Philosophy of Care
In support of our Carewest Frame of Reference, our Philosophy of Care is:
To provide our residents and clients with quality care in safe, comfortable and supportive environments.

Innovative Health Care
Carewest is a leading-edge health care organization that provides long-term care, rehabilitation and recovery services and community programs for adults of all ages. As Calgary's largest care provider of its kind, Carewest operates 13 locations and several community services aimed at helping people live more independent lives.

The Calgary Health Trust
The Calgary Health Trust fundraises for excellence in health care and helps ensure the quality of life for those served by Carewest. To donate, please call 403-943-0615 or visit our website at www.calgaryhealthtrust.org

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Carewest
Day Programs

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Welcome
Carewest offers Day Programs for adults of all ages who are living in the community and have limitations affecting their ability to socialize and interact in community activities. The Adult Day Program at Carewest Colonel Belcher, the Dementia Day Program at Carewest Signal Pointe and the Younger Adult Day Program at Carewest Dr. Vernon Fanning are available to adults who may suffer from chronic illness or physical disabilities.

Goals
In a secured, friendly environment, the program strives to:

- Give clients a chance to engage in meaningful activities while providing respite to their caregivers;
- Inform clients and their families about health promotion to aid in daily decision-making about health issues;
- Monitor health status and refer clients to other health services when necessary;
- Foster social contact and friendships;
- Promote self-esteem, confidence and independence; and,
- Help clients connect with other appropriate community services.

Services Offered
The following services are provided:

- Caregiver respite, support and information
- Socialization and peer support
- Nutritious meals and snacks
- Recreational activities, events and outings
- Some personal care
- Physical exercise
- Cognitive stimulation
- Health status monitoring
- Monthly blood pressure and weight measurement

Meals
Lunch is provided as part of the service. Special dietary needs may be accommodated.

Access
This program is part of the Alberta Health Services (AHS) network of Adult Day services. Participants must meet the Day Program eligibility requirements.

The Day Program must be accessed through Home Care at 403-943-1920.

Costs
A nominal daily fee per visit includes lunch, snacks and supplies. The fee may be reduced or waived for certain clients who are eligible for AHS subsidies. Clients are responsible for the cost and arrangement of transportation. Onsite parking is available. Please see the front receptionist for details.

Information
For more information, please call:

Adult Day Program at Carewest Colonel Belcher
A holistic program in a safe environment for individuals over the age of 65 who are medically stable.
403-944-7852

Dementia Day Program at Carewest Signal Pointe
A program in a secure environment for individuals with dementia who have cognitive impairments, difficulties communicating, impaired judgement and require assistance.
403-240-7966

Younger Adult Day Program at Carewest Dr. Vernon Fanning
A program for adults under the age of 65 who have physical or cognitive impairments, difficulties with communication and require assistance.
403-230-6999