Intercare
CORPORATE GROUP INC.

Whenever necessary or requested, the Care Centre's Social Worker can provide help and support to residents and/or their families with:

♥ Understanding **placement** and **admission processes** in Long Term Care (LTC).

♥ Coping with adjustments associated with **living in a LTC facility**.

♥ Facilitating conversations and resolution of **issues/concerns** between resident, family, staff, facility and/or other **communication barriers**, as may be appropriate.

♥ Coping with losses associated with **aging** and **disease processes** (e.g. dementia).

♥ Coping with the **dying process, preparing for approaching death** and **death**.

♥ Applying for **pensions** and **benefits**.

♥ Assisting with or making referrals for appropriate **financial assistance** (i.e. AISH, CPP, OAS, GIS, ASB, Income Support, Hardship Funding).

♥ Facilitating conversations about **Involuntary Separation of Income** and/or **Informal Trusteeship**

♥ Undertakings to **administer benefits** under the *Alberta Seniors Act; Old Age Security Act;* and/or the *Canada Pension Plan*

♥ Facilitating referrals **Personal Directive** (PD), **Enduring Power of Attorney** (EPA), **Guardianship** and/or **Trusteeship**.

♥ Facilitating **Guardianship** and/or **Trusteeship applications**.

♥ Initiating referrals to the **Office of the Public Guardian** (OPG) and/or the **Office of the Public Trustee** (OPT) whenever applicable.

♥ Facilitating assistance with **financial problems**, including neglect and/or abuse.

Intercare employees are not permitted to be involved with or witness any personal, legal or contractual documents for residents including, but not limited to: Personal Directives (PDs), Enduring Power of Attorneys (EPAs) and Wills.
It is the sole responsibility of the resident and/or guardian and/or responsible party to arrange legal counsel and public witnesses for the signing/witnessing of any legal documents.

If you have any questions or require further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact the Care Centre's **Social Worker** (Hilary Thomson) by calling 403-252-1194 ext.128; or via email at: hthomson@intercarecorpgroup.com