



Southern Alberta

Alberta Health Services, South Zone

Locations:

Children's Allied Health Services, Lethbridge
Chinook Regional Hospital, Lethbridge
Medicine Hat Regional Hospital (pediatrics and adults)

Michelle Hart, Temporary South Zone Allied Health Director

<http://www.albertahealthservices.ca/south-zone.asp>

Referrals accepted for children and adults of all ages with AAC needs within the southern region.
Requirements for children/youth referrals: new functional needs related to a significant change in status and requiring customized equipment, specialty technology or multidisciplinary health team involvement.

Calgary Region

ACETS

Alberta Health Services, Alberta Children's Hospital

28 Oki Drive NW Calgary T3B 6A8

Phone: 403-955-2914

Caroline Turner

<https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/findhealth/Service.aspx?id=1063661&serviceAtFacilityID=1098871#contentStart>

Referrals accepted for children and adults of all ages with complex AAC needs from within the Calgary region, surrounding areas, and communities north through the Central Zone. Service includes: 1) clinician to clinician consultation, 2) assessment and recommendations for AAC tools and strategies, 3) assessment and recommendations for alternate access. Referrals may be redirected to another SGCD Service Centre if services are available.

Calgary Board of Education

Support Services for Inclusive Learning (SSIL)

Highfield Centre, 3610-9 Street SE Calgary T2G 3C5,

Phone: 403-817-7799 Fax: 403-777-6997

Email: dmnunziato@cbe.ab.ca Diane Nunziato Tolley, Team Leader

www.cbe.ab.ca

CBE SSIL supports Augmentative and Alternative Communication for school-age children and youth with complex communication needs in the Calgary Board of Education.

Renfrew Educational Services

Assistive Technology (AT) Team

2050-21 Street NE Calgary T2E 6S5

Phone: 403-291-5038

Marie Dylke, AT Team Manager

<http://www.renfreweducation.org/>

ATteam@renfreweducation.org

Referrals accepted for all Renfrew students with complex communication needs, preschool and ECS to Grade 6. Referrals also accepted for preschool to Grade 12 students with complex communication needs in the Calgary Catholic School District schools, Rocky View Schools, Golden Hills School Division, Palliser School

Division, Canadian Rockies Public Schools, Christ the Redeemer Catholic Schools, and certain Calgary and area Independent Schools.

Rocky View School District

2651 Chinook Winds Drive Airdrie AB T4B 0B4

Phone: 403-835-5088 Fax: 403-945-4000

Leanne Love, Team contact person

www.rockyview.ab.ca

Referrals accepted from students of Rocky View Schools, Pre-K to Grade 12, who have complex communication needs. Referrals accepted from School Learning Support for Early Intervention and PUF students.

Providence Centre

5232 4 Street SW, Calgary, AB, T2V 0Z4

Raena Pridy, AAC Team Lead

www.providencechildren.com

Phone: 403-255-5577 ext. 223

Assessment and intervention services are provided for children with complex communication needs. The Centre provides AAC systems and mounting solutions to fit individual needs of students to support their ability to participate and learn in the classroom and community.

Referrals are accepted for preschool to kindergarten children, 2 years 8 months to 6 years old, who qualify for PUF funding.

Central Region

ACT Central Zone

Alberta Health Service Central Zone

Children's Rehabilitation Services, 4755-49 Street Red Deer T4N 1T6

Phone: 403-314-5270

Daryl Williams, ACT Coordinator

Referrals are accepted from Speech-Language Pathologists supporting families of children in the 0-18 population with complex communication needs. Assessment sites in Red Deer & Wetaskiwin Community Health Centres.

ACT Centre East

Alberta Health Services

Children's Rehabilitation Services, Suite 300, 5015-50 Avenue Camrose T4V 3P7

Phone: 780-608-8625

Jennifer Dellezay, Manager, Children's Rehabilitation Services

Referrals accepted for students ages 2-20 with complex communication needs. Assessment sites in Camrose, Viking, Kitscoty

Halvar Jonson Centre for Brain Injury

Alberta Health Services

Box 1000 Ponoka AB T4J 1R8

Caroline Fleck-Prediger, Senior Speech-Language Pathologist

Phone: 403-783-7815

Assessment and intensive treatment services provided for adult inpatients with moderate to severe brain injury or stroke and complex communication needs. Services are provided for patients accepted into the inpatient program, screened for rehabilitation candidacy.

Edmonton Region

I CAN Centre

Alberta Health Services, Glenrose Rehabilitation Hospital

10230-111 Avenue Edmonton T5G 0B7

Phone 780-735-6070 Fax 780-735-6072

Cynthia Pon, Coordinator

www.ahs.ca/icancentre

Referrals accepted for children and adults of all ages with complex AAC needs within Edmonton, surrounding areas, and Northern Alberta. Referrals may be redirected to another SGCD Service Centre if services are available.

Edmonton Public School Board

Specialized Learning Supports

Centre for Education, One Kingsway Edmonton T5H 4G9

Phone: 780-438-8450

Maureen Roszell, Supervisor

Email: aac@epsb.ca

<http://www.epsb.ca/>

Referrals accepted for all EPSB students with complex communication needs, K-Grade 12

Edmonton Catholic School Board

Genesis Early Learning Centre, 10537-44 Street Edmonton T6A 1W1

Phone: 780-638-6810

Krista Wennerstrom, Speech-Language Team Coordinator

<https://www.ecsd.net>

Referrals accepted for all ECSB students with AAC needs, K- Grade 12

Elk Island Public School Board

683 Wye Road Sherwood Park T8B 1N2

Phone: 780-417-8174

Tamara Baraniski, AT Team Lead

<http://www.eips.ca/>

Referrals accepted for all EIPS students with complex communication needs

Elk Island Catholic School Board

Low Incidence Team, 310 Broadview Road, Sherwood Park, AB, T8H 1A4

780-410-6257

<https://www.eics.ab.ca/programs/inclusive-learning-services/consulting-services>

Lorraine Court, Assistant Superintendent, Inclusive Learning Services

Keely Hamblin, SLP

Referrals to Low Incidence team accepted from EICS school staff for student with complex communication needs within the division.

From Play to Words

125-20 Westwind Drive, Spruce Grove, AB, T7X 0Y5

Jodi Sommers

780-571-0880

<https://fromplaytowords.com/>

Services for children with complex communication needs ages 18 months to 18 years in the area of Parkland County. Referrals accepted from families, Alberta Health Services, schools.

GRIT Edmonton

12852-141 Street Edmonton AB T5L 4N8
Phone 780-454-9910 Fax: 780-455-1806
Carmen Somers, Assistive Technology Lead
www.gritprogram.com

Referrals accepted for children 2 ½-6 years of age with developmental disabilities who receive PUF and attend GRIT's educational program.

Northern Region**Peace Collaborative Services**

Grande Prairie Public School Division
9361-116 Avenue Grande Prairie T8V 6L5
Phone: 780-539-0333
Cheryl Brown, Director

Referrals accepted for students aged 0-20 years within school jurisdictions including Peace Wapiti, Grande Prairie Public, Northern Gateway, Northern Lights, Peace River 10, Holy Family and Northland.