

Mutual Aid Organizations Engaged with the City of Edmonton

There are many mutual aid groups in the Edmonton with diverse focus areas. The City of Edmonton is aware of, and engaged with, the mutual aid groups noted below. Their respective mandates, as retrieved from their social media platforms, are indicated below.

Organization	Mandate
Bear Clan Beaver Hills House	The Bear Clan Beaver Hills House mandate is to foster community respect and awareness through a caring, dignified, compassionate, committed relationship building outreach approach. To respect one is to respect all, to honour one is to honour all. We are all sacred human beings, some have lost their way, so it is up to us to help one another through the tough times as we are all one human race on Mother Earth.
HARES Outreach	Harm Reduction Support - HARES, formerly known as Treaty 6 Outreach is a grassroots mutual aid network in amiskwaciwaskahikan focused on advocacy, street outreach and harm reduction.
Nékem: To Change Something	Through Indigenous teachings, Nékem is creating a resilient community where people belong, find purpose, and support each other as they overcome the destructive impact of societal and cultural barriers.
Prairie Sage Protectors	Diaspora, Black & Indigenous peoples organizing towards a Liberated, Anti Colonial world.
Water Warriors YEG	Water Warriors YEG was created in response to the global pandemic of 2020. Water Warriors YEG provides mobile outreach support such as food, clothing, and harm reduction supplies distributed to Edmontonians facing barriers and difficulties. The outreach group's goal is to ensure that the most vulnerable community members in the Edmonton area are safe and have their basic needs taken care of. One of the main reasons Water Warriors YEG was founded in 2020 was to compensate for the lack of services for our unhoused brothers and sisters during the pandemic.