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Adult Community Support

At Community Living Port Colborne Wainfleet, we provide Adult Community Support services to approximately 80 adults Supported Independent Living, Community Participation Support (community navigation) and social/recreational Passport Programs.



Transportation for individuals in Port Colborne is a challenge. Businesses around the city often do not have functioning accessibility doors and ramps or ramps that are in good or safe condition.



HOT TOPIC

Access to Health Care for the individuals we serve is a challenge. With no Urgent care available after 8 PM, many of the persons supported do not have transportation to take them to the larger centers.

Many of our population also has a Dual Diagnosis (DD) and access to Mental health and addictions presents with long wait times for referral and assessment/treatment

Suggestions to improve outcomes and services



Safety and security is often a challenge.

Another way to improve outcomes for those with IDD in relation to personal safety security include by holding fire safety courses, fire extinguishers training, seminars on appropriate internet safety, drug usage and sexual health. These are a few ideas as it is found there is a gap in education/knowledge.

