 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-396-2167 **FAX**: (780) 726-3788

WEBSITE: www.saddlelake.ca

Samson Cree Nation

P. O. Box 159 Hobbema, AB TOC 1NO

PHONE: (780) 421-4926 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-661-2579 **FAX**: (780) 585-2700

WEBSITE: www.samsoncree.com

Sawridge First Nations

P. O. Box 326 Slave Lake, AB TOG 2A0

PHONE: (780) 849-4311 **FAX**: (780) 849-3446

Siksika Nation

P. O. Box 1100 Siksika, AB TOJ 3W0

PHONE: (403) 264-7250 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-551-5724 **FAX**: (403) 734-5110

WEBSITE: www.siksikanation.com

First Nations

Smith's Landing

P.O. Box 1470 Fort Smith, AB X0E 0P0

PHONE: (867) 872-4950 **FAX**: (867) 872-5154

EMAIL: slfn_ea@smithlanding.com **WEBSITE**: www.smithslanding.com

Stoney Nakoda Nation

P. O. Box 40 Morley, AB TOL 1NO

PHONE: (403) 881-3770 **FAX**: (403) 881-2187

WEBSITE: www.stoneynation.com

Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation

P. O. Box 757 Valleyview, AB TOH 3N0

PHONE: (780) 524-3307 **FAX**: (780) 524-2711

Sucker Creek First Nation

P. O. Box 65 Enilda, AB TOG OWO

PHONE: (780) 523-4426 **FAX**: (780) 523-3111 **WEBSITE**: www.scfn.ca

Sunchild First Nation

P. O. Box 747 Rocky Mountain House, AB T4T 1A5

PHONE: (403) 989-3740 **FAX**: (403) 989-2533

Swan River First Nation

P. O. Box 270 Kinuso, AB TOG 1K0

PHONE: (780) 775-3536 **FAX**: (780) 775-3796

Tallcree First Nation

P. O. Box 100 Fort Vermillion, AB TOH 1NO

PHONE: (780) 927-3727 **FAX**: (780) 927-4375

Tsuu T'ina Nation

Suite 200, 9911 Chiila Boulevard Tsuu T'ina, AB T2W 6H6

PHONE: (403) 281-4455 FAX: (403) 251-6061 WEBSITE: www.tsuutina.ca

First Nations

Whitefish Lake First Nation

General Delivery Atikameg, AB TOG OCO

PHONE: (780) 767-3914 **FAX**: (780) 767-3922 **WEBSITE**: www.wfl128.ca

Woodland Cree First Nation

General Delivery Cadotte Lake, AB TOH ONO

PHONE: (780) 629-3803 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-465-8029 **FAX**: (780) 629-3898



Amisk Housing Association

16678 - 114 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5M 3R8

PHONE: (780) 452-6651 **FAX**: (780) 452-1040

The Association provides low income housing ranging from one- to five-bedroom dwellings for Aboriginal families with the intent is to provide long-term housing, creating a stable environment. The Association has also purchased supportive housing units for large Aboriginal families. Support services include regular visits and supports by AMISK, as well as links to other community services (drug and alcohol treatment, education or physical or mental abuse counselling), and visits from referring case workers if required.

Boyle Street Community Services

10116 - 105 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0K2

PHONE: (780) 424-4106 **FAX**: (780) 425-2205

EMAIL: info@boylestreet.org **WEBSITE**: www.boylestreet.org

Boyle Street Community Services works to connect people living in poverty with the same things everyone needs: somewhere to live, someone to talk to and something to do. Programs include Street Outreach Services, Family Support, Mental Health Counselling, Housing Support Services, Adult Literacy, Addictions Support, Youth Services, Group Care, Needle Exchange, Volunteering Opportunities, Welcoming Services for Aboriginal People moving to Edmonton, Indian Residential School Health Support Program, Adult Housing, Aboriginal Cultural Programming, and a Drop-In Centre.

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)

Suite 210, 10405 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 3N4

PHONE: (780) 423-8700 **PHONE**: (780) 423-8759 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-499-7245

FAX: (780) 423-8702 **WEBSITE**: www.cmhc.ca

CMHC offers programs, innovative financing techniques, training tools and information to increase building capacity and address housing needs in First Nations communities. CMHC offers lenders innovative loan insurance options to help First Nation members on-reserve buy, build or renovate homes. CMHC also offers programs, financing techniques and information to meet the housing needs of First Nations, Métis and Inuit people living off-reserve.



Capital Region Housing Corporation (CRHC)

10232 - 112 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1M4

PHONE: (780) 420-6161

PHONE: (780) 428-8200 (24 hr recording)

FAX: (780) 426-6854 **WEBSITE**: www.crhc.ab.ca

CRHC is the largest provider of social and affordable housing in the Edmonton area, managing over 4,500 social housing rental units and over 400 affordable housing rental units. CRHC offers both townhouses and apartments throughout the city. For people who have a decent place to live, but who may need help with their rent, CRHC offers many rent subsidy programs in Edmonton and surrounding areas. The HOME Program helps low income families with information and the help they need to buy their first home.

E4C

9321 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 3T7

PHONE: (780) 424-7543 **FAX**: (780) 425-5911

EMAIL: info@e4calberta.org **WEBSITE**: www.e4calberta.org

E4C is a charitable human services organization providing a diverse range of services in Edmonton and area. Programs and services include housing, school lunch, tax preparation assistance, emergency accommodation, assistance with job training and accessing education, early learning and many other diverse programs. All E4C programs are aimed at changing lives and growing community.

Housing

Edmonton John Howard Society

Suite 401, 10010 - 105 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1C4

PHONE: (780) 428-7590 **FAX**: (780) 425-1699

EMAIL: mail@johnhoward.org **WEBSITE**: www.johnhoward.org

Edmonton John Howard Society is a community-based crime prevention agency that offers residential programs, re-integration programs for ex-offenders, school-based primary prevention programs, victims' support services, educational services and the operation of the Family Violence Prevention Centre.

Edmonton People in Need Shelter

9536 - 103 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0G9

PHONE: (780) 424-6733 **FAX**: (780) 426-3002

The Shelter provides meals, accommodation and support services for people with chronic and severe mental illness. Volunteer opportunities available.

Habitat for Humanity Edmonton

8210 Yellowhead Trail Edmonton, AB T5B 1G5

PHONE: (780) 479-3566 **FAX**: (780) 479-0762

EMAIL: habitat@edmonton.hfh.org

WEBSITE: www.hfh.org

Habitat for Humanity Edmonton (HFHE) is a non-profit organization working towards a world where everyone has a safe and decent place to live. With the help of over 3,500 volunteers, the organization has provided a growing number of families with safe, decent and affordable housing across northern Alberta.

Homeward Trust Edmonton

6th Floor, 10242 - 105 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 3L5

PHONE: (780) 496-2630 **FAX**: (780 496 2634

EMAIL: reception@homewardtrust.ca **WEBSITE**: www.homewardtrust.ca

Homeward trust is a community-based, comprehensive housing organization that provides leadership and resources towards ending homelessness in Edmonton. They fulfill their mandate by leading initiatives and programs, engaging community stakeholders and partners, conducting research, creating awareness and funding housing and support projects.

Métis Urban/Capital Housing Corporation

11923 - 121A Street Edmonton, AB T5L 0A2

PHONE: (780) 452-6440 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-458-8684

FAX: (780) 452-1049 **WEBSITE**: www.muhcab.ca

Métis Urban Housing provides housing to low income Aboriginal families. Métis Capital Housing provides housing to moderate plus income Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal families.

Native Counselling Services of Alberta

10975 – 124 Street Edmonton, AB T5M 0H9

PHONE: (780) 451-4002 **FAX**: (780) 428-0187 **WEBSITE**: www.ncsa.ca

The 52-bed transitional housing unit allows families and individuals to receive services and be housed in the project for up to three years. NCSA offers culturally sensitive programs to the youth-at-risk, between the ages of 18 and 30, client groups depending on the clients' immediate and long-term needs. The programs focus on homeless prevention through urban living skills and employment readiness programs to assist individuals to work towards independence and self-sufficiency.

Native Seniors' Centre

Cottage E, 10107 - 134 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5E 1J2

PHONE: (780) 476-6595 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-476-6595 **FAX**: (780) 475-7957

WEBSITE: www.nativeseniorscentre.ca

The Centre's Urban Native Housing Registry was designed to assist people on their search for decent affordable accommodations. Searches include anything from an apartment, house, duplex and condo to a lodge, nursing home, and wheelchair accessible housing. The housing registrar compiles a complete up-to-date list of available housing in the Edmonton area.

Nihgi Métis Seniors Lodge

11935 - 65 Street Edmonton, AB T5W 4L5

PHONE: (780) 471-2443 **FAX**: (780) 474-2441 **WEBSITE**: www.muhcab.ca



Northern Alberta Cooperative Housing Association (NACHA)

#102, 12120 - 106 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5N 0Z2

PHONE: (780) 482-6128 FAX: (780) 421-8454 EMAIL: nacha@nacha.ca WEBSITE: www.nacha.ca

NACHA is a federation of housing cooperatives, providing a variety of services to its membership and to the public. Though NACHA does not place individuals or families in any cooperative housing project, they do offer advice and public infomation sessions that can assist families in becoming a members of a housing cooperative project.

Our House Addiction Recovery Centre

22210 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB T5S 2C3

PHONE: (780) 474-8945 **FAX**: (780) 479-2271

EMAIL: house@ourhouseedmonton.com **WEBSITE**: www.ourhouseedmonton.com

Our House is a 70-bed residential facility for adult men addicted to alcohol or drugs including gambling. In addition to providing basic human needs and a safe environment free from drugs and alcohol, this treatment facility offers extensive programming, and Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous and Gamblers Anonymous meetings are held weekly. Programs are designed to deal with the physical, spiritual and social self.

Alberta Human Rights Commission

800 Standard Life Centre 10405 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 4R7

PHONE: (780) 427-7661 (Confidential)

TOLL FREE: 310-0000 **FAX**: (780) 427-6013

EMAIL: humanrights@gov.ab.ca

WEBSITE: www.albertahumanrights.ab.ca

The Alberta Human Rights Act ensures that all Albertans are offered an equal opportunity to earn a living, find a place to live, and enjoy services customarily available to the public without discrimination. The Alberta Human Rights Commission is an independent commission created by the Government of Alberta and carries out functions under the act. The Commission has a two-fold mandate: to foster equality and to reduce discrimination. It fulfills this mandate through public education and community initiatives, through the resolution and settlement of complaints of discrimination, and through human rights tribunal and court hearings.



Alberta Justice and Attorney General

Law Information Centre Alberta Law Library Law Courts Building 2nd Floor South, 1A Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J OR2

PHONE: (780) 644-8217

WEBSITE: www.justice.gov.ab.ca

Provides information about general court procedures to the public, with a focus on individuals considering self-representation. Individuals can learn how to locate and fill out court forms, about legal advice options, alternatives to court and get other legal information. Also refers to agencies which provide legal advice, support and information. Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., Mon-Fri



Alberta Solicitor General and Public Security

ADULT OFFENDER OFFICES

Edmonton Court Intake 3rd Floor, 10130 - 103 Street

PHONE (780) 427-4712

Edmonton East

201, 12781 - 50 Street **PHONE** (780) 427-4772

Edmonton South

500, 11044 - 82 Avenue **PHONE** (780) 427-3377

Edmonton West

105, 17420 Stony Plain Road **PHONE** (780) 427-4686

Edmonton Attendance Centre

10931 - 120 Street **PHONE** (780) 422-0359

YOUNG OFFENDER OFFICES

Edmonton North

Northgate Centre 2088, 9499 - 137 Avenue **PHONE** (780) 427-3371

Edmonton South

500, 11044 - 82 Avenue **PHONE** (780) 427-3380

Edmonton Attendance Centre (Youth)

10931 - 120 Street **PHONE** (780) 422-1101

Correction Service of Canada - Edmonton Parole Rural Office

2nd Floor, 9530 -101 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0B3

PHONE: (780) 495-4900 **FAX**: (780) 495-4975

WEBSITE: www.csc-scc.gc.ca

The Correctional Service of Canada (CSC) is the federal government agency responsible for administering sentences of a term of two years or more, as imposed by the court. CSC is responsible for managing institutions of various security levels and supervising offenders under conditional release in the community.

Edmonton Community Legal Centre

10056 - 101A Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 0C8

PHONE: (780) 702-1725 FAX: (780) 702-1726 EMAIL: intake@eclc.ca WEBSITE: www.eclc.ca

The Edmonton Community Legal Centre (ECLC) provides free legal services to low-income individuals in the areas of civil and administrative law. Some of the issues they may be able to help with include: landlord-tenant disputes, human rights concerns, employment law and income support appeals. They do not provide services in the areas of family or criminal law. Call to see if you qualify for these services and to book an appointment. The ECLC also holds legal information sessions, in partnership with the Edmonton Public Library, on a regular basis at various library branches throughout the city.

John Howard Society of Alberta

2nd Floor, 10523 - 100 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J OA8

PHONE: (780) 423-4878 **FAX**: (780) 425-0008

EMAIL: info@johnhoward.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.johnhoward.ab.ca

The John Howard Society of Alberta is a non-profit agency concerned with the problem of crime and its prevention. The organization takes its name and spirit from the 18th century humanitarian John Howard, whose name has become a symbol of humane consideration for prisoners. It was incorporated in 1949, and today the organization consists of six separately incorporated districts along with the Provincial Office.



Justice

Native Counselling Services of Alberta

Head Office 10975 - 124 Street Edmonton, AB T5M 0H9

PHONE: (780) 451-4002 **FAX**: (780) 428-0187 **WEBSITE**: www.ncsa.ca

NCSA was established in 1970 with the objective of providing assistance in courts to Aboriginal people in conflict with the law. Agency leaders recognized that Aboriginal people often feel alienated and confused by legal and court procedures, and require support in navigating the judicial system. In response to these unique needs of Aboriginal people, NCSA established its flagship Courtworker Program. NCSA has since grown into a dynamic, multifaceted agency committed to providing healing and harmony to the Aboriginal community through a variety of avenues. Programs that prevent youth recruitment into street gangs, family and community wellness programming to legal education, national health campaigns, video production and community-based research, while establishing a province-wide presence through an extensive network of regional and branch offices. Over the past four decades, our organization has helped to shape restorative and social justice models and practices, and have provided programs and services designed and delivered by Aboriginal people for Aboriginal people. For a more comprehensive overview of all services provided, please visit our website.

Student Legal Services of Edmonton

11011 - 88 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6G 0Z3

Corona Criminal Law (Downtown Office) 203, 9924 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C7

PHONE: (780) 492-2226

FAX: (780) 492-7574

EMAIL: slsoed@ualberta.ca

WEBSITE: www.slsedmonton.com

Student Legal Services of Edmonton (SLS) is a student-managed, non-profit society dedicated to helping low-income individuals in Edmonton and area understand their legal issues and solve their legal problems. They can assist with Provincial Court civil matters, summary conviction criminal offences, uncontested divorces and lectures and mock trials to junior and senior high schools.



WindSpirit Aboriginal Network & Training (WANT)

Edmonton, AB

EMAIL: windspirit@live.ca

WindSpirit Aboriginal Network & Training is a reliable network of Aboriginal professionals who provide cultural and spiritual services within correctional facilities, non-profit organizations, government and communities. WANT provides:

- Cultural sensitivity training relevant to the workplace for professionals who provide services to Aboriginal people.
- Professional competence training for Aboriginal people working in corrections, including Elders.
- Cultural approaches to wellness information seminars covering the following topics – intergenerational trauma, ripple effects of trauma, healing from sexual abuse, grooming stages of a pedophile, techniques to recruit new gang members, a day in prison, and establishing healthy boundaries.
- Opportunites for Student placement and volunteering at the Edmonton Remand Centre.



Catholic Social Services - Alpha House

8815 - 99 Street Edmonton, AB T6E 3V3

PHONE: (780) 473-5957

WEBSITE: www.catholicsocialservices.ab.ca

Provides accommodation, counselling, and support services to men over the age of 18 with substance abuse issues. Clients must be willing to attend 12-step self-help groups.

City of Edmonton - Men's Support Services

Community Services Assessment & Short-Term Counselling Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 496-4777 **PHONE**: (780) 496-5858

EMAIL: mensgroups@edmonton.ca

WEBSITE: www.edmonton.ca/mensgroups

The City provides counselling, drop-in and structured support groups. These resources are intended to help people deal with relationships, parenting challenges, abuse or violence in the family. Referral services for other resources in and around the city are also possible as well as public education presentations. Services are free to all Edmontonians.

Edmonton PCA Support Group (Prostate Cancer Canada)

1200, 8215 - 112 Street Edmonton, AB T6G 2C8

PHONE: (780) 455-7181 **FAX**: (780) 455-0277

WEBSITE: www.prostatecancer.ca/

Peer support group for men with prostate cancer, their families and friends. Meetings are held every second Tuesday of each month starting at 7:30 p.m. at the Cross Cancer Institute, Room 2279.



Hope Mission

9908 - 106 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0N6

PHONE: (780) 422-2018 **FAX**: (780) 426-7507

EMAIL: reception@hopemission.com **WEBSITE**: www.hopemission.com

EMERGENCY SHELTERS:

Herb Jamieson Single Men's Hostel

New registrations at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. daily

Emergency Shelter

Intake 8:30 p.m. - midnight; clearout at 6:30 a.m.

Intox Shelter

Intake 8:30 p.m. - 2 a.m.; clearout at 6:30 a.m.

Youth Shelter (age 16-24)

Intake 9:30 p.m. - 2 a.m.; clearout at 8 a.m.

Breakout Recovery Community (Men)

1 year, live-in recovery program; intakes daily at Herb Jamieson

Wellspring Recovery Program (Women)

1 year, live-in recovery program; inquire at Main Building reception (9908 - 106 Avenue)

Community Meals

Mon-Fri. Breakfast 8 a.m., Lunch Noon, Supper 5 p.m.; Sat-Sun. Brunch 11 a.m., Supper 4:30 p.m.

Recovery Acres Edmonton

6329 - 118 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5W 1G2

PHONE: (780) 471-2996 **PHONE**: (780) 471-2969 **FAX**: (780) 477-1578

EMAIL: info@recoveryacresedmonton.org **WEBSITE**: www.recoveryacresedmonton.org/

Recovery Acres Edmonton is a 34-bed residential treatment centre for men desiring recovery from alcohol and drug addiction. Recovery is a process which may begin in a detoxification centre, a hospital, or a treatment centre. An individual in early stages of recovery needs additional time in a therapeutic environment, surrounded by those who understand the nature of the illness, and others who are in recovery.

Stan Daniels Healing Centre -Native Counseling Services of Alberta

9516 - 101A Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 0B3

PHONE: (780) 495-3748 **FAX**: (780) 495-2257

EMAIL: standaniels@csc-scc.gc.ca

WEBSITE: www.ncsa.ca

The Stan Daniels Healing Centre is a 72-bed facility that has both a Community Correctional Centre and a Section 81 designation. Residents at the Centre are either conditionally released offenders (day parole or full parole/statutory release with residency) or residents with inmate status. The Centre offers a variety of personal development programs that address issues of grief and loss, and relationships and violence.

Terra Centre - Services for Young Dads

9930 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C7

PHONE: (780) 428-3772 EMAIL: terra@terracentre.ca WEBSITE: www.terracentre.ca/

Terra offers short-term and long-term services in a safe, non-judgmental environment to help young dads (must enter the program by the age of 24) develop effective parenting skills. Individual and group services are flexible and based on the individual needs of the young dad.

The Family Centre

#20, 9912 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C5

PHONE: (780) 423-2831 **FAX**: (780) 426-4918

EMAIL: tfc@the-family-centre.com **WEBSITE**: www.the-family-centre.com

Therapy and counselling services are provided for individuals, couples and groups.

Home support services for families include: infant and child care, before and after school care, homemaking and light housekeeping, meal preparation, assistance with errands, and accompaniment to appointments.

Services for seniors include: companionship and emotional support, assistance with errands and shopping, help attending appointments, light housekeeping and meal preparation.

A number of workshops are also offered for families, parents, couples and individuals.



Metis Settlements

Buffalo Lake

P.O. Box 16 Caslan, AB TOA ORO

PHONE: (780) 689-2170 **FAX**: (780) 689-2024

WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca/Communities/ Buffalo+Lake+Metis+Settlement/default.ksi

East Prairie

P.O. Box 1289 High Prairie, AB TOG 1E0

PHONE: (780) 523-2594 **FAX**: (780) 523-2777

WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca/Communities/ East+Prairie+Metis+Settlement/default.ksi

Elizabeth

P.O. Box 420, Station Main Cold Lake, AB T9M 1P1

PHONE: (780) 594-5026 **FAX**: (780) 594-5452

WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca/Communities/ Elizabeth+Metis+Settlement/default.ksi

Metis Settlements

Fishing Lake

General Delivery Sputinow, AB TOA 3G0

PHONE: (780) 943-2202 **FAX**: (780) 943-2575

WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca/Communities/ Fishing+Lake+Metis+Settlement/default.ksi

Gift Lake

Box 60 Gift Lake, AB TOG 1B0

PHONE: (780) 767-3794 **FAX**: (780) 767-3888

WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca/Communities/ Gift+Lake+Metis+Settlement/default.ksi

Kikino

General Delivery Kikino, AB TOA 2B0

PHONE: (780) 623-7868 **FAX**: (780) 623-7080

WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca/Communities/ Kikino+Metis+Settlement/default.ksi

Metis Settlements

Paddle Prairie

Box 58

Paddle Prairie, AB T0H 2W0

PHONE: (780) 981-2227 **FAX**: (780) 981-3737

WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca/Communities/Paddle+Prairie%20

Metis+Settlement/default.ksi

Peavine

P.O. Box 238 High Prairie, AB TOG 1E0

PHONE: (780) 523-2557 **FAX**: (780) 523-5616

WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca/Communities/ Peavine+Metis+Settlement/default.ksi





Amanda Woodward

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 457-9781

EMAIL: Native Entertainment@hotmail.com

Native flutist, storyteller, workshop facilitator for audiences of all age/race ranges. Examples of functions include social mixers, opening/closing ceremonies, conferences, special events, company gatherings, classrooms and children's groups.

ASANI

Edmonton, AB

EMAIL: spocklin@telus.net **WEBSITE**: www.asani.org

Derived from the Cree word for "rock", Asani is a contemporary Aboriginal women's trio based in Edmonton. Carrying with them the traditional influences of First Nations and Métis music accompanied by drums and rattles, Asani's songs resonate with their own blend of traditional vocals infused with the sounds of jazz, folk and blues.

Conway Kootenay

PHONE: (780) 266-2323

EMAIL: conwaykinfo@gmail.com **WEBSITE**: www.conwayk.com

Entertainer, MC, actor, motivational speaker, facilitator.

Inspiring and motivating since 1996!

Performers

Corbin Poitras

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 614-8318 **CELL**: (780) 201-3695

EMAIL: dj whatchamacallit@hotmail.com

Corbin offers Métis dance lessons, he does Métis dance demonstrations and he is an amazing singer.

Edmonton Métis Dancers

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 910-3625
EMAIL: lyle@metisdance.com
WEBSITE: www.metisdance.com

Established in 1985, the Edmonton Métis Dancers are considered one of Canada's premier Métis dance groups. They perform and promote traditional Métis dances that reflect the Métis culture including: the Duck Dance, Reel of Eight, Drops of Brandy, Reel of Four, Red River Jig, Broom Dance and Sash Dance. The Edmonton Métis Dancers also provide workshops in communities and schools across North America.

Eli Green

Edmonton AB

PHONE: 780-221-1129 ask for Carol **EMAIL**: eli.green3@hotmail.com

Men's traditional dancer x3 sons Ricky and Noah, daughter Shania jingle.

Rainbow Spirit Dancers

9624 - 108 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 1A4

PHONE: (780) 944-2000 Ext. 341

FAX: (780) 944-2007

EMAIL: Rhonda.Paul@ecsd.net **WEBSITE**: www.ecsd.net

Discover the sounds, colors and cultural teachings of the powwow celebration in a presentation by the Rainbow Spirit Dancers. The dance troupe will take you on a journey of music, song and dance as they pay tribute to the gifts of creation. Each dancer will tell a story through their regalia, steps and movement. These stories will be narrated so that the audience can fully appreciate and comprehend the depth and significance of each dance.

Sila Singers

#307, 10721-85 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6E 2K9

PHONE: (780) 221-4886 or (780) 721-0713

EMAIL: sila.singers@gmail.com

WEBSITE: www.silasingers.wordpress.com

Sila is a traditional Inuit throat-singing duo consisting of two young Inuit women, Jenna Broomfield and Malaya Bishop, originally from Nunatsiavut and Nunavut, Canada.



Performers

The Running Thunder Dancers (Adrian laChance)

Edmonton, AB

PHONE: (780) 660-2056

EMAIL: adrianlachance72@gmail.com

School presentations, conferences, special events, cultural workshops and more.

Winston Wuttunee

11704 - 164 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5X 4X1

PHONE: 780) 406-7223 CELL: (780) 887-4894 EMAIL: wuttune7@telus.net

EMAIL2: wuttune7@telus.blackberry.net EMAIL3: bookwin@telus.blackberry.net WEBSITE: www.winstonwuttunee.ca

Cross-cultural entertainment and public speaking for all occasions.

Yellow Ribbon Dancers

PHONE: (587) 987-3628

EMAIL: rockydumais72@gmail.com

WEBSITE: www.yellowribbondancers.weebly.com

The Yellow Ribbon Dancers offer a service that is educational and entertaining. They offer workshops relating to the element of Aboriginal dance, culture and symbolic meaning to all we do. Their hope is to create an awareness of who we are as First Nations people as well as provide an entertaining way to teach.

Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

630 Canada Place 9700 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T6J 4G2

PHONE: (780) 495-2773 **FAX**: (780) 495-4088

WEBSITE: www.ainc-inac.gc.ca

Mandate: Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada (AANDC) supports Aboriginal people (First Nations, Inuit and Métis) and Northerners in their efforts to:

- · Improve social well-being and economic prosperity;
- · Develop healthier, more sustainable communities; and
- Participate more fully in Canada's political, social and economic development to the benefit of all Canadians.

AANDC is one of the federal government departments responsible for meeting the Government of Canada's obligations and commitments to First Nations, Inuit and Métis, and for fulfilling the federal government's constitutional responsibilities in the North.



Assembly of First Nations

Trebla Building 473 Albert Street Suite 810 Ottawa, ON K1R 5B4

PHONE: (613) 241-6789 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-869-6789

FAX: (613) 241-5808 **WEBSITE**: www.afn.ca

The Assembly of First Nations (AFN) is the national representative organization of the First Nations in Canada. There are over 630 First Nations communities in Canada. The AFN Secretariat, is designed to present the views of the various First Nations through their leaders in areas such as: Aboriginal and treaty rights, economic development, education, languages and literacy, health, housing, social development, justice, taxation, land claims, environment, and issues that are of common concern which arise from time to time.

Confederacy of Treaty Six (6) First Nations

13227 - 146 Street Edmonton, AB T5L 4S8

PHONE: (780) 944-0334 **FAX**: (780) 944-0346 **WEBSITE**: www.treaty6.ca

The Confederacy of Treaty Six First Nations was created in 1993 with the purpose of serving as the united political voice for those Treaty Nations who are signatories of Treaty No. 6 for the continued protection of the fundmental treaty, inherent and human rights of the Treaty peoples of those Nations.

Government of Alberta Aboriginal Relations

19th Floor, Commerce Place 10155 - 102 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 4G8

PHONE: (780) 427-8407 **PHONE**: (780) 427-5583

PHONE: (780) 310-0000 (from anywhere in Alberta)

FAX: (780) 415-9548

WEBSITE: www.aboriginal.alberta.ca

Working with Aboriginal communities, the federal government, industry and other stakeholders to promote social and economic opportunities to enhance the quality of life of Aboriginal people in Alberta.

Métis Nation of Alberta

11738 Kingsway Avenue Edmonton, AB T5G 0X5

PHONE: (780) 455-2200 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-252-7553 **FAX**: (780) 452-8946

WEBSITE: www.albertametis.com

The mandate of the Métis Nation of Alberta is to be a representative voice on behalf of the Métis people in Alberta, provide the Métis people an opportunity to participate in government's policy and decision-making process and, most importantly, promote and facilitate the advancement of Métis people through the pursuit of self-reliance, self-determination and self-management.

Métis Regional Council Zone IV of the Métis Nation of Alberta

11724 - 95 Street Edmonton, AB T5G 1L9

PHONE: (780) 944-9288
TOLL FREE: 1-888-588-4088
FAX: (780) 455-5546
EMAIL: zoneiv@telus.net

The Métis Regional Council is responsible for the advancement of the rich Métis culture and ensuring the social, economic and political well-being of all Métis people.

Métis Settlements Appeal Tribunal

Suite 200, 10335 - 172 Street Edmonton, AB T5S 1K9

PHONE: (780) 422-1541 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-661-8864 **FAX**: (780) 422-0019

EMAIL: msat.info@gov.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.msat.gov.ab.ca

The Métis Settlements Appeal Tribunal was established by the Metis Settlements Act In 1990 to act as a quasi-judicial body ruling on land, membership and other matters within the eight Métis Settlements In Alberta. Its statutory mandate is to resolve disputes with a view to preserving Métis culture and identity and furthering the attainment of self-governance by the Metis Settlements under the laws of Alberta.

Métis Settlements General Council

Suite 101, 10335 - 172 Street Edmonton, AB T5S 1K9

PHONE: (780) 822-4096 **TOLL FREE**: 1-888-213-4400

FAX: (780) 489-9558 EMAIL: reception@msgc.ca WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca

The Metis Settlements General Council (MSGC) is the political and administrative body for the collective interests of the Metis Settlements. The MSGC is a proactive government that helps develop, implement, and distribute programs and services to the eight Alberta settlements.

Métis Settlements Ombudsman's Office

#203, 10525 - 170 Street Edmonton, AB T5P 4W2

PHONE: (780) 427-9828 PHONE: (780) 427-6813 TOLL FREE: 1-866-427-6813

FAX: (780) 427-9962

EMAIL: info@metisombudsman.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.metisombudsman.ab.ca

The Office of the Métis Settlements Ombudsman (MSO) is an independent and impartial place to take complaints about the management or leadership of Alberta Métis Settlements. The MSO also exists to identify unfair or unjust complaints made against Councils and staff.

Métis Settlements Strategic Training Initiatives Society (STI)

Suite 200 10335 - 172 Street Edmonton, AB T5S 1K9

PHONE: (780) 822-4096 **TOLL FREE**: 1-888-213-4400

FAX: (780) 822-4099 EMAIL: cdub@msgc.ca WEBSITE: www.msgc.ca

STI exists to provide training and education to Métis residing on Settlements, or on an authorized leave of absence, to assist them in entering, re-entering or retaining active and meaninful employment.

North Peace Tribal Council

Box 1889 High Level, AB TOH 1Z0

#105, 17707 - 105 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5S 1T1

PHONE: (780) 926-3446 **FAX**: (780) 926-4075 **WEBSITE**: www.nptc.ab.ca

Represents North Alberta First Nations:

- · Little Red River Cree Nation
- · Beaver First Nations
- Dene Tha' First Nations
- · Lubicon Lake First Nation
- Tallcree First Nation

Office of the Federal Interlocutor -Urban Aboriginal Strategy

12th Floor, 66 Slater Street Ottawa, ON K1A 0H4

PHONE: (780) 495-6951 **FAX**: (780) 495-4492

WEBSITE: www.ainc-inac.gc.ca

The Urban Aboriginal Strategy (UAS) is a community-based initiative developed by the Government of Canada to improve social and economic opportunities of Aboriginal people living in urban centres. By partnering with the Aboriginal community and local organizations, municipal and provincial governments and the private sector, the UAS supports projects that improve life skills, promote job training, skills and entrepreneurship and support Aboriginal women, children and families.

Statistics Canada - Aboriginal Liaison Program

300, 10158 - 103 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 0X6

PHONE: (403) 965-3018

EMAIL: jerry.potts@statcan.gc.ca **WEBSITE**: www.statcan.gc.ca

The Aboriginal Liaison Program offers:

- Aboriginal data presentations and information sessions at workshops, conferences and meetings in which data is presented at the national, provincial and community level;
- Aboriginal Insight Newsletter a national publication focussing on Aboriginal data, releases and other important Statistic Canada initiatives; and
- Consultative advice on how to find, use and interpret statistical information.

Treaty 8 First Nations of Alberta

18178 - 102 Avenue Santa Fe Plaza Edmonton, AB T5S 1S7

PHONE: (780) 444-9366 **TOLL FREE**: 1-888-873-2898 **FAX**: (780) 484-1465

EMAIL: reception@treaty8.org **WEBSITE**: www.treaty8.ca

To preserve, protect and enhance the "spirit and intent of Treaty 8 through consultation, promotion, advancing and representing the concerns, issues and interests of all Alberta First Nations within Treaty 8.

Tribal Chiefs Ventures

200, 17628 - 103 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5S 1J9

PHONE: (780) 481-3363 **FAX**: (780) 483-1404 **WEBSITE**: www.tcvi.ca

Tribal Chiefs ventures (TCVI) operates under the umbrella of Tribal Chief Association (TCA) and is a business incorporated under the Federal Business Corporation Act. Each member First Nation Chief holds one share in TCVI in trust for their respective First Nation. The current shareholders are Beaver Lake Cree Nation, Cold Lake First Nation, Frog Lake First Nation, Heart Lake First Nation, Kehewin Cree Nation and Whitefish Lake First Nation #128. The Chiefs are the board of directors and as such: Assure Treaty 6 is honoured and respect the autonomy of each member First Nation.

Aboriginal Veterans Society of Alberta

Suite 304 12308 - 111 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5M 2N4

PHONE: (780) 475-9508 **EMAIL**: jkmcd@shaw.ca

WEBSITE: www.aboriginalveterans.com

Serves as a liaison between the Department of Veterans Affairs and Aboriginal Veterans. Provides Advocacy for benefits; interpreting; and representation at funerals, ceremonies, and parades on request. Distributes information about the poppy fund. In partnership with the Department of National Defence to Recruit and Coordinate the Bold Eagle program (summer employment for Aboriginal Youth) in Alberta.

Alberta Seniors and Community Supports

Standard Life Centre (main floor) 10405 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 4R7

PHONE: (780) 644-9992 **FAX**: (780) 422-6301

EMAIL: Alberta.Seniors@gov.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.seniors.alberta.ca

This division is responsible for planning and delivering financial support programs for seniors including:

- The Alberta Seniors Benefit program, which provides monthly cash benefits to low income seniors
- Special Needs Assistance for Seniors program, which provides cash payments to eligible low income seniors to assist with allowable one-time or extra ordinary expenses.
- Dental Assistance, Optical Assistance, and Education Property Tax Assistance programs for seniors.

Alzheimer Society - Alberta and Northwest Territories

10531 Kingsway Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 4K1

PHONE: (780) 488-2266 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-950-5465 **FAX**: (780) 488-3055

EMAIL: ahuhn@alzheimer.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.alzheimer.ab.ca

The Alzheimer Society is the leading not-for-profit health organization working nationwide to improve the quality of life for Canadians affected by Alzheimer's disease and other dementias and advance the search for the cause and cure. The Society provides support groups, resource materials, links to other support services in the community to assist individuals and their caregivers.

Calder Seniors Drop-In Society

12963 - 120 Street Edmonton, AB T5E 5N8

PHONE: (780) 451-1925 EMAIL: execald@telus.net

WEBSITE: www.calderseniors.org

Provides activities, programs and services to enable seniors 55+ to enjoy healthy, productive and independent lives and successfully cope with life's transitions and social changes.

Central Lions Seniors Association

11113 - 113 Street Edmonton, AB T5G 2V1

PHONE: (780) 496-7369 FAX: (780) 442-0946 EMAIL: info@clsa2.com WEBSITE: www.clsa1.com

Central Lions Seniors Association Central Lions Seniors Association (CLSA) is an independent, non-profit society formed in 1979 to encourage, promote and provide opportunities for recreation, education and socializing, and to improve and enhance the well-being of adults 55 years of age and older.

Edmonton Seniors Centre

3Y, 11111 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5K 0L4

PHONE: (780) 342-8625 **PHONE**: (780) 342-8627 **FAX**: (780) 342-8916

EMAIL: office@edmontonseniorscentre.ca **WEBSITE**: www.edmontonseniorscentre.ca

ESC is an activity centre for seniors providing programs and services aimed at improving quality of life and promoting the health and well-being of adults aged 45 years and up. Activities at the Centre range from fitness, the arts, computer classes and learning different languages, to various forms of dance and social opportunities.

Edmonton Seniors Coordinating Council

#255 Bonnie Doon Shopping Centre 8330 - 82 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6C 4E3

PHONE: (780) 423-5635 **FAX**: (780) 428-3844

EMAIL: executivedirector@seniorscouncil.net

WEBSITE: www.seniorscouncil.net

The Council provides a communication centre for the senior-serving sector and helps agencies and stakeholders plan and collaborate to improve programs and services for Edmonton's aging population. It also provides education and representation on key issues related to community supports, diversity, fitness and recreation, personal safety, transportation and health and wellness.

Edmonton Aboriginal Seniors Centre (EASC)

Cottage E, 10107 - 134 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5E 1J2

PHONE: (780) 476-6595 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-476-6595

FAX: (780) 475-7957 **WEBSITE**: www.easc.ca

The Centre offers a number of services to Native seniors including a Drop-in Centre; the Urban Native Housing Registry that assists clients with finding affordable rental accommodations; and the Outreach program that provides assistance in completing forms, referrals to other community senior services, home and/or hospital visits, liaison services, some interpretation (Cree). In-house programs include the Monday Quilting Bee, Tuesday Afternoon of Games, Wednesday Soup & Bannock with presentations/entertainment, Thursday Crafts, monthly Cree Mass, foot care clinics, tax preparation, gardening and special event dinners/socials.

Nihgi Métis Seniors Lodge

11935 - 65 Street Edmonton, AB T5W 4L5

PHONE: (780) 471-2443 **FAX**: (780) 474-2441

EMAIL: lizettegaudry@muhcab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.muhcab.ca

North Edmonton Seniors Association

7524 - 139 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5C 3H7

PHONE: (780) 496-6969 FAX: (780) 496-4707 EMAIL: info@nesa1.ca WEBSITE: www.nesa1.ca

The Association provides recreation and leisure programs and services for seniors 55+. Programs include: computers, cameras, crafts, hobbies, painting, fitness, sports, general interest, health and wellness, languages, music, dance, social experiences. Some of the services offered include: craniosacral therapy, denture clinic, footcare clinic, hearing clinic, manicure/pedicures, reflexology, massage amenities, a senior-friendly fitness centre, cafeteria, rental space and free parking.



Seniors

SAGE Senior Safe House

15 Sir Winston Churchill Square Edmonton, AB T5J 2E5

PHONE: (780) 702-1520 PHONE: (780) 426-3746 FAX: (780) 428-6856 WEBSITE: www.mysage.ca

SAGE's Safe House is a program for abused seniors aged 60 or older. They provide the senior with safe accommodation and case management services for up to 60 days. This is a free service for both men and women experiencing any type of abuse – mental, physical, financial, sexual and neglect.

Seniors Assisted Transportation Society of Greater Edmonton (SATS)

9907 - 108 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 1A5

PHONE: (780) 732-1221 **FAX**: (780) 732-1227

EMAIL: info@satsofedmonton.org **WEBSITE**: www.satsofedmonton.org

Since 2001, SATS has offered safe and affordable transportation to seniors with the assistance of our volunteer drivers.

Westend Seniors Activity Centre

9629 - 176 Street Edmonton, AB T5T 6B3 **PHONE**: (780) 483-1209 **FAX**: (780) 484-7738

EMAIL: weseniors@westendseniors.com

WEBSITE: www.westendseniorsactivitycentre.com/

For more than 25 years, the Centre has supported seniors in west Edmonton by providing social, recreation, health, fitness and special interest activities to help seniors remain active and vital. Every day the Centre is filled with seniors taking part in educational, recreational, and social programs – from art classes and card tournaments, to aerobics and computer classes.





"SNUG" Métis Child & Family Services Society

10437 - 123 Street Edmonton, AB T5N 1N8

PHONE: (780) 452-6100 **FAX**: (780) 452-8944

EMAIL: marymc@metischild.com **WEBSITE**: www.metischild.com

SNUG promotes the health and well-being of Métis children and families by building on the capacity of the Métis community through the provisions of culturally sensitive Aboriginal programs. These programs include our Aboriginal Adoption and Search program, Aboriginal Child and Family Support Program, Aboriginal Family Services Program, Awasis Cultural School Program, Choices Stay in School Program, Community Support Homes Foster Care Program, and the Protection of Children Involved in Prostitution Program.



Aboriginal Counseling Services Association of Alberta

#204, 10010 - 105 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1C4

PHONE: (780) 448-0378 **FAX**: (780) 448-0379 **EMAIL**: acsa@telus.net

WEBSITE: www.aboriginalconsultingservices.ca

Circle of Safety Family Violence Program – A 20-week program for individuals and families to break the cycle of family violence. Includes meals, transportation and childcare subsidy.

Creative Healing Family Program – Supportive counselling services to children, youth and families at risk of or with past involvement with Children and Family Services.

Healing Anger Program for Women – A 12-week, closed group that assists Aboriginal women in understanding what healthy and unhealthy anger is through the arts and traditional practices.



Alberta Association for Community Living

11724 Kingsway Avenue Edmonton, AB T5G 0X5

PHONE: (780) 451-3055 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-252-7556

FAX: (780) 453-5779 EMAIL: mail@aacl.org WEBSITE: www.aacl.org

The Alberta Association for Community Living (AACL) is a family based, non-profit federation that advocates on behalf of children and adults with developmental disabilities and their families. Together, AACL shares a dream of meaningful family life and community inclusion for individuals with developmental disabilities. As an advocacy organization they support families and individuals in their desire to be fully included in community life.

Alberta Health Services

Alberta Health Services Corporate Office Seventh Street Plaza 14th Floor, North Tower 10030 - 107 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 3E4

PHONE: (780) 342-2000 TOLL FREE: 1-888-342-2471 TOLL FREE: 1-866-408 5465 (L

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FAX: (780) 342-2060

WEBSITE: www.albertahealthservices.ca

Alberta Health Services (AHS) participates in the accreditation of health services to help ensure the delivery of safe, quality care, and practices. As a component of continuous quality improvement, accreditation compares services with established national standards of excellence to help identify what is being done well and how AHS can further improve.

Alberta Health Services - Aboriginal Diabetes Wellness Program - Anderson Hall

Anderson Hall Room 204 10959 - 102 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2V1

PHONE: (780) 735-4512

TOLL FREE: 1-866-408 5465 (LINK)

FAX: (780) 735-5878

WEBSITE: www.albertahealthservices.ca

The Aboriginal Diabetes Wellness Program promotes diabetes self-management which is culturally sensitive, and supports a holistic approach to integrating the mind, body, spirit and emotions. The program provides clinics and education sessions for patients with diabetes, either newly diagnosed, or follow ups or re-assessments. Single day or 3-4 day sessions are available with provisions made for meals and accomodation.

Alberta Health Services -Aboriginal Health Program

Royal Alexandra Hospital Suite 103, Anderson Hall 10240 Kingsway Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 3V9

PHONE: (780) 735-5326

TOLL FREE: 1-866-408 5465 (LINK) **WEBSITE**: www.albertahealthservices.ca

Aboriginal Care Coordinators help Aboriginal patients and families throughout their hospital stay and connect them to the health services and programs in their home communities. Available at Alberta Hospital Edmonton, Glenrose, Grey Nuns, Misericordia, Royal Alexandra, Stollery, Sturgeon, University of Alberta Hospitals, and WestView Health Centre. Request services through doctors or nurses at the site.

Alberta Health Services -Aboriginal Mental Health & Addictions Aboriginal Mental Health Cultural Helper Services:

Anderson Hall Room 303 10959 - 102 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2V1

PHONE: (780) 735-6936

WEBSITE: www.albertahealthservices.ca

Provide support for the vulnerable urban Aboriginal population of Edmonton with mental health and addictions issues. Offers individual and group holistic support programs. Provides traditional cultural supports through links to Aboriginal Cultural Helpers. Support chronic disease management through a multi disciplinary team consisting of a Family Physician, Nurse, Dietitian, Aboriginal Health Coordinator and Cultural Helpers.

Alberta Health Services - Cross Cancer Institute

11560 University Avenue Edmonton, AB T6G 1Z2

PHONE: (780) 432-8771

TOLL FREE: 1-866-408 5465 (LINK)

FAX: (780) 432-8411

WEBSITE: www.albertahealthservices.ca

The Cross Cancer Institute in Edmonton is the comprehensive cancer centre for northern Alberta and a lead centre for the province-wide prevention, research and treatment program. The Cross Cancer Institute provides advanced medical and supportive cancer care, patient and professional education, and conducts research through the Alberta Cancer Research Institute.

Ben Calf Robe Society

12046 - 77 Street Edmonton, AB T5B 2G7

FAX: (780) 479-6199

WEBSITE: www.bcrsociety.ab.ca

The Ben Calf Robe Society strives to protect and enhance this sacredness by providing children and their families with holistic education, supportive social services and programs of high quality and cultural relevance. With the collaboration of the Catholic School Board, the Ben Calf Robe Society school was created where Aboriginal children felt accepted, cuturally comfortable and thus encouraged to remain in school and complete their grade twelve. The Society provides services to the larger community through its wide range of programs.

- Ketotayminawok In-home Family Support
- Group Homes Safe and secure living environments
- Kichi Awasisak Family health and parenting
- Aboriginal Head Start Early intervention pre-school program
- Foster Care Placement for Aboriginal Children and Youth.
- · Youth Intervention Cultural after school activities
- Cultural Awareness



Bent Arrow Traditional Healing Society

11648 - 85 Street Edmonton, AB T5B 3E5

PHONE: (780) 481-3451 **FAX**: (780) 481-3509

EMAIL: reception@bentarrow.ca **WEBSITE**: www.bentarrow.ca

The Bent Arrow Traditional Healing Society is committed to building on the strengths of Aboriginal children, youth and their families to enable them to develop spiritually, emotionally, physically and mentally so they can walk proudly in both the Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal communities. Programs developed specifically for Native people and offered by the Society include: Four arrows Adult Employment Program, Wind Dancer Youth Life Skills and Employment Program, Early Headstart Program at Sherwood Public School, Healthy Families, Generations Family Enhancement Program (partnership between Bent Arrow and Region 6 Child & Family Services of Alberta); Coyote Kids, Orenda House, Group Care, to name a few.



Bosco Homes a Society for Children and Families

6770 - 129 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5C 1V7

PHONE: (780) 440-0708 **FAX**: (780) 440-0760

EMAIL: abh_admin@boscohomes.ca **WEBSITE**: www.boscohomes.ca

Bosco Homes is a non-profit, charitable society dedicated to provide quality human service to individuals, families and communities. Bosco Homes is an accredited agency providing services to clients who are referred by Provincial and Territorial Health and Social Services, Educational and Children Services Authorities. Although private placements are possible, in Canadian jurisdictions, government departments/agencies have mandates to provide access to the type of services we offer.

Canadian Aboriginal Aids Network

6520 Salish Drive Vancouver, BC V6N 2C7

PHONE: (604) 266-7616 **FAX**: (604) 266-7612 **EMAIL**: info@caan.ca **WEBSITE**: www.caan.ca

The Canadian Aboriginal AIDS Network Inc. (CAAN) is a non-profit coalition of individuals and organizations which provides leadership, support, and advocacy for Aboriginal people living with and affected by HIV/AIDS, regardless of where they reside.

Canadian Diabetes Association Edmonton

Suite 100, 12220 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB T5N 3Y4

PHONE: (780) 423-5722 ext. 262 or 242

FAX: (780) 423-3322 EMAIL: info@diabetes.ca WEBSITE: diabetes.ca

Canadian National Institute for the Blind (CNIB)

12010 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5K 0P3

PHONE: (780) 488-4871 TOLL FREE: 1-866-459-2648 FAX: (780) 482-0017

FAX: (780) 482-0017 EMAIL: Alberta@cnib.ca WEBSITE: cnib.ca

Helping people who are blind or partially sighted develop the confidence, skills and opportunities they need to fully participate in life.



Canadian Paraplegic Association (Alberta) Aboriginal Program

305 Hys Centre, 11010 - 101 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 4B9

PHONE: (780) 424-6312 **TOLL FREE**: 1-888-654-5444

FAX: (780) 424-6313

EMAIL: edmonton@cpa-ab.org **WEBSITE**: www.cpa-ab.org

To assist Aboriginal people with Spinal Cord Injuries (SCI) and other physical disabilities to achieve independence, self-reliance and full community participation.

Catholic Social Services - Aboriginal Resources

10709 - 105 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2X3

PHONE: (780) 424-3545 **FAX**: (780) 425-6627

WEBSITE: www.catholicsocialservices.ab.ca

The Aboriginal Resources Department provides leadership and support to agency programs and staff who deliver services to Aboriginal clients. The Department supports the diversity of the Aboriginal Community and respects the research which validates that healing takes place through the application of cultural and spiritual knowledge.

Children First Family Services

6770 - 129 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5C 1V7

PHONE: (780) 433-6760 **FAX**: (780) 477-2038

EMAIL: general@childrenfirstfs.org **WEBSITE**: www.childrenfirstfs.org

Children First is a not-for-profit, charitable, human service agency providing a safe, temporary out-of-home placement (A Village Home) for children unable to live with their family of origin. Their services are provided (since 1990s) in accordance with following standards:

- · Alberta's Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Act,
- · Canadian Accreditation Council of Human Services,
- The Code of Ethics of the Alberta College of Social Workers, and
- The Code of Ethics of the Alberta Foster Parent Association.

Creating Hope Society of Alberta

10863 - 96 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2K2

PHONE: (780) 477-7961 **PHONE**: (780) 477-7962 **FAX**: (780) 477-7918

EMAIL: info@creatinghopesociety.ca **WEBSITE**: www.creatinghopesociety.ca

Founded from 60s and 70s Scoop Aboriginals, the Society is working to stop the cycle of child welfare in our communities. Programming: Little Readers Club Grades 2-5; All Nations Hand Drumming Program, Junior High After School Care Program - Rosslyn Jr. High; Broken Hearts documentary and Knowing Your Rights workbook guide for Aboriginal parents dealing with child welfare.

Dickinsfield Amity House

9213 - 146 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5E 2J9

PHONE: (780) 478-5022 **FAX**: (780) 473-8979

EMAIL: info@amityhouse.ca **WEBSITE**: www.amityhouse.ca

Dickinsfield Amity House is a family resource centre providing support services to the community since 1972. Their mission is to promote and encourage the independence and well-being of individuals and families by providing social, recreational and educational programming at the preventive level.

Edmonton Native Healing Centre Society

#101, 11813 - 123 Street Edmonton, AB T5L 0G7

PHONE: (780) 482-5522 **FAX**: (780) 482-5560 **EMAIL**: info@e-nhc.org

Community Drop In Centre Monday - Friday 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. - Phone access, Faxing, On-site Pastoral Counselling, Referrals. Community Access Site - Computers available to the Public.

Comunity Meals - Monday - Sandwiches & Vegetable 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. - Wednesday - Soup and Bannock -Noon - 1 p.m. - Friday - Bread Delivered 10:30 a.m.

Health for Two - Access to prenatal program

Youth Programming

First Nations and Inuit Health Branch Health Canada

1st Floor, Room Suite 730, Canada Place 9700 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 4C3

PHONE: (780) 495-8778 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-225-0709

TTY: 1-800-267-1245 FAX: (780) 495-8920 EMAIL: info@hc-sc.gc.ca

First Nations and Inuit Health Branch supports the delivery of public health and health promotion services on-reserve and in Inuit communities. It also provides drug, dental and ancillary health services to First Nations and Inuit people regardless of residence. The Branch also provides primary care services on-reserve in remote and isolated areas, where there are no provincial services readily available.

HIV Edmonton

9702 - 111 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5G 0B1

PHONE: (780) 488-5742 **TOLL FREE**: 1-800-388-5742

FAX: (780) 488-5735

EMAIL: contact@hivedmonton.com **WEBSITE**: www.hivedmonton.com

All programs and services are free. One-on-one Support - Free, confidential support for individuals living with, affected by and at risk of HIV. Call and ask to speak to a Support worker, or visit our office.

National Aboriginal Diabetes Association Inc.

B1-90 Garry Street Winnipeg, MB R3C 4J4

PHONE: (204) 927-1220 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-232-6232

FAX: (204) 927-1222 EMAIL: diabetes@nada.ca WEBSITE: www.nada.ca

NADA is a not-for-profit members-led organization established in 1995 as a result of the rising rates of diabetes in Aboriginal communities.

Native Counselling Services of Alberta

Edmonton Regional Office 9330 - 104 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5M 4G9

PHONE: (780) 990-1120 **FAX**: (780) 424-3728 **WEBSITE**: www.ncsa.ca

NCSA offers programs and services through the Courtworkers in the Criminal, Youth, and Family courts. As well, Family & Wellness Programs, Homelessness and Housing, and Restorative Justice services. For a more comprehensive listing of our programs and services, please visit our website.

Our House Addiction Recovery Centre

2210 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB T5S 2C3

PHONE: 780) 474-8945 **FAX**: 780) 479-2271

EMAIL: house@ourhouseedmonton.com **WEBSITE**: www.ourhouseedmonton.com

Our House is a 70-bed residential facility for adult men addicted to alcohol or drugs including gambling. In addition to providing basic human needs and a safe environment free from drugs and alcohol, this treatment facility offers extensive programming, and Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous and Gamblers Anonymous meetings are held weekly. Programs are designed to deal with the physical, spiritual and social self.

OPTIONS Sexual Health Association

#50, 9912 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C5

PHONE: (780) 423-3737 **FAX**: (780) 425-1782

EMAIL: options@optionssexualhealth.ca **WEBSITE**: www.optionssexualhealth.com

OPTIONS Sexual Health Association Edmonton believes that sexuality is a natural, healthy lifelong part of being human. They believe that each individual has the right to make choices on sexual and reproductive health issues for themselves within their own life circumstance. It is important that women have access to accurate, unbiased and reliable information concerning sexuality and sexual health in order to make healthy decisions concerning their own health and well-being.

Poundmaker's Lodge Treatment Centres

P.O. Box 34007 Kingsway Mall Edmonton, AB T5G 3G4

PHONE: (780) 458-1884 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-458-1884 **FAX**: (780) 459-1876

EMAIL: info@poundmaker.org **WEBSITE**: www.poundmaker.org

The programs are designed to help individuals rebuild their lives, to reconnect with their communities, to reclaim their culture, and to restore balance in their lives. Provides, 42-day residential treatment for alcohol, drugs and gambling.

Residential School Healing Society -Honor Walk

HEAD OFFICE Box 532 Bragg Creek, AB TOL OKO

EDMONTON OFFICE Unit #3, 9837 - 44 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6E 5E3

PHONE: (780) 988-1145

EMAIL: residential school healing@hotmail.com

An information group for Aboriginal People who survived Residential Schools as residents and day scholars.

Ronald McDonald House Northern Edmonton

7726 - 107 Street Edmonton, AB T6E 4K3

PHONE: (780) 439-5437 **FAX**: (780) 433-6201

WEBSITE: www.rmhnorthernalberta.org

A short-term residence for families of sick children (0-18 years) who come to Edmonton from at least 60 km away for medical care. Children must be accompanied by a parent, limit of five people per room. Must have a medical referral for the first visit.

Spirit of our Youth Homes Inc.

10534 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 2X6

PHONE: (780) 474-7140

PHONE: (780) 720-3803 (Emergency Intake)

FAX: (780) 474-3120

EMAIL: reception@spirityouth.ca **WEBSITE**: www.spirityouth.ca

Spirit of our Youth Homes Inc. is dedicated to providing culturally based programming, support and accommodations to Aboriginal Youth. They strive to empower Youth and strengthen their connections with family and community.

Terra Centre

9930 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C7

PHONE: (780) 428-3772 EMAIL: terra@terracentre.ca

WEBSITE: www.terraassociation.com

Terra Centre for pregnant and parenting teens has been serving youth in Edmonton since 1971. Each year approximately 900 youth access their range of support programs and services.

The Family Centre

#20, 9912 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C5

PHONE: (780) 423-2831 **FAX**: (780) 426-4918

EMAIL: tfc@the-family-centre.com **WEBSITE**: www.the-family-centre.com

Therapy and counselling services are provided for individuals, couples and groups.

Home support services for families include: infant and child care, before and after school care, homemaking and light housekeeping, meal preparation, assistance with errands, and accompaniment to appointments.

Services for seniors include: companionship and emotional support, assistance with errands and shopping, help attending appointments, light housekeeping and meal preparation.

A number of workshops are also offered for families, parents, couples and individuals.

Social and Health Services

The Red Road Healing Society

4225 - 118 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5W 1A4

PHONE: (780) 471-3220 PHONE: (780) 471-3221 FAX: (780) 471-2750 EMAIL: rrhs@theredroad.ca WEBSITE: www.theredroad.ca

The Red Road Healing Society is a not-for-profit child and family resource centre that is accessible, friendly, safe, warm, welcoming and free. Wholistic wellness programming for children, youth and families is provided that utilizes a variety of Indigenous cultural perspectives, knowledge and practices. Outreach to the community occurs regularly through home visits, school liaison and special events. There are no fees and everyone is welcome.

Wahkotowin Society

10608 - 152 Street Edmonton, AB T5P 1Y9

PHONE: (780) 484-6013 **FAX**: (780) 484-8014

EMAIL: wank otowin society @gmail.com

WEBSITE: www.cbcf.org

Wahkotowin is a non-profit organization that provides a retreat once a year for Aboriginal women who have or have had cancer. The retreat serves to provide support and education. The Society also host a students luncheon which commemorates Aboriginal students in the Edmonton school system.

Social and Health Services

YTSA Yellowhead Tribal Services Agency

Suite 200, 17304 - 105 Avenue Edmonton, AB T7X 1G4

PHONE: (780) 481-7390 **FAX**: (780) 481-3064 **WEBSITE**: www.ytsa.ca

A child and family service agency that promotes the well-being of all First Nations children, youth, families and communities with a particular focus on the prevention of, and response to, child maltreatment.



Aboriginal Women's Professional Association (AWPA)

201 10840 - 124 Street Edmonton, AB T5M 0H3

PHONE: 780) 758-1300 PHONE: (780) 893-2321 FAX: (780) 758-1331 EMAIL: awpa@shaw.ca WEBSITE: www.awpa.ca

Aboriginal Women's Professional Association (AWPA) exists to support Aboriginal women to become successful. They Aboriginal women the opportunity to gather and meet other Aboriginal women and to learn from one another. The Aboriginal Women's Professional Association is inclusive of ALL Aboriginal women and their vision is to see all urban Aboriginal Women trained, employed, and self-sustaining.

Abortion Recovery Centre

11223 - 100 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5K 0J1

PHONE: (780) 454-5911 **FAX**: (780) 425-4624

EMAIL: info@abortionrecovery.ca **WEBSITE**: www.abortionrecovery.ca

Many women and men find that abortion is not the "quick fix" they had hoped it would be. They find themselves surprised and overwhelmed by the emotions that seem to chase them following the abortion.

If you are someone who is struggling with your past abortion, you are not alone. Trained peer counsellors at the Abortion Recovery Centre can help you through this emotionally complicated time.

Elizabeth Fry Society

10523 - 100 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 0A8

PHONE: (780) 784-2206 **PHONE**: (780) 421-1175 **FAX**: (780) 425-8989

EMAIL: aboriginal@elizabethfry.ab.ca **WEBSITE**: www.elizabethfry.ab.ca

The Society's mission is to foster the dignity and worth of all women and girls who are or may be at risk of becoming criminalized. Their Aboriginal Women's Program offers One-to-One Support, Life Skills, Creative Circles, Sharing Circles, Cultural Campout, Medicine Picking, Elder Teachings, Traditional Parenting, Ceremonies, Advocacy, weekly, Community Resources Presentations, and Referrals.

Institute for the Advancement of Aboriginal Women (IAAW)

Suite 201, 10812 - 178 Street Edmonton, AB T5S 1L3

PHONE: (780) 479-8195 **TOLL FREE**: 1-877-471-2171

FAX: (780) 471-2169 **EMAIL**: iaaw@iaaw.ca

WEBSITE: www.iaawcanada.com

IAAW promotes Aboriginal Women to walk in Canadian society with dignity, power and grace – fully accepted – with no apology, no humiliation, and no hesitation. Reaching out to Aboriginal Women, they recognize them for their significant accomplishments and achievements from political and business leaders, their communities and society at large.

Pregnancy Care Centre

11223 - 100 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5K 0J1

PHONE: (780) 424-2624 **FAX**: (780) 425-4624

The Centre provides pregnancy care, support and education; pregnancy tests and education on all options; maternity wear, prenatal and parenting education classes; ongoing support, abortion grief recovery groups and community education.

Suit Yourself - Wardrobe for Women

9003-111 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5B 0C3

PHONE: (780) 488-9930

EMAIL: contact@suityourselfclothes.org **WEBSITE**: www.suityourselfclothes.org

Suit Yourself collects and provides quality clothing to disadvantage women who are searching for jobs or starting out in the workforce. Women are offered quality business apparel appropriate for job interviews and work opportunities, at no charge. Individuals ware referred to Suit Yourself through employment training programs and social service organizations.



Women

Terra Centre

9930 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C7

PHONE: (780) 428-3772 EMAIL: terra@terracentre.ca

WEBSITE: www.terraassociation.com

Terra Centre for pregnant and parenting teens has been serving youth in Edmonton since 1971. Each year approximately 900 youth access their range of support programs and services.

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10608 - 152 Street Edmonton, AB T5P 1Y9

PHONE: (780) 484-6013 **FAX**: (780) 484-8014

EMAIL: wahkotowinsociety@gmail.com

Wahkotowin is a non-profit organization that provides a retreat once a year for Aboriginal women who have or have had cancer. The retreat serves to provide support and education. The Society also host a students luncheon which commemorates Aboriginal students in the Edmonton school system.



Wings of Providence Society

P.O. Box 32141 Edmonton, AB T6K 4C2

PHONE: (780) 426-4985 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-331-3933 **FAX**: (780) 424-3625

WEBSITE: www.wingsofprovidence.ca

WINGS of Providence is a non-profit organization whose mission is to provide comprehensive transitional programs and independent living in a safe, secure, supportive and healthy environment for women with children who have experienced family violence. WINGS provides second stage housing services. Second stage housing provides long-term accommodation and accompanying support services for women with their children.

NOTE: WINGS does not provide a crisis line or email support. If you need to speak to someone, call the toll-free number, if you are in immediate danger, call 911.

Women Building Futures Society

10326 - 107 Street Edmonton, AB T5J 1K2

PHONE: (780) 452-1200 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-452-1201 **FAX**: (780) 452-1279

EMAIL: info@womenbuildingfutures.com **WEBSITE**: www.womenbuildingfutures.com

Women Building Futures (WBF) is a registered, not-for-profit, charitable organization that works to help women build better lives and achieve economic independence through training, employment and mentorship. WBF graduates make excellent tradespeople, and give companies new competencies and new work resources.



Aboriginal Youth & Family Well-Being & Education Society

10125 - 97Avenue (Donald Ross School) P.O. Box 62045 Edmonton, AB T5M 4B5

PHONE: (780) 413-9360 **FAX**: (780) 413-9363 **EMAIL**: ayfwes@shaw.ca

AYFWES is a non-profit organization delivering services in Edmonton since 1996. Their mission is to promote Aboriginal children and youth success in completing their education by advancing the value of education through the provision of a positive learning experience.



Boys and Girls Clubs Big Brothers Big Sisters of Edmonton and Area

10135 - 89 Street Edmonton, AB T5H 1P6

9425 - 109A Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 1G1

PHONE: (780) 424-8181

FAX: Riverdale (780) 424-6689, McCauley (780) 426-6216 **EMAIL**: general.edmonton@bigbrothersbigsisters.ca

WEBSITE: www.bgcbigs.ca/

Big Brothers Big Sisters – volunteer mentors for children ages 6-17.

Boys and Girls Clubs throughout the city (each site offers different programs)

Duggan Club (780) 440-6212 Kinsmen Club (780) 472-1730 McCauley Club (780) 429-2807 Rundle Club (780) 474-6244 Sakaw Club (780) 468-4721 Steinhauer Club (780) 440-3532 Tweddle Club (780) 450-0316 West Club (780) 484-4292



Crystal Kids Youth Centre

8718 - 118 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5B 0T1

PHONE: 780) 479-5283

PHONE: (780) 479-5753 (Kids Line)

FAX: (780) 479-3446

EMAIL: hangout@crystalkids.org **WEBSITE**: www.crystalkids.org

Giving inner city children a better chance by providing recreational activities in a safe environment. Provides a drop-in activity centre for inner city children.

Dreamcatcher Aboriginal Youth Conference

Grant MacEwan University 9-407, 10700 - 104 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 4S2

PHONE: (780) 497-4699 **TOLL FREE**: 1-866-331-4634

FAX: (780) 497-4715

EMAIL: FHCSConference@macEwan.ca **WEBSITE**: www.dreamcatcher.macewan.ca

The Dreamcatcher Aboriginal Youth Conference has been an annual event since 1994. Aboriginal youth come together in a celebration of education, culture and community. Conference workshops cover topics relevant to aboriginal youth and the adults working with them, including - educational options, career choices, leadership skills, healthy life choices, traditional teachings, dance, singing, drumming, crafts, sport activities and more.

ENBASports (Edmonton Native Ball Association Sports)

P.O. Box 41030

Edmonton, AB T6J 6M7 PHONE: (780) 937-6011 WEBSITE: www.enba.ca/

ENBASports provide opportunities to youth for their athletic, mental, emotional, social and cultural development. Services can include accessible and affortable opportunities to participate in sports, recreation and leadership. The mandate of ENBASports is to infuse The Circle of Courage into all its programs and events.

Jasper Place Child and Family Resource Centre - West Edmonton Parent Link

16811 - 88 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5R 5Y6 **PHONE**: (780) 489-2243 **FAX**: (780) 483-0249

EMAIL: adine@jasperplace-cfrc.com **WEBSITE**: www.jasperplace-cfrc.com

The Centre offers a variety of wide services for children and families including early learning, family support and parent education programs.



KidSport Edmonton

#2-226, Saville Community Sports Centre 11610 - 65 Avenue Edmonton, AB T6G 2E1

PHONE: (780) 800-5520 **FAX**: (780) 800-5519

EMAIL: applications@kidsportedmonton.com **WEBSITE**: www.kidsportedmonton.com

KidSport believes that no kid should be left on the sidelines and all should be given the opportunity to experience the positive benefits of organized sports. KidSport provides support to children in order to remove financial barriers that prevent them from playing organized sport – \$250 per child per calendar year for organized sport registration fees.



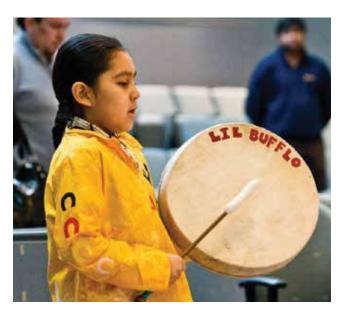
Spirit Keeper Youth Society

Suite 2B, 9913 - 108 Avenue Edmonton, AB T5H 1A5

PHONE: (780) 428-9299 **FAX**: (780) 428-9231

EMAIL: reception@spiritkeeper.ca **WEBSITE**: www.spiritkeeper.ca

Spirit Keeper Youth Society works in conjunction with other organizations, service providers and professionals to provide a well-rounded quality service. Spirit Keeper works with the community (public, civic, and corporate) to slow down the gang recruitment process and to provide an escape mechanism for gang members to extradite themselves from the gang environment and redirect their energies to becoming productive, positive additions to society.



The Family Centre

#20, 9912 - 106 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 1C5

PHONE: (780) 423-2831 **FAX**: (780) 426-4918

EMAIL: tfc@the-family-centre.com **WEBSITE**: www.the-family-centre.com

Therapy and counselling services are provided for individuals, couples and groups.

Home support services for families include: infant and child care, before and after school care, homemaking and light housekeeping, meal preparation, assistance with errands, and accompaniment to appointments.

Services for seniors include: companionship and help attending appointments, light housekeeping and meal preparation.

A number of workshops are also offered for families, parents, couples and individuals.





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