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Health Education & Future Screening - Program Proposal

Status

Current activity reported by church: periodic health talks delivered by medically trained members. **Future medical screening is not an established service and must not be advertised as operational.** This proposal outlines conditions for considering one.

Stage A: education

Confirm a monthly schedule and whether talks actually occur weekly, biweekly or monthly; publish only verified dates. Invite qualified speakers; set topics relevant to community needs, allow questions, and make clear that general education is not individualized diagnosis or treatment. Record topic, date, attendance, speaker credentials and source materials.

Stage B: wellness partnerships

Explore collaborations with local healthcare organizations for health education days, prevention information and referral resources. Obtain a written program agreement describing responsibility, accessibility, staffing, incident escalation and insurance.

Stage C: pilot clinical screening

Before any blood-pressure or other medical screening, obtain written clinical oversight identifying licensed providers, permitted acts within Ontario scope, equipment calibration, screening protocols, individual informed consent, secure record custody, infection prevention, clinical escalation/referral thresholds, personal health information requirements, and appropriate liability coverage. Do not presume attendance at a church service authorizes an examination.

Funding requests

Potential approved costs could include educational materials, venue readiness, appropriate equipment, accessible signage and qualified service providers. Do not solicit restricted donations for clinical services until the program is approved, clinically governed and appropriately charitable within the church's purposes.

Reporting boundaries

Public reporting may include sessions held, education attendance and aggregate screening counts where permitted. Never disclose identifiable results, names, diagnoses, medications or referrals. No member should feel compelled to participate as a condition of church services.