

# **CCN Steering Committee Report**

## **Primary Prevention Working Group**

**Jan.23, 2003**

Updates on Projects

Last group meeting: Jan. 16, 2003

### **CLANS**

- Group has developed a master document which includes: terms of reference, purpose, goals, and objectives.
- Group is currently in phase one of the project which includes: acquiring resources, committee membership, terms of reference, ensuring communications and infrastructure report, initiating project documentation, and identifying potential workshop delegates.
- Workshop date has been set for Oct. 22-23.

### **Toolbox Working Group (Obesity Prevention Project)**

- Project working group has had to reorganize original timelines and budget for the project to accommodate a different schedule.
- Have hired two project coordinators to get project going. One will be an extended position and the other will wrap up in March.
- Currently investigating three potential pilot communities. Meetings with key champions and the City of Calgary community development professionals have been scheduled over the next couple of weeks.

### **Parks and Pathways advocacy group**

- Committee has interest in initiating an advocacy group, however, it requires assistance and direction from the CCN steering committee and/or an external consultant that will help the network in drafting a framework.
- Potential action is to have the steering committee develop an advocacy platform (possibly working with Tanya Grierson, Healthy Public Policy, Calgary Health Region), or to have a subgroup from our committee draft a framework and bring it forward to the steering committee.

### **Changes in Membership**

- Jill Andres (Canadian Cancer Society) and Heidi Reisch (Calgary Health Region) are both new members to the committee.
- Cynthia Smith (Provincial Coordinator, Alberta Heart Health Project) will be replacing Donna Anderson. She will be participating in both the primary prevention group and CLANS working group via teleconference from Edmonton.
- Corinne Parker is rejoining the committee in her new role with the Alzheimers Society of Calgary.