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Address  
Client  
Number/BRN

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## Eligibility Criteria for Waterloo Wellington Adult Day Programs

**Integrated and Alzheimer Specific Adult Day Program** - supervised programming in a group setting for frail elderly, adults at risk, adults with disabilities and adults with cognitive impairments or dementias (determined by eligibility criteria) manageable in Day Program setting.

**Client is considered eligible for Integrated or Alzheimer Specific Programs if they are:** Please check if applicable

- Not able to independently attend other social and recreational programs offered in the community

**And have one or more of the following:** Please check ones that are applicable

- Age related dependency or frailty.
  - Is living with a physical impairment, chronic or degenerative condition.
  - Has a cognitive impairment (mild to moderate cognitive impairment: Integrated Programs, Moderate to severe cognitive impairment: Alzheimer Specific Program).
  - Is experiencing depression, loneliness or social isolation.
  - Requires assistance and encouragement to remain independent and socially connected.
  - Lives with a caregiver or family member who desires and needs some time away from their care giving role.
- And**
- Will benefit from social interaction and stimulation in a supportive setting
  - Is within geographic boundaries, if requiring transportation to program.
  - Is socially appropriate and will activate within group setting (Integrated Programs).
  - Is willing and desires to attend an adult day program (Integrated Programs).

### **Alzheimer Specific Program Eligibility:**

Further criteria needed to determine eligibility for an Alzheimer Specific Program include:

Please check if applicable

- Client has a moderate to later stage of cognitive impairment

And may have one or more of the following: Please check if applicable

- Exit seeking behaviour/Elopement risk
- Higher physical needs, including incontinence
- Behavioural management without putting other clients and staff at risk

**Age Requirement:** Please check if applicable

- Older adult or adults with disabilities as defined by the Ontario disabilities act.

**Residency Requirement:** Please check if applicable

- Does not reside in a Long Term Care Facility.

**Please note: contact agency directly to verify eligibility for urgent cases or specific scenarios not mentioned above**

Name/Title (print) \_\_\_\_\_ Team/Program \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX -1

### Criteria to determine Expedited cases

1. ADP essential for hospital discharge (ADP/hospital/CCAC case conference to occur prior to hospital discharge) or to prevent a medically unnecessary Emergency Department visit/hospital admission
2. Caregiver burnout and the caregiver requires urgent caregiver relief to continue in his/her caregiving activities
3. Caregiver financially needs to return to work, client cannot be left at home alone and no other supports available
4. Caregiver is suddenly unable to care for client due to short term illness, injury, hospitalization or death, and ADP is part of a larger plan to support client/caregiver during this period of time.
5. Client is eligible and interested in attending an ADP that has availability (no wait list)
6. Client discharged from ADP due to hospital on hold greater than 14 days or vacation greater than 30 days and is eligible and wants to return to attending the same ADP.