

## El'dad Klassen House Program

### KHP Overview

The objective of Klassen House Program (KHP) is to assist participants with their long-term goal of less supports and more independence. We provide opportunities for independence and learning life skills, while having supports around that can be accessed as needed. In addition to the onsite building at the Ranch, El'dad has access to a three-suite building where supports are available to tenants residentially but not invasively, creating further opportunities for independence, while at the same time having access to 24/7 supports when needed. El'dad also has access to a four-suite building that provides opportunities for independence with access to Supported Independent Living (SIL) supports and onsite supports during the late evenings.

### Eligibility Requirements:

- On site at the Ranch - male, over age 18;
- Off site cluster suites in community - female or male, over age 18;
- Must meet eligibility requirements for the Community Living disABILITY Services Program through Family Services. Eligibility for participation is based on established needs for the individual, resources available, further assessment and participation in supports. It should also be noted that eligibility for Community Living disABILITY Services does not immediately guarantee attendance/placement in any of El'dad's programs;
- Potential participants must meet the criteria for living independently with supports.

### Referrals

- Referrals must be made through a Community Living disAbilities Services community service worker;
- Potential participants are encouraged to visit first.
  - Opportunity to see the residence, identify potential services and ask any questions;
- Part of residing within the Klassen House Program is an agreement to abide by the guidelines of El'dad and to engage in supports.

### Locations

- KHP is located on an 18-acre farm site about 12 km from Steinbach
  - On site 4-bedroom home with shared living spaces
- CL1 is in the city of Steinbach
  - 2 individual suites
  - 1 supported/crisis suite
- CL4 is in the city of Steinbach
  - 3 individual suites
  - 1 supported/crisis suite

### Supports

- In the Klassen House Program there is a team of direct support workers who are available to assist with goals, life skills and community involvement;
- Participants are supported both individually and share access to shared supports;
- All participants are encouraged to engage in supports to achieve goals through person-centered and strength-based planning;
- The team supports participants with building and maintaining positive relationships in the community, assisting with facilitating connections based on common interests, hobbies, and recreation activities.

### Additional El'dad Supports Available

- Event nights
  - Access to weekly events - games nights, movie nights, music nights, sports nights.
- Drop-in Centre
  - The Drop-in Center is an El'dad site and could be available to participants at El'dad. This is determined during the planning process with the community service workers (CSWs).
- Day Program
  - The Day Program is on site and could be available to participants at El'dad Ranch. This is determined during the planning process with the CSWs.

### For more information, please contact:

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