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#### A & O: SUPPORT SERVICES FOR OLDER ADULTS

With roots that trace back to 1957, the focus of A & O: Support Services for Older Adults' operations is identifying and addressing many of the issues facing older adults. Hand in hand with older adults, and through partnerships with community groups, the Agency takes action to improve the quality of life for older adults in Manitoba through advocacy, education and service delivery.

A & O strives to involve older adults in decision-making. Their expertise is an important contribution to building a healthy community in which older adults play a vital role.

#### **MISSION**

To offer specialized programs and services that are accessible to older Manitobans and support and enhance their social, emotional, physical, intellectual and spiritual lives and promote active participation in all aspects of community life.

#### VISION

To develop and deliver innovative programs and services that improve the quality of later life.



A & O: Support Services for Older Adults 2019/2020 Annual Report

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#### **MESSAGE FROM BOARD CHAIR & CEO**

As a specialized service provider for older Manitobans, we are pleased to present this year's Annual Report, which highlights some of our accomplishments over the past year. We continue to build on our pillars of service, Safety & Security, Social Engagement and Counselling.

Over the last fiscal year, the agency focused on initiating its strategic planning process for the 2021 – 2024 fiscal years. Surveys were completed by key stakeholders including funders, the board of directors, staff, volunteers and community partners. When it is safe to meet in-person, Health in Common will facilitate the strategic planning sessions.

In an effort to increase donations to the agency, A & O participated in the Great Canadian Giving Challenge in June and the Give 65 online event that ran from July 9th - 11th. The agency continues to focus on increasing its social media presence by ensuring our website and Facebook page are current.

#### **Special Events / Program Initiatives**

Many innovative initiatives, both ongoing and new were undertaken in the 2019 - 2020 fiscal year. May 2019 saw the ever-successful 55+ Housing & Active Lifestyles Expo with 100 exhibitors and 1,500 attendees!

In its 12th year in Winnipeg, Home Instead Senior Care's Be a Santa to a Senior program delivered over 5,926 gifts to Winnipeg's socially isolated older adults. A & O delivered 1,660 gifts to participants living in the community.

In September, A & O, The University of Manitoba, Manitoba Association of Senior Centres, Transportation Options for Seniors and Active Aging in Manitoba's application to the New Horizons for Seniors Program: Pan Canadian Stream was approved. The funding received from the Government of Canada's New Horizons for Seniors Program supports a five-year collective impact initiative titled the Older Winnipeggers Social Engagement Project (OWSEP). The overarching goal of this project is to improve the social inclusion of vulnerable older Winnipeggers 55+.

#### **Staff Training**

In February, the agency held a professional development opportunity led by the United Way Winnipeg, titled "Living on the Edge: Taking a Look at Poverty". This training was a unique, interactive group experience that provided a glimpse of what it might be like for Winnipeg families and older adults struggling with poverty.

As the 2019 - 2020 fiscal year drew to a close, the agency needed to work differently in an effort to maintain program and service delivery for older Manitobans during the COVID-19 pandemic. On March 16, A & O implemented phase one of its service continuity plan where all staff worked a modified workweek, fifty percent of staff worked on site and the other half worked remotely. This gave the agency the opportunity to test out the operational and administrative processes that required implementation to support our work remotely. Phase one allowed the agency to prepare for a complete closure of its physical office space that came into effect on March 23. Despite this uncertain and challenging time, the agency and its dedicated staff, volunteers and board of directors have been there to ensure that older Manitobans continue to receive the supports they require to age well. This has and will always be a priority, before, during and after the COVID-19 pandemic.

Thank you to our dedicated, resilient staff, board members, volunteers, funders and clients that continue to support older Manitobans during the time of COVID-19 and beyond.

Sincerely,



Vernon De Pape

Chair, Board of Directors



Amanda Macrae Chief Executive Officer

## **OUR THREE PILLARS**

Our pillars were selected to identify the most important issues and areas of opportunity affecting older adults. Through offering these innovative programs and services, A & O is able to continue to assist older Manitobans to live well.



### **SAFETY & SECURITY**

#### **ELDER ABUSE PREVENTION SERVICES**

The agency provides direct Elder Abuse prevention services and receives referrals for the following: consulting around Elder Abuse issues, one-on-one support and counselling, Safe Suite Program referrals, communication support group for older parents / grandparents, assistance with Protection Orders and more

A & O's Registered Social Workers provide assistance that includes direct and indirect client contact, workshops, committees and other related activities.

assisted ,180 hours spent for elder abuse related work

clients

A & O is a co-chair for the Winnipeg Elder Abuse Strategy and a co-chair for the World Elder Abuse Awareness Day Committee.



#### NORTHERN REGION ELDER ABUSE PRESENTATIONS

Two A & O Social Workers provided a series of presentations in the Northern RHA region (September 29 – October 3, 2019). These communities included: The Pas, Flin Flon, Snow Lake and Thompson. The presentations focused on the Prevention of Elder Abuse, informing community members about how to identify situations of abuse, how to respond, resources available, case studies, and how to increase the capacity for communities to respond.

### **SAFETY & SECURITY**

#### THIS FULL HOUSE



This Full House assists older Winnipeggers living with Hoarding Disorder. Agency Social Workers provide support, counselling, advocacy, access to cleaning and long-term maintenance and follow-up. As a result of the program, clients are able to receive in home services which had previously refused to provide assistance. Clients also become engaged in their community and social networks.

new referrals service hours provided worked with an average of past clients

/ month

163

The program delivered two Buried in Treasures support groups this past year, with 11 participants in attendance. Buried in Treasures is a 15-session group aimed at providing education, support, and realistic strategies for older adults 55+ who struggle with clutter in their homes. In addition, the agency continues to offer the Unburied from Treasures group, which is offered on a monthly basis to clients who have completed the Buried in Treasures group. Over 60 clients are invited each month, with an average of 18 clients attending per month.

"This was an incredible experience. Very eye-opening emotionally, difficult sometimes. But expertly led." - Unburied from Treasures participant

#### SAFETYAID: FALLS PREVENTION FOR OLDER MANITOBANS

SafetyAid provides older adults with falls prevention audits of their home and property. Older adults are able to receive safety and falls prevention supplies installed at no cost.

SafetyAid supplies:

- non-slip bath mats
- nightlights

ice melt

- flashlights

- ice-grip tips for canes

"It is an excellent program – well informed! Keep up the good work!" - SafetyAid client

"Program is amazing – the coordinator was so helpful. More people should be using it! It gave me peace of mind."

- SafetyAid client

falls prevention audits

> individuals received fall prevention supplies

### <u>2,</u>1

older adults were reached

- 18 presentations
- 5 booths

### **SAFETY & SECURITY**

#### **OLDER VICTIM SERVICES**

This program assists older Winnipeggers that have been the victim of a crime. In 2019-2020, program staff worked with 379 cases that were referred by the Winnipeg Police Victim Services Section and Manitoba Justice Victim



Services. Registered Social Workers and trained volunteers provide practical support to clients while they navigate the justice system. Program staff assist clients by providing court updates, assistance in applying for compensation, preparation of Victim Impact Statements and court accompaniment.

379 cases handled

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#### SAFE SUITE PROGRAM



This year, the Safe Suite program worked with 59 older adults needing to leave abusive living situations. Individuals and couples, 55 years of age and older, regardless of gender, work with Registered Social Workers on safety planning, counselling and obtaining orders of protection. Five clients entered

a Safe Suite in 2019 - 2020. Clients receive assistance with legal, financial and housing options and long-term follow up from their Social Workers. The Fort Garry Seniors Resource Council provided a Welcome Basket to every client entering a suite.

### SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT

#### **CONNECT PROGRAM**

This past year, the Connect Program worked with 369 socially isolated older adults. Registered Social Workers connect clients to resources that facilitate meaningful social connections. Over 90 clients are matched with volunteer visitors for regular visits in the community. Some clients prefer receiving regular phone calls through the Phone-a-Friend Program.

**193** new referrals

**8,900** 

hours of visits and

phone calls to clients

170 volunteers

### SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT

#### SENIOR IMMIGRANT SETTLEMENT SERVICES (SISS)

Senior Immigrant Settlement Services (SISS) offers integrated settlement programming and support to older adult immigrants in Winnipeg. In the past year, the program had the pleasure to help over 250 clients with their settlement needs. They came from countries all over the world, to build new lives in Canada.





On June 20, 2019, SISS celebrated World Refugee Day in Central Park. Along side several other settlement service providers and community organizations, we joined together to honour refugees and celebrated their contributions to our community. SISS clients were part of a human library, where they shared their personal stories of rebuilding their lives in peace and safety.

This past year, SISS partnered with Tech Manitoba to offer free digital literacy classes to our clients. It was an excellent opportunity for 25 of our clients to learn basic computer skills in a hands-on environment.





Once again, thanks to the Winnipeg Folk Festival Guest For A Day program, SISS clients were able to enjoy a beautiful day of music and friendship in Bird's Hill Provincial Park.

Many thanks to our major funder, **Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada**, as well as many community partners who provided space in kind and/or their time and expertise to make this program possible!

### SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT

#### SETTLEMENT ORIENTATION FOR SENIORS (SOS)

Our Settlement Orientation for Seniors continued throughout the year. Staff delivered 116 sessions, where participants learned about important settlement topics such as laws, health, safety, housing,



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transportation, banking and community information. The classes help newcomer seniors adjust to their new life in Canada and build the confidence needed to participate actively in community life.

#### ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAM FOR SENIORS (ELP)



Our English Language Program for Seniors offered language classes at two locations in Winnipeg. Eighty-five students attended the classes. The ELP program helps students develop English language skills and build new friendships with other newcomer seniors in their community.

#### ENGLISH CONVERSATION CLASSES (ECC)

Thanks to our wonderful team of volunteer facilitators, we were able to deliver 366 ECCs throughout Winnipeg. The ECCs were an opportunity for our participants to improve their English language skills in an informal setting, learn more about settling in Winnipeg and reinforce the information they received in the group orientation. Additionally, participants develop meaningful relationships with other older adult newcomers and members of their new communities.

Thanks to a grant from Healthy Together Now Downtown we were able to deliver walking conversation classes in the downtown area.

#### SETTLEMENT WORKER

The SISS Settlement Worker (SW) provided settlement assistance to our clients in order to help them integrate into the community. They performed a wide variety of tasks, including conducting formal and informal needs assessments, home visits, office visits and accompanying clients to appointments and meetings as required. They also supported clients in navigating systems and facilitating access to community resources, programs and services. Group presentations were organized in response to the needs of the clients on the topics of housing, safety, finances, taxes and transportation.

#### VOLUNTEERS

This past year SISS had the pleasure of working with 39 outstanding volunteers, who contributed more than 1600 volunteer hours as English conversation class facilitators, and assistants in our language classes and settlement orientation. Many of these volunteers are former participants who want to give back and have a positive impact on their community. We deeply appreciate their dedication and are inspired by their generosity.



### SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT

#### SENIOR CENTRE WITHOUT WALLS (SCWW)



This program is the first of its kind in Canada and offers a unique opportunity for socially isolated older Manitobans, 55+, to join interactive and educational programs from the comfort of their own homes.

The participants contribute to program planning through regular meetings. Popular sessions offered include Art Therapy, Music Therapy, mental wellness presentations from the Manitoba Psychological Society, book clubs and support groups.

Thank you to our 2019-2020 Celebrity Bingo hosts:

- 94.3 The Drive
- CBC Radio 89.3 FM/990 AM
- CJNU FM Nostalgia Radio
- Global News
- Virgin Radio 103.1- The Ace Burpee Show

"Thanks for a very interesting morning show. I really enjoyed the format, the questions, and all the varied and wonderful answers from our participants. It was great to learn more about them and their experiences."

- Senior Centre Without Walls volunteer/participant

7,146

calls received

sessions

15

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### MAKING AND KEEPING IMPORTANT CONNECTIONS WORKSHOPS

The Making and Keeping Important Connections workshops enrich social skills, heighten positive self-esteem and generate affirmative relations. A seven week in-person group was held from September to December 2019, and was the result of a combined effort from A & O and several community partners in the St. James/Assiniboia area.

provided

### <u>COUNSELLING</u>

#### **COUNSELLING / INTAKE**

The agency's counselling services provides both individual and group counselling to individuals 55 and older. Focus areas included bereavement, loneliness, depression, family conflict among others.

#### HOUSING PROGRAM

The Housing Program's personalized consultations provide housing information and tips on how to navigate the Winnipeg housing market. Clients are educated about the different levels of housing available, including Independent Living, Assisted Living, Supportive Housing and Personal Care Homes. The program also provided presentations on housing options to community groups.

The Winnipeg Housing Directory for Older Adults is a comprehensive guide of housing options including, rental and utility costs as well as building security and amenities. The guide is available on our website or for purchase at A & O.

## FUNDRAISING

#### **PHILANTHROPY PIECE - THE OWL**

We are proud to continue our partnership with Hilary Druxman to promote the agency's Philanthropy Piece. This stylized piece was created in support of A & O's Elder Abuse Prevention Services. A portion of the sales of this necklace are used to support the agency's Elder Abuse Prevention Services. Since the creation of the philanthropy piece in 2012, the Agency has raised nearly \$8,200.

## PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS

#### **CAREGIVING WITH CONFIDENCE**

This past year, the Caregiving with Confidence program had over 2,900 contacts with clients, services providers and family members. The program provided over 1,500 volunteer rides, and program volunteers provided over 2,360 hours of support to clients. In addition, over 20 support groups were provided to caregiver's who are providing support to their loved ones.



1,475

consultations

worked with an

average of

past clients

/month





247

## PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS

#### **BE A SANTA TO A SENIOR**

"This is so thoughtful. I haven't received a gift since my wife passed away 10 years ago." - Be a Santa to a Senior participant

The Be a Santa to a Senior program delivered 5,926 gifts to socially isolated and/or in-need older adults last December. A & O collected and delivered 1,660 of those gifts to our isolated and in need clients and individuals referred by our community partners. Be a Santa to a Senior is an initiative of Home Instead Senior Care and A & O has been a proud community partner of the program since it began in Winnipeg in 2007.

Over 40 volunteers delivered gifts, including many volunteers through A & O's Connect Program. Some volunteers and their children dressed up as elves, sang Christmas carols and brought homemade baking to program participants.



delivered

Volunteer deliverers Brody and Randy from QX104 with Be a Santa to a Senior participant, Judith.

"We had a lot of fun with it and one person even sang along with us! ...It has been a great experience for our family." - Christina, Volunteer gift deliverer

#### **INCOME TAX CLINICS**

The Agency partnered with the Chartered Professional Accountants of Manitoba and community organizations to provide an income tax return program for older adults. Through this invaluable service, lower income older adults have the opportunity to have their tax returns completed by a professional accountant at no cost.

Unfortunately, the COVID-19 pandemic meant that the Agency had to cancel three of its four scheduled clinics. Sixteen accountants volunteered a total of 48 hours to complete returns for 61 older adults. We would like to thank the accountants from Deloitte LLP and MNP LLP for generously donating their time during the busy tax season.

#### **LEGAL SERVICES**

BONI SINGBEIL STIENSTRA LLP

Lawyers & Notaries



Boni Singbeil Stienstra LLP provides legal services on-site at A & O to older adults 55 years of age and older. They provide legal services on matters such as wills, powers of attorney and health care directives. Boni Singbeil Stienstra LLP are on-site



every Wednesday and Thursday from 1:00 - 4:00 pm. These services are in high demand therefore, clients are encouraged to make appointments ahead of time and allow approximately one month for the processing of all documents.

The Agency would like to thank Myers LLP for their previous partnership with A & O, and for serving our clients over the past three years.

## **OTHER PROGRAMS & SERVICES**

#### **VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS**

Many of A & O's programs could not run without the support of our dedicated volunteers. They have donated their time and expertise in the following areas:

- Senior Immigrant Settlement Services
- This Full House
- Connect Program
- Older Victim Services
- Senior Centre Without Walls
- Board of Directors

In addition, episodic volunteer opportunities were available for the following projects:

- Be a Santa to a Senior program
- 55+ Housing & Active Lifestyles Expo
- Income Tax Clinics



363 volunteers



#### GIVING BACK WITH THE UNITED WAY EMPLOYEE CAMPAIGN



Thanks to the support of staff, volunteers and visitors the agency's United Way Committee had another successful campaign year. A & O: Support Services for Older Adults raised \$1,790 in donations over the last year. This money was raised through fundraising events, payroll deductions/employee pledges, as well as "one-time" donations.



#### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

A & O provides educational presentations to community groups seeking information on various aspects of aging. 1,570 individuals attended 64 presentations in 2019-20. In addition, the agency provided information to over 2,187 individuals through 16 outreach opportunities that included health and wellness fairs.



# 12TH ANNUAL HOUSING & ACTIVE LIFESTYLES EXPO



The 55+ Housing & Active Lifestyles Expo was held on May 29, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Victoria Inn Hotel & Convention Centre. The expo was very successful with 100 exhibitors and 1,500 attendees. This year's expo provided expanded venue space, informative presentations, and two intergenerational fashion shows.

The main stage featured presentations that included: Medications and Fall Prevention offered by the Exchange District Pharmacy; Camelot Introductions with "Can you believe Grandma's dating? Do's and don'ts about dating in today's world"; RBC with Financial Flexibility; Becoming Engaged and Empowered in Your Healthcare Journey by Integrity Healthcare Consultants; The Life Lease Concept and Advantages by Shelter Canadian Properties Ltd.

Fashion Show Partners:

- Canadian Footwear
- D'ella Formal Children's Wear
- Edward Carriere Salon & Esthetics
- Moores Clothing For Men
- Panache Management

"I was amazed at how much the Expo has grown from years ago. I wanted you to know how impressed I was with the Expo and how exciting the Expo has become" - Event guest

> "Best show out there!" - Event Exhibitor

### THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

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Special Thanks to our Emcees, Beau & Dilworth from 99.9 BOB FM!

## **SPECIAL EVENTS**

#### NEW HORIZONS FOR SENIORS PROGRAM: PAN CANADIAN STREAM

A & O, University of Manitoba (U of M), Manitoba Association of Senior Centres (MASC), Transportation Options for Seniors (TONS) and Active Aging in Manitoba's (AAIM) application was approved in September 2019. The funding received from the Government of Canada's New Horizons for Seniors Program will support



a five (5) year collective impact initiative titled the Older Winnipeggers Social Engagement Project (OWSEP). The overarching goal of this project is to improve the social inclusion of vulnerable older Winnipeggers 55+. The projects objectives include the following:

- Enhance opportunities for social inclusion among older Winnipeggers
- Reduce barriers to accessing transportation by increasing affordable transportation options
- · Develop community capacity to identify and engage socially excluded older adults
- Increase the communication and coordination of services between organizations



The agency's AGM was held on Tuesday, June 18, 2019 at 1:30 pm at the Qualico Family Centre, Assiniboine Park, 330 Assiniboine Park Drive. The first half of the AGM was comprised of welcoming remarks, greetings and volunteer, board and staff recognition awards. The business portion of the meeting followed the refreshment break.

## **SPECIAL EVENTS**

#### STAFF DEVELOPMENT

#### LIVING ON THE EDGE TAKING A LOOK AT POVERTY

an interactive poverty simulation activity

In February, the agency held a professional development opportunity for A & O staff and community partners at the Radisson Hotel. United Way Winnipeg's Living on the Edge: Taking a Look

at Poverty is a unique, interactive group experience. It provides a glimpse of what it might be like for Winnipeg families struggling with poverty.

Participants take on a role within a family or as an individual that is living on a low income. The three-hour simulation covers four short "weeks" during which families and individuals perform daily tasks such as accessing social services and transportation, finding work, paying bills, buying groceries, cashing cheques, and more.

Participants said that this experience made them more conscious of the barriers and challenges that the clients they work with face. Thank you to A & O board members, Rick Walker and Rafiq Punjani for volunteering your time to participate in this event!

## A & O STAFF



## AGENCY STAFF LIST - 2019/2020

Anita Adams Mary Bana Patti Bérubé Serena Bittner Cindy Burkett Silvia Del Vecchio Kelsie Dueck Maria Franco Dene Guillas Monica Grocholski Victoria Hampton Jenna Harding Maureen Keelan Jamie Kinaschuk Amanda Macrae Lorena Martinez Trina McFadyen Tara McLeod Stacey Miller Katherine Nelson Julie Nybakken Sara Parsons Tiffaney Pass Michelle Ranville Lydia Robertson Janice Sawers Joan Stephens Kelsey Streber Anita Suen Silvia Visintin Sofiya Volosozhar Shanshan Wang Ianthe Warner Maria Wasylkewycz Madison Wilford Liane Zayco

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Missing: N. Bello, M. Bertrand, M. Ferguson, Dr. L. Koz, Dr. P. St. John

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Canadian Foodgrains Bank

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Children's Museum

Credit Union Central of Manitoba

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**Diabetes Canada** 

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Downtown Winnipeg Biz

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Manitoba Association of Newcomer Serving Organizations

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Manitoba Lung Association

Manitoba Psychological Society

Manitoba Start

Maples Day Care Amber Trails

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MNP LLP

New Journey Housing

Peak of the Market

Prairie Ceilidh Radio Show - CKJS Radio 810

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Right at Home Senior Care

Riverview-Ashland Childcare Centre

Senior Center Without Walls (CA)

Senior Center Without Walls (Kenosha, WI)

Seniors' Centre Without Walls (Edmonton)

Seniors' Centre Without Walls (Ottawa)

Senior Scope

Sobeys Inc. (2850 Pembina Highway)

St. James Assiniboia 55+ Centre

St. Mary's Road United Church

Starbucks Coffee

Transplant Manitoba

Transportation Options Network for Seniors

Victoria Lifeline

Volunteer Manitoba

University of Winnipeg

West End Biz

Wellnessnews Choices for Healthy Living®

Winnipeg Businesses Supporting Seniors

Winnipeg Chinese Cultural & Community Centre

Winnipeg's Classic 107

Winnipeg English Language Assessment and Referral Centre (WELARC)

Winnipeg Fire Paramedic Services (WFPS)

Winnipeg Folk Festival

Winnipeg Goldeyes Baseball Club

Winnipeg Police Museum

Winnipeg School Division

Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra

Winnipeg Transit

Workers Compensation Board

WRHA Healthy Aging Resource Team

WRHA Operations Emergency & Continuity Management Program

WRHA Senior Resource Finders

## **SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**



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#### Report of the Independent Auditor on Summary Financial Statements

To the Board of Directors of A & O: Support Services for Older Adults Inc.

#### Opinion

The summary financial statements, which comprise the summary statement of financial position as at March 31, 2020 and the summary statement of operations, and summary schedule of expenses for the year then ended, and related note, are derived from the audited financial statements of A & O: Support Services for Older Adults Inc. for the year ended March 31, 2020.

In our opinion, the accompanying summary financial statements are a fair summary of the audited financial statements, on the basis described in the note to the summary financial statements.

#### **Summary Financial Statements**

The summary financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required by Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. Reading the summary financial statements and the auditor's report thereon, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the audited financial statements and the auditor's report thereon.

#### The Audited Financial Statements and Our Report Thereon

We expressed an unmodified audit opinion on the audited financial statements in our report dated June 3, 2020.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Summary Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of a summary of the audited financial statements in accordance with the note to the summary financial statements.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on whether the summary financial statements are a fair summary of the audited financial statements based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with Canadian Auditing Standard (CAS) 810, 'Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements'.

BDO Canada LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants

Winnipeg, Manitoba June 3, 2020

A & O: SUPPORT SERVICES FOR OLDER ADULTS INC.
Summary Statement of Financial Position

As at March 31		2020	 2019
Assets			
Current Assets Cash and bank Investments Grants and accounts receivable Prepaid expenses	\$	475,489 320,874 42,402 30,197	\$ 335,902 312,802 25,690 43,208
		868,962	717,602
Restricted cash and bank		133,820	133,820
Capital assets	_	-	_
	\$	1,002,782	\$ 851,422
Liabilities and Net Assets Current Liabilities Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Deferred contributions	\$	228,435 259,719	\$ 229,545 108,250
	_	488,154	337,795
Net Assets Internally restricted Unrestricted	_	133,820 380,808	133,820 379,807
	\$	514,628 1,002,782	\$ 513,627 851,422

The accompanying note is an integral part of these summary financial statements.

#### A & O: SUPPORT SERVICES FOR OLDER ADULTS INC. Summary Statement of Operations

For the year ended March 31		2020	2019
Revenue			
Grants			
City of Winnipeg			
Community Services	\$	80,100	\$ 80,300
Police Service		20,250	20,250
Government of Canada			·
Canada Summer Jobs		3,465	2,985
Employment and Social Development Canada		253,269	, -
Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada		292,988	291,710
Justice Canada		5,015	4,981
In Memory of Peter D. Curry		4,387	17,613
Other grants		38,046	12,728
Province of Manitoba		,	,
Health, Seniors and Active Living		228,853	266,409
Justice		25,000	25,000
The Winnipeg Foundation		23,332	6,570
United Way		429,996	425,728
Winnipeg Regional Health Authority		619,364	624,834
Other Revenue		,	0,00 .
Donations		29,771	19,156
Endowment Funds distributions		35,872	34,520
Fundraising and other revenue		22,411	28,774
Housing Directory		854	1,250
Investment revenue			.,
Realized		12,959	12.751
Unrealized gain (loss)		2,073	6,301
Legal services		12,872	11,200
Sponsorship, exhibitor and registration fees		25,626	25,400
	_	2,166,503	1,918,460
		2 465 502	1 020 495
Expenses (see schedule)		2,165,502	1,920,485
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses for the year	\$	1,001	\$ (2,025)

The accompanying note is an integral part of these summary financial statements.

For the year ended March 31	2020		2019
Bank charges	\$  1,696	·	1,832
Contract services	171,690		8,583
Equipment leases	4,969		12,395
Equipment purchases	27,213		7,236
Fundraising	-		1,544
Insurance	13,813		13,755
Maintenance and supplies	35,935		34,543
Meetings	4,717		5,150
Office	44,293		35,625
Postage and courier Professional development Professional fees Program supplies	44,293 8,296 22,728 31,356 79,702		8,723 20,650 23,008 79,182
Public relations and promotion	7,198		5,139
Rent	87,762		101,712
Salaries and benefits	1,537,160		1,474,217
Telephone and cable	38,489		44,629
Travel	37,897		36,674
Volunteer recognition and training	10,588		5,888
	\$ 2,165,502		1,920,485

#### A & O: SUPPORT SERVICES FOR OLDER ADULTS INC. Summary Schedule of Expenses

#### Note to the Summary Financial Statements

The summary presented includes only the summary statement of financial position, the summary statement of operations and the summary schedule of expenses. It does not include the statement of cash flows, the notes to financial statements and the statement of changes in net assets. The summary statement of financial position, summary statement of operations and summary schedule of expenses are reproduced in as much details as the audited financial statements.

A copy of the audited financial statements is available at the office of A & O: Support Services for Older Adults Inc. upon request.

## **LONG-TERM SERVICE AWARDS 2020**

#### VOLUNTEERS

Connect Program 30 YEARS Lauren Marcq

**20 YEARS** Marilou Atienza Henry Remple

#### **10 YEARS** Georgina Leschyshyn

#### 5 YEARS

Olga Aksyutina Lisa Albanese-Baldwin Irvine Hildebrand Meagan Hoskins Kim Moujan Asha Miriam Reimer Maryam Shitta Manju Sukheja Adam Symchuk

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**5 YEARS** Vernon De Pape Laryssa Sawchuk

#### STAFF

**5 YEARS** Lorena Martinez Kelsey Streber Senior Immigrant Settlement Services 5 YEARS Cindy Burkett

**10 YEARS** Richard Castro

<u>Senior Centre without Walls</u> 5 YEARS Brenda Taylor

<u>This Full House</u> 5 YEARS Eun Keyong "Olivia" Do



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