

Hospice Highlights

ASSISTLIST

Coming soon... AssistList... the ultimate buy and sell for home medical equipment.

AssistList is a non-profit organization in the lower mainland run completely by volunteers. Their mission is to support seniors and those with disabilities to find affordable home health equipment as well helping others who no longer need the equipment they own. Buying new equipment such as motorized scooters, electric beds, and stairlifts are awfully expensive and out of reach for some people. Alternatively, there may be people who have this equipment that they no longer need. AssistList is a website where buyers, sellers, and donators come together specifically to exchange used health equipment.

Terrace Hospice recently contacted their founder and President to see if we could work together to bring AssistList to Terrace. Their Board of Directors voted and came back with a resounding YES. Their software development team will be starting to work on this shortly. Currently their website only services the lower mainland. Their team will install a button in the top banner that will take visitors to the northwest area. Once it is up and running, this digital marketplace will make it easier for us to find what we need closer to home.

Check out their website at https://www.assistlist.ca/

And give them a LIKE on their facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/AssistList/

During the implementation stage and in order to promote this service we will be looking for a small team of volunteers to pull it all together. These volunteers will be gathering statistics, connecting with local healthcare providers, printing and distributing promo materials as well as applying for grants. This group would also be required to attend monthly virtual meetings with AssisList to assess progress. If this sounds like a fun project to you, give us a call. 250-635-4811

We acknowledge the financial support of the Province of British Columbia and Northern Health



