

## BEHAVIOURAL SUPPORT SERVICES REFERRAL SENIORS MENTAL HEALTH OUTREACH

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**Mandatory Eligibility Criteria** – Select one of the following:

- Older adult with late-onset Major Mental Health disorder (initial onset >65 yrs. e.g. major depression, bipolar disorder, anxiety disorders, schizophrenia and psychotic disorders, and substance use disorders)  
 Older adult with confirmed or suspected progressive Dementia  
 Younger adult (under 65 yrs.) with suspected progressive Dementia such as Alzheimer’s Disease, Vascular Dementia, Fronto-Temporal Dementia

Seniors Mental Health does not typically provide service to individuals with longstanding mental illness who have reached age 65 and who are receiving services through other adult or community mental health services. Referrals requesting clarification of cognitive impairment or age related mental health issues that could benefit from the expertise of geriatric psychiatry will be considered on a case-by-case basis by contacting your local Central Access team about options for consultation.

Seniors Mental Health Outreach does not typically provide long term follow up; we focus on assessment and linking people to community support.

**Priority**

Our services typically maintain a wait-list for initial assessments, individuals in need of emergency services should be referred to local acute care mental health services.

<https://providencecare.ca/community-services/crisis-support/>

If you feel this referral is urgent, please call your local Seniors Mental Health Outreach Team office and ask to speak with the Central Access clinician.

**PERSON BEING REFERRED:**

Last Name	Given Name	Health Card	Code
Address	City/Province	Postal Code	
Telephone#	Date of Birth	Marital Status	Gender

Preferred Language:  English  French  Other:

Interpreter Required:  Yes  No

Current location (if not at home):

**CONTACT PERSON:** (Preferences indicated here imply consent)

Last Name	Given Name	Phone Number	<input type="checkbox"/> SDM <input type="checkbox"/> POA <input type="checkbox"/> NOK
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Who should we contact first? \_\_\_\_\_

**DIGITAL COMMUNICATION PREFERENCES:** (Preferences indicated here imply consent)

Preferred Cell Phone _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Client <input type="checkbox"/> Contact Person
Preferred Email _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Client <input type="checkbox"/> Contact Person

**Incomplete referrals will result in a delay of service, we cannot proceed until all information is received**

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**REASON FOR REFERRAL**

**Why are you referring now?** (Diagnosis, community support services, treatment review, symptom management, frequent ER/health care provider visits)

**What have you already tried?** (Previous interventions, community supports/resources, medication)

**RISK ASSESSMENT**

Alcohol/Substance Misuse	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Suicidal Ideation	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Agitation	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Responsive Behaviours- - Verbal	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Caregiver Stress	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	- Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Driving	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	- Sexual	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Fire	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Wandering	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Suspiciousness	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Weapons	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION**

**Mandatory Documentation**

<input type="checkbox"/> CBC	<input type="checkbox"/> TSH	<input type="checkbox"/> Electrolytes
<input type="checkbox"/> Fasting Glucose or HbA1C	<input type="checkbox"/> B12	<input type="checkbox"/> Calcium
<input type="checkbox"/> Patient Profile	<input type="checkbox"/> Medication List	<input type="checkbox"/> Medical History

**Please Attach if Available/Applicable**

<input type="checkbox"/> Delirium workup	<input type="checkbox"/> Head imaging	<input type="checkbox"/> LFTs
<input type="checkbox"/> Internal cognitive assessment(s) and notes	<input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatry consultations	<input type="checkbox"/> Coordinated Care Plan
<input type="checkbox"/> Nurse Navigator Reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Current ECG	<input type="checkbox"/> Other relevant consults

**REFERRAL SOURCE**

Name/Agency Telephone Fax

Date of Referral: YYYY/MM/DD Time: HH:MM Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Most Responsible Physician**

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  Has consented to referral