

Bartimaeus Staff

- Hold a university degree or college diploma
- Have a minimum of three years experience in the social services field
- Have excellent interpersonal skills
- Have current First Aid and CPR training
- Are covered by professional liability insurance
- Have the ongoing supervision of the Director/ Co-ordinator of Services
- Have undergone a criminal reference check

We match our staff knowledge, abilities and expertise with each individual's needs. Our staff work collaboratively with all health-care specialists, follow direction set by the interdisciplinary team, and offer support and consultation on an as-needed basis.

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Knowledge • Experience • Choice

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AVAILABILITY

Bartimaeus staff are available to provide support services 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Please call us
about your
unique situation

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All services are on a fee-for-service basis.

Senior Services

When Choice Matters

Support for seniors,
families and
health-care providers

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Bartimaeus Senior Services

Bartimaeus Senior Services has provided support to seniors with complex care needs, to their families and health-care providers for over 20 years.

We provide support to seniors:

- who have developed severe behavioural, social, emotional and/or psychiatric difficulties
- living with terminal illness
- isolated due to physical limitations
- during times of transition and change
- who require accompaniment to medical appointments
- and relief for care providers

Services are provided in the home or community and are offered independently or in conjunction with other public and private services. We develop strategies to make everyday living more manageable and productive.

When Choice Matters

All seniors have the right to professional, respectful, ethical and empathetic support at all times. It is our belief that a positive match between the care recipient and our Bartimaeus staff is vital for service effectiveness.

DIRECT CARE AND TREATMENT MODEL

1. Stabilize (1 to 3 weeks)

Senior's behaviour is difficult and overwhelming for family or care providers.

Bartimaeus Senior Services focuses on stabilizing behaviour.

2. Consolidate(3 to 12 weeks)

Senior's behaviour is stable, family and care providers plan for future care needs.

Bartimaeus Senior Services support the senior while planning takes place.

3. Plan and Support (ongoing)

Care plan is developed and implemented.

Bartimaeus Senior Services may or may not be involved.

1. Stabilize

Our services stabilize problem behaviours and address the social and emotional issues for seniors. Our individualized approach allows unique interventions to be put into place where possible.

- Reduces anxiety; stabilizes behaviour
- Reduces the utilization of chemical, environmental and physical restraints
- Reduces risks to oneself and others
- Respects and increases autonomy and avoids generalizations in care

2. Consolidate

Our services provide ongoing support after extreme behaviours have been reduced to give family/care providers time to develop a plan for ongoing care.

3. Planning and support

Our service provides information and support that allows the senior, their family and other care providers to implement plans for the senior's specific care needs.

RESPIRE CARE

Ongoing in-home support is provided for care providers so that they may attend to their own needs.

ADDITIONAL CARE

Our service is available for extended travel, appointments, social activities, shopping and other needs.

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