

Wellness Articles

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Online Continuing Care Facility Directory now live!

Albertans can now explore publicly funded continuing care facilities and learn more about them — online.

The <u>new online continuing care facility directory</u> has comprehensive information on all the province's 345 publicly funded continuing care facilities. This new online tool is designed to simplify the process of finding a care home when one is needed.

Directory information will be updated every six months. It includes but is not limited to:

- How to contact a case manager regarding assessment for Designated Supportive Living or Long Term Care.
- Facility address and contact information, as well as a map that can be used to locate nearby facilities
- Photos of the facility
- The number of spaces and level of service provided
- Link to accommodation charges
- Link to accommodation standards audit results
- Accreditation status of the facility
- Resident and family council status
- Health Quality Council of Alberta survey results (food rating and global overall care rating)
- Available amenities
- Transportation options

Find the online directory at ahs.ca/continuingcare.