



## Building a better health system with the voice of our community

### Where we are

The Palliser Triangle Health Advisory Council area stretches from Oyen in the north to Bassano in the west, continuing eastward to the Saskatchewan border and southward to Bow Island and the United States border. Communities within the area include Bassano, Duchess, Oyen, Brooks, Redcliff, Medicine Hat, Bow Island, Desert Blume, and Foremost.



### Accomplishments

- Raised our profile through online Advisory Council meetings hosting presentations on topics which included community [lab services](#), [addiction and mental health resources](#), seniors health in the south zone, [Healthy Aging Alberta](#), [Quality Virtual Care – Anytime, Anywhere](#) and cancer care services provided by [Wellspring Alberta](#).
- Partnered with AHS to host an online community engagement session: A roundtable of Addiction and Mental Health resources in the south zone.
- Provided feedback to AHS on [South Zone Healthcare Planning](#), Oyen Big County Hospital engagement session, Influenza Immunization Campaign, Aging in Place – Engagement Session for Older Albertans and Caregivers/Partners

### Our role and objectives

Everything we do is about improving the health and wellness of Albertans, no matter what part of the province they live in. We:

- Are a group of volunteers focused on listening to your thoughts and ideas on health services to help AHS enhance care locally and province-wide.
- Develop partnerships between the province's diverse communities and AHS.
- Provide feedback about what is working well within the healthcare system and suggest areas for improvement.
- Promote opportunities for members of our local communities to get engaged.

### Join us - your voice matters

There are a number of opportunities to participate; visit [ahs.ca](https://ahs.ca) and search Health Advisory Councils for more info:

- Attend an [upcoming Council meeting](#) to hear feedback, offer comments, and ask questions.
- [Make a presentation](#) at our Council meeting on a health area of interest or concern to you.
- Bring your community's voice forward to provide input on local and regional health.
- Volunteer your time as a council member. Recruitment drives happen annually. Members are appointed for a three-year term.
- Share your feedback with Council: [PalliserTriangle@ahs.ca](mailto:PalliserTriangle@ahs.ca).



### Contact us

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### More information

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