THE BRIDGES SOCIETY P.O. Box 6112 Hinton AB T7V1X5 (780) 865-4464



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## **2020-21 MEMBERSHIP - \$10.00**

Membership is open to all individuals or organizations who share our commitment to the goals of supporting those with mental health needs, and their family members, by promoting and advocating for support services and providing social outreach. Making meaningful connections in our community helps reduce the risk of mental illness as well as helping those who live with mental illness lead happier, healthier lives. Our vision is that BRIDGES upholds excellence in mental wellness for people in the Hinton community.

Your membership benefits include participation and voting at the BRIDGES Society Annual General Meeting, normally held in late May. You are also entitled to participate in all activities and programming available at BRIDGES. Our programming is free to all who wish to participate. (Some partner-agency programming may sometimes come with a drop-in fee, which is usually waived for BRIDGES members. Some programming requires registration to satisfy funding contract requirements.)

You will have the satisfaction of knowing that you are enriching your community by participating in it, reducing the stigma of mental illness and by helping those with mental health needs to participate more fully in society.

	YES! I want to renew or become a member of	of The BRIDGES Society.	
Name: _	Organization: (if applicable)		
Address	:		
Phone:	Email:		
Date:	Amount Paid:	Cash Cheque	

Please return form with payment to The BRIDGES Society, Attention: Janice Baxter, Office Manager. Donations are always welcome and greatly appreciated!

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## Confidentiality Agreement

During the course of participation with BRIDGES, members and others who use our services, you may acquire information that while voluntarily shared, is privileged information and should therefore be treated as such.

Respecting the privacy of our clients, donors, members, staff and volunteers and of the BRIDGES Society itself is a basic value. Personal and financial information is confidential and should not be disclosed or discussed with anyone without permission or appropriate authorization. This information must be kept confidential both during and after employment or volunteer service.

The underlying principle for maintaining confidentiality is that all personal and health information related to an identified individual must be treated as confidential. This follows provincial legislation (PIPA).

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Signature:Name (print)		

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