



Behavioural Supports

at Brock Community Health Centre



Behavioural Supports is a service initiated to enhance services for people living with expression of responsive behaviours.

Responsive behaviours are the means by which a person with dementia or other conditions may communicate an unmet need.



Mackenzie, our Geriatric Assessment Program and Behavioural Supports Ontario Registered Practical Nurse, will spend time getting to know the person expressing responsive behaviours on an individualized basis. Through completing a number of assessments she will try to determine a reasoning for these responsive behaviours and recommend and initiate trial of interventions.



Behavioural Supports is about trial and error – so if the first interventions are not effective – we will try something new. The overall goal is the promotion of person-focussed ways to manage behaviours, as well as develop and implement models of care that focus on quality of care and quality of life.