What is M.S.S.I?

Macdonald Services to

Seniors is a non-profit, charitable organization. The purpose of M.S.S.I. is to provide support services for seniors so they can remain in their own homes longer.

M.S.S.I. relies on government grants, fundraising, and charitable donations to continue its operations. Charitable tax receipts will be issued for donations of \$20.00 or more.

Volunteers and Service Providers

M.S.S.I. relies on the help of volunteers and service providers to implement many of the services offered to the seniors of the R.M. of Macdonald.

Here are some of the ways that you can help: -perform light or heavy housekeeping -provide transportation to various locations -perform minor home repairs -be a friendly visitor -help with yard maintenance -pick up mail or groceries

Please call the Coordinator if you are interested in becoming a volunteer or service provider.



Helping Seniors to remain in their own homes longer!

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Services

What does M.S.S.I. offer?

M.S.S.I. is a service to all R.M. of Macdonald residents, 60 years and older.

We can help with:

- Transportation
- Home and yard maintenance
- Housekeeping
- Foot care
- Medical equipment rentals
- Filling out forms
- Victoria Lifeline
- Accessing information
- Emergency Response Information Kits (ERIK)

Transportation

The transportation program provides clients with transportation to appointments. The client is responsible for paying the service provider an agreed fee to cover the costs of fuel and use of vehicle. It is also the client's responsibility to pay for parking fees, if any.

Clients are asked to contact the Coordinator well in advance to give adequate time to arrange for a driver.

Medical Equipment Loans

The purpose of this service is to provide equipment to residents recovering in their own homes from an illness, injury, or surgery. The equipment can be loaned out for a maximum of three months. Please call to get a complete list of equipment.

Home Maintenance Program

This program is intended to help seniors with maintaining their homes. Services include general housecleaning, laundry, snow removal, lawn care, and handyman repairs.

Seniors are encouraged to call the coordinator for a list of service providers.

Seniors who request these services are responsible for paying the worker an agreed rate for the service provided.

For more information, please call,

Leanne Wilson, Resource Coordinator at 204-735-3052.

Any inquiries and services are kept strictly confidential.