# Continuing Care & Community Living





# EXP(020)

For individuals and their families who are interested in learning about new possibilities, solutions, technologies, and opportunities to support independence and aging.

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# Thursday, April 21, 2016

Calgary Stampede Centre Big Four Hall A & B 20 Roundup Way SW Calgary, Alberta

12:00<sub>pm</sub> - 8:00<sub>pm</sub>

**ADMISSION & PARKING ARE FREE** 

Friday, May 6, 2016

Northlands Expo Centre Hall H 7515 - 118 Ave., NW Edmonton, Alberta

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# **Continuing Care & Community Living - EXPO 2016**

# **Overview**

EXPO 2016, Alberta's largest independent living and mobility show, is coming soon! EXPO 2016 promotes independent living and will bring consumers, service providers, health care professionals, specialist manufacturers and retailers together. Exhibitors will showcase services, learning opportunities, and technologies to support those with special needs, care requirements, or chronic conditions, and their families and caregivers. EXPO 2016 will offer the latest thinking, strategies, technologies and solutions to support independent living.

## **Purpose of EXPO 2016**

EXPO 2016 is an opportunity for those looking for information about continuing care and community living options to mingle and share insights and experiences with those who have information on the latest practices, perspectives and technologies.

# **EXPO 2016 Program Topics and Themes**

Topics and themes include the following areas of interest:

- Assistive Technology
- Groups that may have Particular Needs –
   e.g., Canadian Forces Personnel, Children, Spinal
   Cord Injury, Dementia, Autism
- Caregiver Support

- Living with Care at Home
  - Mobility and Travelling
- Technology Innovations
- Transition Planning

# **Who Should Attend**

Anyone with an interest in continuing care and independent living should attend this free event. People attending will include parents/families with children with special needs, people whose aging parents need services and supports to live in the community, older adults who are planning for their future and hope to live independently as well as those who provide continuing care, community living options and related services.

#### **Exhibitors**

EXPO 2016 will interest organizations and agencies, offering possibilities, solutions technologies and opportunities to support people to remain independent in their homes and communities. EXPO 2016 partners include Alberta Health Services, Covenant Health and community, academic and technology collaborators.

# **EXPO 2016 Locations**

Two exhibitions are scheduled. These events will allow visitors the opportunity to learn about living and care options, and to touch, test, and compare new and innovative technologies. **Admission and parking are free for these two events.** 

**Edmonton EXPO** 

### **Calgary EXPO**

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### **EXPO 2016 Program**

The EXPO 2016 program provides a perfect opportunity for all who are interested in continuing care and independent living to meet, work and share innovations and solutions. The dedicated program will cover all the latest issues in falls prevention, caregiving, recreation and travel, designated living options, transportation, transitions in care, mobility/transfers, incontinence, home adaptations, pediatric care, dementia care, care advice via video and telephone and more.

# **EXPO 2016 Contact Information**

To discuss exhibition space and sponsorship opportunities at EXPO 2016, please contact the team at <u>Carol.Wilson@ahs.ca</u> or 780-735-8283. Visit <a href="http://www.albertahealthservices.ca/11338.asp">http://www.albertahealthservices.ca/11338.asp</a> for more information.



