



# Community Living Service Delivery

## about

### **What is Community Living Service Delivery?**

Community Living Service Delivery is a Branch of the Ministry of Social Services. Staff of the Branch work with people with intellectual disabilities and help them access a variety of community-based services. The main objective of Community Living Service Delivery is to ensure physical, emotional, and social needs are met and that people with intellectual disabilities live and function as independently as possible within their own communities.

### **What Services are Offered?**

#### **Case Management Services**

Community service workers of Community Living Service Delivery provide direct support to more than 3,800 people with intellectual disabilities and their families through:

- individual client support, case counselling, and crisis intervention;
- assessment of client and family needs;
- planning with individuals, families and other stakeholders;
- family support services such as case counselling, respite planning and funding, information and referrals;

- development and support of approved private-service homes which are certified to provide a supportive family living environment for individuals with intellectual disabilities; and
- working together with residential and day program service providers in the community to ensure client needs are being met.

#### **Program Development Consultant Services**

Program Development Consultants provide support for people with intellectual disabilities, service providers and staff of community based organizations by:

- determining what specific programs are needed;
- providing leadership and direction to care providers in the development of programs;
- developing and monitoring programs for individuals in accordance with ethical standards; and
- developing, implementing and evaluating training programs for care providers.

Further information, contact a **Community Living Delivery** office nearest you (see reverse).

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## Liaison with Community-based Organizations

Community Living Service Delivery funds approximately 87 community-based organizations which provide services to the public in the following areas:

### *Residential Services*

- **Group homes** — homes which are staffed to provide personal care, supervision and support to usually three to six adults with intellectual disabilities. They are located in residential neighbourhoods throughout Saskatchewan.
- **Supportive independent living programs** — provide adults living in their own apartments with the limited support and supervision they may require to live as independently as possible.
- **Supported apartment living programs** — provide an alternative for individuals who do not require the extensive supports of the group home program, but require more support than the supportive independent living program.

- **Group living homes** — individuals who share a group living home are responsible for paying their basic shelter costs. Community Living Service Delivery provides funds for the support staff that may be required.

### *Family Support Services*

- **Respite services** give families an opportunity to take a break from caring for a family member who has a disability.

### *Vocational Services - Developmental and Functional Life Skills Services*

These services provide individualized life enrichment activities, which focus on improving quality of life. This also includes vocational centres (Day Programs) which provide meaningful opportunities for work and community inclusion.

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