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Non-Government Organizations Programs for Seniors

Program Name	Community	Program Detail	Email	Phone Number
NWT Literacy Council Digital Skills for Seniors	- Yellowknife	This program is designed by the NWT Literacy Council to help seniors who are beginners at using technology. The class offers basic computer training including how to set up your computer and connecting Wi-Fi, using different web browsers, using smartphones and tablets to send emails, and other basic tasks. The digital skills for seniors class also offers detailed information on storing and saving documents and files, online banking, picture storage, typing, learning how to protect themselves from spam, and creating their email account and sending emails to connect with friends and families. For senior	Oyuka@nwtliteracy.ca nwtliteracy@nwtliteracy.ca	Telephone: 867-873-9262 Toll Free: 1-866-599-6758



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		immigrants, their class offers training in the use of Google Translate, a translation pen, in a maximum of ten weekly sessions.		
Alzheimer Society	All across the Northwest Territories and Alberta	This organization offers free programs and services for people living with dementia, their families and care partners. The staff in the Yellowknife office can provide information, education and support through individual meetings, presentations, and support groups. They are available to help people navigate the health system and direct them to the appropriate community services in his/her area. They offer free programs and services to people living with dementia, their families and care partners.	help@alzheimer.ab.ca	1-866-950-5465
Salvation Army	Yellowknife	The Salvation Army provides care and support services for seniors which include residential housing	info@salvationarmynwt.ca	867-766-2942



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		options, assisted living facilities, social engagement opportunities, and healthcare services specifically tailored for older adults. In addition, Salvation Army thrift stores offer discounts that range from 10% to 50% off the regular price.		867-920-4673 ext 121
Hay River Hospital Foundation	Hay River	The Hay River Hospital Foundation has several programs for seniors. These include the Hay River Seniors' Society which is open to all adults at the age of 50 and older in Hay River and surrounding areas. The Hospital also launched Humber's Elderly Assess and Restore Team to help frail, at-risk seniors transition successfully from hospital care back to their daily lives. Additionally, the Seniors Care Program.		867-874-8000



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Stanton Territorial Hospital Foundation	-Beaufort-Delta -Sahtu -Dehcho - Yellowknife -Fort Smith	The Stanton Territorial Hospital Foundation raises money to support patient care, equipment, and major capital needs at the Stanton Territorial Hospital. Proceeds from fundraising efforts, like raffles and 50/50, help fund equipment for the hospital, enhancing patient care.	STH_foundation@gov.nt.ca	867-767-9300 ext. 46825
Yellowknife Community Foundation	Yellowknife	The Yellowknife Community Foundation manages the Baker Community Centre and offers seniors programs which include meals, exercise classes and computer classes.	information@ykc.f.ca	867-446-4527
United Way Northwest Territories	Yellowknife	United Way Northwest Territories has a Seniors Program that provides funding to projects for elders and seniors in the Northwest Territories.		867-669-7986
Inuvik Food Bank	Inuvik	Inuvik Food Bank provides seniors benefits. All Inuvialuit beneficiaries at the ages of 60 and	inuvikfoodbank@yahoo.ca	867-777-5874



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		over will be issued a benefit payment of \$500 on December 1, 2024. Elders \$500 payments are available every December to all Inuvialuit beneficiaries over the age of 60.		
Habitat for Humanity	-Iqaluit -Dettah -Hay River -Yellowknife	Through their Aging in Place program Habitat helps older adults at home and in communities of their choice.		867-979-7810
Nunavut Food Bank	Nunavut	The Nunavut Food Bank Seniors Program provides food for low-income seniors in Nunavut.		867-979-4242
Northwest Territories Human Rights Commission	All over the NWT	The Northwest Territories Human Rights Commission provides information and resources for seniors and people with disabilities in the Territory including Income Assistance for Seniors and Persons with Disabilities, Old Age Security	info@nwthumanrights.ca	Phone Number: 867-669-5575 Toll-Free: 1-888-669-5575



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		pension, and Homelessness Emergency Funding.		
NWT Disabilities Council	Yellowknife	The NWT Disabilities Council has senior programs. These programs provide financial assistance to NWT seniors and people with disabilities to help meet their basic needs.	<u>admin@nwtdc.net</u>	Phone Number: 867-873- 8230 Toll-Free Number: 1- 800-491- 8885