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Taking the Wheel: Transition Planning from Adolescence to Adulthood for Individuals with Disabilities

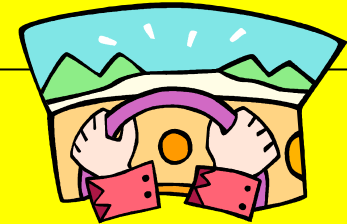
May 3 – 4, 2007

Fantasyland Hotel, Edmonton, Alberta

The process of transition to adulthood is both important and challenging for adolescents/young adults and their families. This becomes even more significant when a disability is present. Join us for an exciting and information-packed conference as keynote speakers **Norman Kunc** and **Emma Van der Klift** show us how young adults can prepare to take the wheel and how caregivers can prepare to take the back seat.

This two-day conference will feature guest speakers, including young adults who have successfully transitioned, as well as a number of panel discussions to address topics such as:

- Transition from pediatric to adult health care,
- How to be an advocate for the services you need,
- Provincial benefits after turning 18,
- Education and training options,
- Sexuality, and
- Leisure resources.



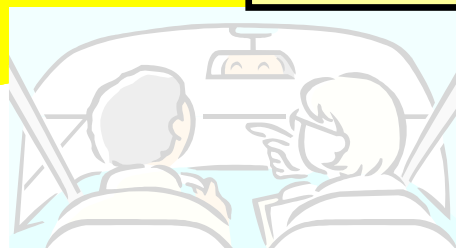
A highlight of the conference will be the Resource Fair featuring a number of agencies, both provincial and local, that are involved in helping young adults and caregivers during transition. These agencies provide a number of helpful resources and tools. They will also be available to talk to you on an individual basis.

This conference is designed for youths and their caregivers who are beginning, or are in the midst of transitioning. Service providers and health professionals involved in the transitioning process are also encouraged to attend.

***Come join us ~
Buckle up and enjoy the ride!***



For more information, or to be added to the mailing list for a full conference brochure:
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Call **(780) 735-7912** or toll-free **1-877-877-8714**



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