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BridgePoint Secures Funding to Enhance Virtual Care Programming for Eating Disorders, Transitioning Pilots to Sustainable Services

Saskatchewan, March 20, 2024 – BridgePoint Center for Eating Disorder Recovery proudly announces a funding boost to bolster its virtual care programming tailored for eating disorders. With this funding, BridgePoint transitions its pilot virtual care programs, initiated during the pandemic, into sustainable services, ensuring consistent access to high-quality support.

This funding infusion empowers BridgePoint to continue to elevate its virtual care programming, amplifying specialized support for those navigating the challenging eating disorder recovery journey. By leveraging innovative digital solutions, BridgePoint aims to dismantle barriers to care and provide comprehensive, accessible support to individuals in need.

Carla Chabot, BridgePoint's Executive Director, expressed profound gratitude for the Government of Saskatchewan's backing of eating disorder recovery initiatives, emphasizing the transformative impact of this funding. "This investment allows us to continue, evolve and expand our virtual care programming, tailoring support to the unique needs of individuals seeking eating disorder recovery services along our stepped-care model," said Chabot.

BridgePoint's expanded virtual care programming encompasses a spectrum of stepped care options to complement existing core onsite programs, including virtual programs, self-paced programs, counseling sessions, nutritional guidance, and educational resources.


"As we navigate the complexities of eating disorders, accessible and low-barrier access to specialized support is paramount," added Chabot. "This funding positions us to continue and enhance our virtual care programming, offering vital support to individuals and their caregivers embarking on the path to recovery."

Committed to advancing eating disorder recovery care, BridgePoint eagerly anticipates leveraging this funding to catalyze positive impacts in the quality of life of individuals experiencing disordered eating across Saskatchewan.

For further details about BridgePoint and its onsite or virtual care programming for eating disorders, please visit BridgePoint's website.

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