

## Support provided through:

- Presentations and Education
- Home Visits
- Community Outreach Events & Activities



The programs focus is to increase supportive environments for HIV positive people and those at risk.

The Outreach Worker provides support for individuals in connecting to appropriate community supports and services such as:

Income Assistance  
Food Security  
Counselling Services  
Mental Health & Addiction  
Parental Education Assistance  
HIV/Hep C  
Dwelling Concerns



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**KAMSACK  
OUTREACH  
PROGRAM**

**306-542-3311**

The Kamsack Outreach Program is dedicated to working towards decreasing the stigma of HIV through community engagement and education.



Presentations and education regarding HIV as well as other topics are available upon request.

Common presentation topics include:

- HIV/AIDS
- Hepatitis C
- Sexually Transmitted Infections
- Safer Sex
- Healthy and Unhealthy Relationships



## HIV & AIDS in Saskatchewan

- Saskatchewan's HIV diagnosis rates have been significantly higher than Canada since 2006.
- Saskatchewan's HIV diagnosis rate was 2.4x higher than the national rate in 2015.
- Injection drug use (IDU) remains the most common reported primary risk factor.
- Those who identified as Aboriginal remained the most common group of newly diagnosed persons.
- About 9 in 10 of the newly diagnosed females were within the childbearing age (15-45 years).
- Males were more likely than females to be diagnosed with HIV.

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Referral Process:

- Self Referral
- Agency Referral

Call Kamsack Outreach at 542-3311 to discuss your referral.

A completed Kamsack Outreach Referral Form can be dropped off at our Kamsack office or faxed to 542-3130.



Our goals are:

- Increased Involvement in HIV Prevention
- Work collaboratively with the Sunrise Health Regions HIV Strategy Coordinator regarding identified client needs and those of the region.
- Enhance Community Engagement to address Community related factors