A Project Becomes Reality!

Seniorsinfo.ca – A collaborative Seniors Portal - Brockville

Are you looking for a long-term care facility for your ailing parent, a swimming class for seniors, or want to know if you are eligible for a Veterans' disability pension? If you live in Brockville, Ontario, finding this information has just become much easier!

<u>Seniorsinfo.ca</u> is an initiative that brings together - for the first time - information and services that are provided by all three levels of government and certain community-based organizations. It has resulted in seniors, their families, and caregivers being able to get consistent information from all three levels of government whenever they access the City of Brockville, the Seniors Canada On-Line or the Ontario Seniors Secretariat Web sites.

The Canadian Seniors Partnership (CSP) supported this intiative. For the first time ever, seniors in Brockville and surrounding rural areas, can visit www.Seniorsinfo.ca and link to local information that is organized according to categories that make sense to them.

Service providers in the Brockville area who give seniors, families, and caregivers information by phone or in person will find **Seniorsinfo.ca** a rich source of information to help answer questions. For example there are application forms that can be printed and an up-to-date list of contacts that comes in handy when problem solving. There is lots to explore on the site.

This project is a great example of the benefit and the potential of the Canadian Seniors Partnership. Brockville is only the beginning. Through its partners, the CSP will be working hard to connect more municipalities.