



We are pleased to invite you and your team to become Christmas Angels this year as part of our **2024 Christmas Angels Program**. We need your help for the over 200 residents living in CapitalCare centres without family to make them feel special this Christmas.

What does a Christmas Angel do?

A Christmas Angel will adopt a resident to let them know someone is thinking of them with a gift this Christmas. Sign up as an individual or put a team of angels together. We will provide angels with a wish list for your adopted senior so you can be sure that you are giving them something they truly need. Personal touches like a card with Christmas wishes signed by you and your team is a great touch.

If you'd like to adopt more than one senior, please let us know. This is a thoughtful team building opportunity that staff can participate in by putting together a gift or contributing in a meaningful way.

Profiles & Wish Lists

Once you sign up for Christmas Angels, you'll have the opportunity to choose your own resident(s) to adopt. You will instantly receive their wish list once you pick your resident(s). If a senior requires something larger, such as a winter jacket, boots, or other larger household items, you can also include a gift card to contribute towards those purchases. Let's make this Christmas special together!

Packaging Your Gift & Gift Drop Off

Please ensure your gift is wrapped or packaged in a way that the contents will not spill out (this includes securing cards). Please label packaging clearly with the resident's name and code included on your wish list so we can ensure it gets to the right person. Reusable Christmas bags have worked wonderfully for packaging.

Gift Drop Off will happen on **December 11** at Wolfe Cadillac (17820 Stony Plain Rd.), CapitalCare Norwood at the Gene Zwozdesky Centre at Norwood (10508-111 Ave. NW – please use south entrance off 111 Ave.) or CapitalCare CHOICE South (9839-31 Ave. NW). If you require another date or time, please reach out to ccfoundation@capitalcare.net to make other arrangements.





Resident Wellness & Privacy

To ensure the safety of residents during flu season along with privacy policies, Christmas Angels won't be able to deliver their gifts in person. Staff will capture the special deliveries so we can share how impactful this gift giving gesture is for our residents.

The average cost to adopt a resident is usually between \$50 and \$75. Please select the number of residents you would like to adopt based on these numbers. We do have some seniors who have higher needs. If you or your group would like a higher needs senior, please indicate that in the comment section. These folks usually need more in the way of clothes, winter jackets or shoes or have specialty clothing needs such as open back clothing which can be a bit more costly.

Other Opportunities to Support the Christmas Angels Program

Partners and individuals can also support our Christmas Angels program with a cash contribution to help cover the cost of things like purchasing last minute gifts or supporting our most vulnerable residents throughout the year. This helps to offset the cost of purchasing items for gift requests for seniors who enter our program past the cut off time to be adopted.

If you work for a company that may be interested in supporting our Christmas Angels program this Christmas, please contact us for further details.

Thank you for making our 'forgotten' residents feel special this holiday season!