

# SUCCESS STORIES: PROGRESS AND IMPACTS



## SaskAbilities Dementia Friendly Life Enrichment Program

September 2021

- Providing services to 18 individuals that include persons living with dementia and their care partners
- Acting as referrals agents (i.e. sources of referrals) for care partners supporting them to navigate the system
- Building referrals with health care and home care
- Suggesting referrals to upcoming programs at the Godfrey Dean Art Gallery
- Working with the Alzheimer Society for more referrals
- Helping to connect persons living with dementia and their care partners to homecare in order to get settled before starting the Life Enrichment program
- Promoting and advertising the Life Enrichment program through local newspaper ads, rack cards, and posters
- Presenting the Life Enrichment program to 30 people at a senior drop-in center in **Canora**
- Planning to start group program engaging both persons living with dementia and their care partners with different activities in **Melville**
- Realizing the importance of self-care by care partners
- Happiness and satisfaction of care partners with the services provided by the Life Enrichment program
- Happiness and satisfaction of persons living with dementia with the services provided by the Life Enrichment program
- Trust built between Life Enrichment program facilitators and persons living with dementia and their care partners
- Presenting the project at the **Melville** City Council
- Intersection of collaborating organizations and Life Enrichment program: collaborating organizations see and feel the impact of Life Enrichment program services at personal, family, and community levels

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