## **SOCIAL CONNECTION AND HEALTH**

The COVID-19 outbreak is continuing to evolve globally and in Manitoba. This outbreak may cause significant changes in people's regular social activities.

# Maintaining various safe forms of social connection in the face of COVID-19 is important.

Things you can do:

- Check in regularly with your network via telephone, text, social media, skype, etc.
- Check in with people you know who live alone
- You can boost your social contact from home by taking part in <u>FREE</u> social activities offered to all Manitobans aged 55+ <u>via telephone</u> through Senior Centre Without Walls (see box)
- Keep up to date with evolving public health recommendations. MB Health: <u>www.gov.mb.ca/health/coronavirus/</u>



A & O: Support Services for Older Adults SENIOR CENTRE WITHOUT WALLS Telephone-Based Programs Download program guide here: www.aosupportservices.ca/ourthree-pillars/socialengagement/senior-centrewithout-walls/ OR call 204-956-6440 or Toll-free: 1-888-333-3121 to find out more and register



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### Senior Centre Without Walls (SCWW) Offering a NEW Weekly Hello Program!

Offering safe social connections in the face of COVID-19.

Please see the attached Weekly Hello program calendars.

What is a Weekly Hello? The Weekly Hello is a friendly check-in to see how participants are doing. Participants may be referred to agency Social Workers as required.

#### HOW TO CALL IN:

- Step 1 Call (204) 515-1147
- Step 2 When prompted enter access code 457 990 919

Long distance callers please email <u>mwilford@aosupportservices.ca</u> or call (204) 956-6440 to be called in.

#### **JULY 2020**

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	
29	30	1	2	3	
	Weekly Hello 3:15—3:30 PM				
6	7	8	9	10	
	Weekly Hello 3:15—3:30 PM				
13	14	15	16	17	
	Weekly Hello 3:15—3:30 PM				
20	21	22	23	24	
	Weekly Hello 3:15—3:30 PM				
27	28	29	30	31	
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