

COMMUNITY HEALTH NAVIGATOR

What does a Community Health Navigator (CHN) do?

A Community Health Navigator (CHN) helps adults who have more than one long-term health problem. They work with you for a short time to help you find support, learn new things, and make a plan that works for you. A CHN can also help you find programs or services in your community. They are part of your health care team and want to help you live your best life.

What can I expect at an appointment?

Appointments can happen:

- In person at the Edmonton West Primary Care Network Central Office
- · By phone or secure video
- In your home or community

The length of the appointment depends on what you need.

At your appointment, the CHN may:

- Talk with you about your health and what you need help with
- Help you set goals and make a plan that works for you
- Share ideas to help you reach your goals
- Help you find other people or services that can support you
- Check in to see how things are going

How do I get an appointment?

Someone from your health care team, like your doctor or nurse, needs to send a referral. After that, we'll contact you to book your visit.

These services are free and covered by Alberta Health Care.

Note: CHNs do not diagnose illness or provide medical treatment.

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