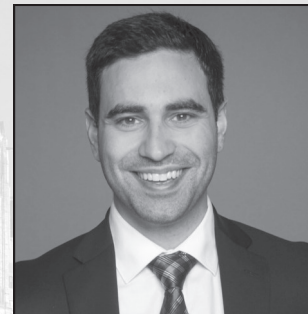




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The demand for home care services in Canada continues to grow. Approximately 15 percent of hospital beds are currently occupied by people who could, and would, receive their care at home or in more community-based settings.

Meanwhile, in homes across the country – including here in London North Centre - many families caring for loved ones are struggling with the stresses and pressures that come from not having enough support.

Home care affects women most

Many Canadians have taken on the responsibility to care for their loved ones at home. The majority of these caregivers are still in the workforce, and most of them are women.

The Government of Canada's investments in home care services will support the women who provide this essential care. These improvements to funding will help prevent family caregivers from having to make significant sacrifices in their work, social and personal lives.



Budget 2017 invests **\$6 billion** over 10 years to provide Canadians with improved access to home, community, and palliative care services, as well as more support for informal caregivers. This means that more people will receive the care they need in their homes, and that more families can count on increased support.

This investment in home care will ensure that Canada's health care system is more responsive to the needs of all Canadians, and help close the gaps in availability of care in communities across the country.

Having to care for loved ones, or having to ask loved ones for help, can be enormously stressful. This investment of \$6 billion in home care will support transformative change.

We've made this a priority area, and understand how this investment will make a real difference for Canadian families by helping people get the care they need and deserve.

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