

Where to find help to quit or reduce tobacco use

Support, Nicotine Replacement Therapy (NRT) and/or medications can help you reduce or quit using tobacco.

MIDLAND AND AREA	
Organization	What they offer
Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit (SMDHU) Health Connection 705-721-7520 or 1-877-721-7520 www.simcoemuskokahealth.org	 Consultation with a nurse for help to navigate local resources and no cost NRT supports available in the community and provincially.
CHIGAMIK Community Health Centre 287 Bayshore Drive Midland, ON L4R 1L3 705-527-4154 www.chigamik.ca North Simcoe Family Health Team (NSFHT) 952 Jones Road Midland, ON L4R 4K3 705-526-7804 www.nsfht.ca	 Open to all community members 16 years of age or older within the Simcoe-Muskoka catchment area. Chigamik Quit Café is an in-person smoking cessation support group. STOP Program - See STOP entry below for more details. Available to clients of the NSFHT. Available to anyone, non-rostered, from the local catchment area (Tiny, Tay, Elmvale, Moonstone, Midland, Penetanguishene). STOP Program - See STOP entry below for more details.
REGIONAL AND PROVINCIAL	
Centre for Addiction and Mental Health (CAMH) 1-800-463-2338 www.camh.ca	 Download My Change Plan Booklet https://www.nicotinedependenceclinic.com/en/teach/Documents/MyChan gePlanEdition8.pdf. Download the NDS Change Plan Phone App on Google Play or the Apple Store (from your iOS device).
Ottawa Model for Smoking Cessation Community Program 1-888-645-5405 OMSC@OTTAWAHEART.CA	The Ottawa Model for Smoking Cessation Community Program Open to Ontario residents 18 years and older, who cannot otherwise access cessation treatment and support. Includes a telephone consult with a Nicotine Addiction Treatment Specialist and 6 weeks no cost NRT. Monthly follow up with option for live counselling.
STOP: STOP Smoking Treatment for Ontario Patients www.nicotinedependenceclinic.com/English/stop/	 The STOP Program is available through participating Family Health Teams (FHTs), Community Health Centres (CHCs), Aboriginal Health Access Centres (AHACs), Nurse Practitioner-Led Clinics (NPLCs), Addiction Agencies (AAs) and Public Health Units in partnership with the Centre for Addiction and Mental Health (CAMH). No-cost Nicotine Replacement Therapy (NRT) for enrolled participants (up to 26 weeks within one year of enrollment, subject to practitioner discretion). Cessation counselling and support offered. Contact your health care provider if you are unsure if they belong to a participating organization.
STOP on the Net (SOTN) Online Research Program www.nicotinedependenceclinic.com/en/stop/stop-on-the-net	 STOP on the Net Online Research Program ❖ Open to individuals 18 years and older across Ontario (NOTE: there are additional eligibility criteria). ❖ The program provides 10 weeks of treatment including nicotine patches and gum or lozenges (participant's choice), delivered to the participant's address. ❖ Note that participants that enroll in SOTN will NOT be eligible to enroll in any regular STOP program for 12 months following their enrollment date. Anyone enrolled in a regular STOP program will not be eligible to enroll in SOTN for 12 months following their enrollment date.
Health811 English website: www.Ontario.ca/Health811 French website: www.Ontario.ca/Sante811 Call 811 or TTY 1-866-797-0007	 Bilingual smoking cessation support (and additional real-time translation services that support over 300 languages) from a Quit Care Coach between 10 a.m. and 10 p.m. daily. Access to Care Coach Assistants 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Available 24/7.
Smokers' Helpline www.smokershelpline.ca	Online tools, email support, online support community, text messaging support available through smokershelpline.ca and directly by texting iQuit to 123456, live chat by text.

	Talk Tobacco
Talk Tobacco	❖ A free, confidential telephone service offering information about quitting
https://www.smokershelpline.ca/talktobacco/about	smoking, vaping, and commercial tobacco use to Indigenous
1-833-998-8255 (TALK)	communities.
	Interpreter services available in French and 16 Indigenous languages.
	Smokers' Helpline Trial Offer
Smokers' Helpline Trial Offer https://www.smokershelpline.ca/trial-pack/trial-offer	 If you meet the eligibility and legal requirements, you may be sent 2 NICODERM® Step 1 patches (21 mg), 1 sleeve of 15 NICORETTE® Fresh Fruit Gums (4 mg), and a discount coupon for \$10 off the purchase of any two participating NICODERM® or NICORETTE® products (while quantities last). For new SmokersHelpline.ca members: Register for your FREE SmokersHelpline.ca account and complete the Trial Offer order form when you register. For existing members: Visit My Offers (you may be asked to login to your account).
	Provides quit smoking help if you are not covered by a private plan:
Ontario Health Insurance Plan (OHIP+)	 Up to a year of pharmacist-assisted counselling (talk to your
www.ontario.ca/page/learn-about-ohip-plus	pharmacist or health care provider).
www.ontano.ca/page/learn-about-onlp-plu5	 No-cost smoking cessation drugs (Champix or Zyban) if you are age
	18 - 24years. All you need is an OHIP card and a prescription.
Ontario Drug Benefit (ODB)	
1-866-811-9893	Prescription cessation medications Champix and Zyban are no-cost.
www.health.gov.on.ca/en/public/programs/drugs/	1 Toodiplion occasion modecations on ampix and 2 years are no cost.
programs/drugs/programs/odb/odb.aspx	
Ontario Works (OW)	
www.mcss.gov.on.ca/en/mcss/programs/social/ow/	❖ People receiving OW or ODSP should speak to their case worker to
Ontario Disability Support Program (ODSP)	learn about eligibility for no-cost NRT and supports.
www.mcss.gov.on.ca/en/mcss/programs/social/odsp/	
Non-Insured Health Benefits (NIHB) for First	 Eligible First Nations and Inuit persons have coverage for NRT and
Nations and Inuit	prescription medications.
www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/nihb-ssna/index-eng.php	❖ Talk to your health care provider or contact 1-800-640-0642.
Trillium Drug Program (TDP)	❖ Prescription medication for smoking cessation and/or reducing may be
www.health.gov.on.ca/en/public/programs/drugs/	covered for those enrolled.
programs/odb/opdp_trillium.aspx	0010100 0110100
	OTHER
	Speak with your Health and Wellness or Human Resources contact
Workplace Benefits	about benefit plan coverage.
Health Care Providers (HCP) or Hospitals	Talk to your HCP (i.e., doctors, pharmacists, social workers, addictions
	counsellors, chiropractors, massage therapists, physiotherapists, dental
	hygienists, dentists, nurses) about your tobacco use.
	❖ Ask your HCP what supports are available for those being admitted to
	hospital that want to reduce or quit smoking.
Paying for your own NRT and prescription	❖ Talk with your HCP and ask if prescription medications such as Champix
medications	or Zyban are right for you.

Nicotine Replacement Therapy (NRT):

- Patch, gum, lozenge, inhaler, and spray.
- Available over the counter in pharmacies at a cost and does not require a prescription.

Prescription medication is also available from a Health Care Provider (doctor, nurse practitioner, pharmacist, and dentist):

- Zyban also called Bupropion (the same as Wellbutrin).
- Champix also known as Varenicline.
- Eligible people can receive the prescription drugs at no-cost.

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This form can be found at the following URL: http://www.simcoemuskokahealth.org/Topics/Tobacco/Quitting