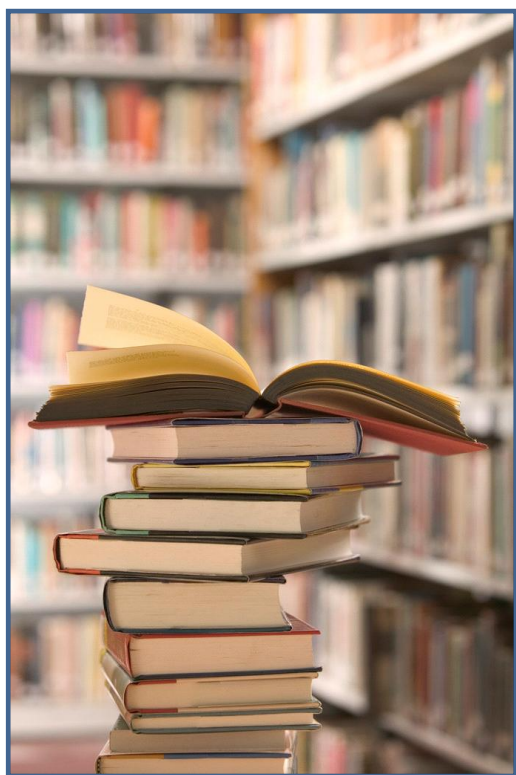




Edmonton Social Research Directory

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The Edmonton Social Planning Council is an independent, non-profit, charitable organization. Our focus is social research – particularly in the areas of low income and poverty.

We are dedicated to encouraging the adoption of equitable social policy, supporting the work of other organizations who are striving to improve the lives of Edmontonians, and educating the public regarding the social issues that impact them on a daily basis.

Our Vision

A healthy, just and inclusive community.

Our Mission

The ESPC provides leadership within the community by addressing and researching social issues, informing public discussion and influencing social policy.

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About the Social Research Directory

In 1989, the Edmonton Social Planning Council published the *Social Research Directory*. This guide was created to provide information about library collections of use to social researchers. While the ESPC hoped to update the *Directory* biannually, no further editions have appeared. We believe that this is a valuable resource for the social research community, and we have resurrected this publication for researchers in 2010.

Libraries and resource centres are included in this directory based on the following criteria:

1. The library or resource centre collects information about the individuals and groups that make up society, their welfare, and their interactions.
2. The public has access to the collection, even if material does not circulate or hours and service are limited.
3. The collection is located in Edmonton.

While many libraries and resource centres are included in this directory, **it is not exhaustive**. The directory depends on information submitted by eligible collections. If you are aware of a collection that should be included in this directory but has been missed, please contact library@edmontonsocialplanning.ca.

Alberta Committee of Citizens with Disabilities
106-10423 178 Street
Edmonton AB T5S1R5

Phone Number	780.488.9088	
Fax	780.488.3757	
Email Address	accd@accd.net	
Collection Description	ACCD's library is a collection of disability resources collected over the past 4 decades.	
Website	www.accd.net Library users must visit ACCD's office to browse our catalogue. Staff who oversee ACCD's library resources can be contacted by phone, email, and/or in person.	
Library Hours	Monday to Friday : 8:30am - 4:30pm	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Library materials and resources do not circulate outside our office.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Photocopying available at 15 cents per page.	
Subjects:	Advocacy Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice Disability Issues Education Family Issues	Health and Health Care Immigration and Immigrant Issues Income and Employment Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations
Information Format/Media Type	Electronic Resources Audio Visual Materials	

Alberta Government Library – 107th Street Site
3rd floor (South Tower), 10030 - 107 St
Edmonton AB T5J3E4

Phone Number	780.427.7272	
Fax	780.422.3980	
Email Address	library.cs@gov.ab.ca	
Collection Description	Serves the staff of Alberta Children and Youth Services and Alberta Seniors and Community Supports. By fall 2010 this site will also serve Employment and Immigration (with the exception of workplace health and safety, which are to be served by the Alberta Government Library Telus Building site).	
Website	http://www.neoslibraries.ca/node/213 Users can browse the NEOS shared online catalogue, access online databases and receive research assistance from library professionals.	
Library Hours	Monday – Friday: 8:15 - 4:30	
Reference Services	Library staff are available to assist with research and use of relevant online and print resources.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Most materials can be signed out with a NEOS or TAL (The Alberta Library) card. The only exceptions are reference and audio-visual resources. Social service agencies can request borrowing privileges for their staff.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Only one workstation available for public use. This workstation accepts a memory stick. Printer & photocopier available for limited use	
Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Children and Youth Community Development Disability Issues Family Issues	Immigration and Immigrant Issues Income and Employment Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues Historical Alberta child welfare documents
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Audio Visual Materials	

Alberta Government Library – Capital Boulevard Site
Capital Boulevard, 10044 - 108 St
Edmonton AB T5J5E6

Phone Number	780.427.2985
Fax	780.427.5927
Email Address	library.learning@gov.ab.ca
Collection Description	The Alberta Government Library - Capital Boulevard Site collection contains approximately 38,000 volumes and 750 periodical titles. Collection strengths include the many subject areas related to the field of education. Special collections include the currently authorized resources (textbooks, etc.) for schools in the Province of Alberta, published government documents from the departments of Alberta Education and Alberta Advanced Education and Technology and their predecessors, education-related annual reports from 1901 to the present, and Alberta post-secondary calendars.
Website	http://www.neoslibraries.ca/node/214 Users can search our collection through the NEOS library consortium catalogue.
Library Hours	Monday – Friday: 8:15 - 4:30
Reference Services	The collection is available for use by government employees, academia, and members of the public. Reference services for the public include general directional reference services and help using the catalogue and finding resources in the collection.
Membership and Circulation Policies	Primary clients are Government of Alberta staff. NEOS library members are secondary clients. The Alberta Government Library is also a member of The Alberta Library, and resources from the general collection can be borrowed by TAL Card holders. The Authorized Resources (textbook) collection is a preview collection and can only be borrowed by Department of Education staff.
Photocopies and Computers Available	There is one public access computer available in the library, limited to use for searching the library catalogue and accessing the library Web site and electronic resources. A photocopier is available for public use.
Subjects:	Education

Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Audio Visual Materials
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Alberta Government Library – Telus Plaza North Tower Site

Telus Plaza North Tower
10025 Jasper Avenue, 15th floor
Edmonton AB T5J2N3

Phone Number	780.427.8720
Fax	780.422.9694
Collection Description	The Alberta Government Library - Telus Plaza North Tower Site primarily serves the staff of Alberta Health & Wellness and AHS Addiction Services.
Website	http://www.neoslibraries.ca/node/221 The public can search the collection through the NEOS online catalogue.
Library Hours	Monday to Friday: 8:15-4:30
Reference Services	Searching, interlibraryloan, and current awareness are provided for departmental staff.
Membership and Circulation Policies	Member of the NEOS library consortium and the Health Knowledge Network (HKN). Primary and secondary clients may borrow books; limited borrowing for external clients. Loan period: one month for primary clients.
Photocopies and Computers Available	Computer access to Health Knowledge Network databases Photocopier available
Subjects:	Health and Health Care Seniors Issues
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs

Alberta Legislature Library
216 Legislature Building, 10800-97 Avenue
Edmonton AB T5K2B6

Phone Number	780.427.2473
Fax	780.427.6016
Email Address	library.requests@assembly.ab.ca
Collection Description	<p>The Legislature Library was established in 1906 to serve as the parliamentary library for Members of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta. To assist in responding to Members' information needs, the Library has materials in a wide range of subject areas including public policy, law, government, education, science and technology, business, energy, economics, and the environment.</p> <p>Largest collection of weekly Alberta newspapers and a large Alberta local history collection.</p> <p>The Alberta Legislature Library does not have any case law.</p>
Website	<p>http://www.assembly.ab.ca</p> <p>The website can be used to search the library catalogue and send questions to the reference desk. A collection of full text electronic Alberta government documents is accessible through the catalogue.</p>
Library Hours	<p>When the House IS sitting* the hours are as follows: Monday - Wednesday : 8:15 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday – Friday: 8:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.</p> <p>When the House is NOT sitting the hours are as follows: Monday - Friday 8:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.</p> <p>* Subject to Assembly proceedings, additional evening hours may be scheduled. It is advisable to phone ahead if an evening visit to the library is planned to ensure that the House is indeed sitting.</p>
Reference Services	Assistance may be limited to directive help, given the Library's user priorities and time limitations.
Membership and Circulation Policies	Service is provided to the Members and their staff, Legislative Assembly Office staff, public servants and the general public. Borrowing privileges may be granted after prior registration. Loan periods vary from no circulation to two to three weeks for monographs and government documents. Interlibrary loans are available.

Photocopies and Computers Available	Five public computer stations are available for research purposes. Self-serve photocopiers and microfilm reader/printers are available . All prints and copies are 20 cents per page.	
Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice Disability Issues Economy Education	Family Issues Health and Health Care Human Rights Immigration and Immigrant Issues Income and Employment Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Audio Visual Materials	

Alberta Teachers' Association Library
11010 – 142 Street
Edmonton AB T5N2R1

Phone Number	780-447-9400 Ext 239	
Fax	780.455.6481	
Email Address	library@ata.ab.ca	
Collection Description	Our physical collection consists of approximately 14,000 books, 400 journals, and 300 videos. We have a special collection of materials published by the Alberta Teachers' Association.	
Website	www.teachers.ab.ca The library catalogue is available on our website and users can reserve books through the catalogue. Users can also apply for a library id number online. We have a web resource guide that provides links to reviewed web sites. Authenticated users can also access two subscription databases on our site.	
Library Hours	September to May 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. June to August 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Weekdays excluding statutory holidays	
Reference Services	Librarians can provide assistance in developing search strategies and executing searches, as well as assistance in locating library materials.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Borrowing privileges are restricted to members and staff of the Alberta Teachers' Association. Members of the public are welcome to use the physical collection within library.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Three public access computers are available in the library. Self-serve photocopying is available for \$0.25 per page.	
Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Children and Youth Disability Issues Education	Professional Development of Teachers Literacy Classroom Technologies Diversity and Social Justice
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Audio Visual Materials	

Association for Safe Alternatives in Childbirth (ASAC) Library

7219 106 street
Edmonton AB T6E1C3

Phone Number	780.425.7993	
Email Address	library@asac.ab.ca	
Collection Description	Books, periodicals, and audio/visual materials relating to pregnancy, birth, breastfeeding, parenting, midwifery, health, and family life. Periodicals are available for reference onsite, and free copies of our magazine, <i>Birth Issues</i> , are available.	
Library Hours	Wednesday and Friday: 10am -12 pm Second Tuesday of every month: 7pm-9pm during regular business meeting. Can open on request if necessary.	
Reference Services	Librarians can be contacted through email, or by phone during office hours.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	To borrow books and audio/visual materials you must be an ASAC member. The first year of ASAC membership is free to pregnant and new parents. Every year after costs \$20.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Photocopier available.	
Subjects:	Advocacy Children and Youth Disability Issues Education	Family Issues Health and Health Care Midwifery Breastfeeding
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Audio Visual Materials	

City Hall
1 Sir Winston Churchill Square
Edmonton AB T5J2R7

Phone Number	780.496.8178
Fax	780.496.8175
Collection Description	<p>The collection includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• City Bylaws• City Policies• Council and Committee Meeting Files
Website	<p>www.edmonton.ca</p> <p>Many documents can be accessed through the website: City Bylaws: www.edmonton.ca/bylaws Only the most common bylaws are posted here. They're listed by A-Z and by number. City Policies: www.edmonton.ca/policies All active policies are listed here. Council and Committee meeting files: www.edmonton.ca/meetings Browse minutes, agendas and reports of meetings. Reports are linked to the agenda/minutes. Minutes go back to 1989 and reports generally go back to 1997. Anything older can be provided upon request.</p>
Library Hours	8am - 4:30pm
Reference Services	Research services are provided free of charge upon request.
Membership and Circulation Policies	<p>Copies of all original documents can be provided upon request (for a 25 cent per page photocopying charge).</p> <p>Bylaws, policies and Council/Committee meeting files are not physically available for browsing by the public.</p> <p>All requests can be made in person (3rd floor City Hall), by phone (496-8178), or email (city.clerk@edmonton.ca).</p>
Photocopies and Computers Available	Copies are 25 cents per page.

Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Community Development Disability Issues Economy Education	Human Rights Immigration and Immigrant Issues Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues Municipal Government bylaws, policies, Council and Committee documents
Information Format/Media Type	Electronic Resources Raw Data	

City of Edmonton Archives
10440-108 Avenue
Edmonton AB T5H3Z9

Phone Number 780.496.8711

Fax 780.496.8732

Email Address cmsarchives@edmonton.ca

Collection Description The City of Edmonton Archives is mandated to collect the records created by the Corporation of the City of Edmonton which have historical significance. We have Council Minutes and Reports and departmental records dating from 1892. The Archives also collects materials from private donors relating to the history of Edmonton and Edmontonians, their businesses and organizations. Some of these private records may contain the papers of Councillors and Mayors. Some social service organizations have deposited their records with the City Archives.

There are some notable gaps in the private manuscript side of the collections, especially in the areas of records of new immigrants and visible minorities, First Nations and small, not-for-profit organizations. We welcome inquiries from anyone who has access to those collections and is considering donating such materials.

Website www.edmonton.ca/archives
There is an online catalogue of approximately 27,000 images (about a tenth of the City's collection) on the Archives' website.

Finding aids for major collections are also available on the website.

Library Hours Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Closed statutory and civic holidays.

Reference Services Researchers may submit general research queries to the reference archivist by email or telephone, in advance of their visits, to determine the strength of the collections around their subject of interest.

A Reference Archivist is available to assist with inquiries, and to give orientation to the archives and the finding aids. Visitors are expected to do their own research with the materials provided.

Membership and Circulation Policies	The City of Edmonton Archives is open to the public on weekdays and materials may be consulted on-site in the reference room. None of the materials circulate.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Microfilm reader/printers are available for city records and local newspapers which have been microfilmed.	
	The reference archivist will make photocopies of materials, although large orders may require 1-2 working days to reproduce.	
Subjects:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice Disability Issues Economy Education 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Family Issues Health and Health Care Human Rights Immigration and Immigrant Issues Income and Employment Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues
Information Format/Media Type	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Periodicals Monographs Audio Visual Materials 	

College and Association of Registered Nurses of Alberta
11620 - 168 St NW
Edmonton AB T5M4A6

Phone Number	780.453.0533
Fax	780.482.4459
Email Address	libraryrequest@nurses.ab.ca
Collection Description	Items related to nursing: clinical aspects, nursing issues and professional concerns, health and nursing policy, nursing education, nursing research, nursing recruitment, nursing administration
Website	www.nurses.ab.ca The website allows for online catalogue searches, article index searches, and orders and reserves of materials.
Library Hours	Monday – Friday: 9am - 4 pm
Reference Services	Respond to information requests in person as well as by phone, fax, and email.
Membership and Circulation Policies	Items are loaned to registered nurses and the public. Loan periods vary depending on distance from Edmonton.
Photocopies and Computers Available	Publicly accessible computer. Photocopying available: self-serve at \$0.10 per page
Subjects:	Health and Health Care (Health issues touch on many subject areas including aboriginal, family, seniors)
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Audio Visual Materials

Phone Number	780.479.9338	
Fax	780.471.6796	
Email Address	library@concordia.ab.ca	
Collection Description	Arts, Humanities, Management, Science and Social Sciences collections supporting a range of undergraduate and graduate programs.	
Website	http://library.concordia.ab.ca The library catalogue is available online, as well as a variety of resources.	
Library Hours	Fall/Winter: Monday – Thursday: 7:45 am - 9:00 pm Friday: 7:45 am - 5:00 pm Saturday: 10 am - 5:00 pm Sunday: 12:00 pm - 7:00 pm Spring/Summer: Monday – Friday: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm	
Reference Services	Info Desk hours are from approximately 9:00 am - 4:30 pm daily and include assistance using local physical and online collections.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Members of the public can apply for external borrower cards. Phone for details.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	The library has computers and photocopiers available for drop-in use.	
Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice Economy	Education Family Issues Health and Health Care Human Rights Immigration and Immigrant Issues Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Raw Data Audio Visual Materials	

Edmonton Public Library – Stanley A. Milner Branch
#7 Sir Winston Churchill Square
Edmonton AB T5J2V4

Phone Number	780.496.7020
Fax	780.496.7001
Collection Description	<p>Edmonton Public Library provides print and on-line access to resources in the area of social research, social planning and social housing.</p> <p>Edmonton Public Library is a depository for all Edmonton City Council, Government of Alberta and Government of Canada print and online collections.</p> <p>We have an Inner City bulletin board with print material for customers to take away.</p> <p>We also house print collections in the areas of social sciences, law and social planning.</p>
Website	<p>www.epl.ca</p> <p>Chat reference service and an email reference service are available on the website.</p> <p>Online resources including print and electronic content are available. Customers can browse the catalogue, reserve print material and contact library staff.</p>
Library Hours	Vary according to the branch. Check www.epl.ca for details.
Reference Services	Varies according to branch. Full staffing on the Reference desk - located on the second floor of the Stanley A. Milner (Downtown) branch. Phone, email and chat reference also available.
Membership and Circulation Policies	<p>Memberships cost \$12.00 per year, although that amount can be waived should the customer request it.</p> <p>Print and CD materials are available for a 3 week loan period. DVD's are available for a 1 week loan period. Renewals are available for materials which have not been requested by other customers.</p>
Photocopies and Computers Available	We have computers available to the public for 1 hour of Internet use per person, per day. Photocopiers available.

Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice Disability Issues Economy Education	Family Issues Health and Health Care Human Rights Immigration and Immigrant Issues Income and Employment Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Raw Data Audio Visual Materials	

Edmonton Social Planning Council Library
37 - 9912 106 St
Edmonton AB T5K1C5

Phone Number	780.423.2031	
Fax	780.425.6244	
Email Address	library@edmontonsocialplanning.ca	
Collection Description	The Edmonton Social Planning Council has a small collection of books, reports and periodicals on social issues, with a focus on Edmonton and Alberta. Our collection includes statistics, policy information, and reports from local and national non-profit organizations.	
Website	www.edmontonsocialplanning.ca Users can browse online subject guides and the catalogue from our website.	
Library Hours	8:30am – 4:30pm, Monday to Friday	
Reference Services	A staff member is available during most opening hours to provide assistance.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Members are allowed to circulate items; non-members can use items on site.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Photocopying available at 10 cents per page.	
Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice Disability Issues Economy Education	Family Issues Health and Health Care Human Rights Immigration and Immigrant Issues Income and Employment Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Monographs Audio Visual Materials	

Garvie Reading Room, Legal Resource Centre
201, 10350 - 124 Street
Edmonton AB T5N3V9

Phone Number	780.451.8764
Fax	780.451.2341
Email Address	info.lrc@ualberta.ca
Collection Description	<p>The Garvie Reading Room is home to materials designed to serve public legal education providers and creators, researchers and the staff of the Legal Resource Centre.</p> <p>The <i>Public Legal Education (PLE) Collection</i> is a comprehensive collection of specialized materials about the theory and practice of public legal education in two parts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Historical PLE: materials that document the development and history of public legal education in Canada from its emergence in the 1970s. (7769 records)• Current PLE: up-to-date materials for public legal education (240 records) <p>The <i>Professional Collection</i> is a modest collection of materials that support the ongoing professional development and program activities of the staff of the Legal Resource Centre who include lawyers, librarians, IT staff, and educators.</p> <p>Because a large proportion of this collection is historical, users should be careful to check the dates to determine if the material is relevant to their needs. The historical pamphlet collection is kept off-site and only accessible by special arrangement.</p>
Website	www.legalresourcecentre.ca An online catalogue is available from the website.
Library Hours	Monday to Friday: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm Call ahead to ensure that library staff will be available to assist you.
Reference Services	No reference services offered. Library technician can answer questions about the materials in the collection.
Membership and Circulation Policies	No membership required. This is a non-circulating collection; materials must be used in the Centre.
Photocopies and Computers Available	Photocopier available, \$0.25 per page. Currently there are no facilities for viewing VHS tapes in the collection.

Subjects	Aboriginal Issues	Family Issues
	Agriculture and the Environment	Health and Health Care
	Children and Youth	Human Rights
	Community Development	Immigration and Immigrant Issues
	Crime and Criminal Justice	Legal Issues
	Disability Issues	Nonprofit Organizations
	Education	Seniors Issues
Information	Periodicals	
Format/Media Type	Electronic Resources	
	Monographs	
	Audio Visual Materials	

Grant MacEwan University Library – South Campus
7319-29 Avenue
Edmonton, AB T6K2P1

Phone Number	780.497.4054	
Email Address	http://library.macewan.ca/email_reference	
Collection Description	Well developed book and electronic resource collections to support Social Work and Child and Youth Care students (South Campus).	
Website	http://library.macewan.ca/ From the website, users can browse the catalogue and access subject guides as well as other resources.	
Library Hours	Check the website for locations and hours.	
Reference Services	We provide in person reference services on site as well as remote telephone and chat reference.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	MacEwan University is a member of TAL and welcomes TAL borrowers. Any member of the public is welcome to visit our libraries and use the resources on site.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Public access computers and photocopiers are available.	
Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice Disability Issues Economy Education	Family Issues Health and Health Care Human Rights Immigration and Immigrant Issues Income and Employment Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Audio Visual Materials	

Humanities and Social Sciences Library, University of Alberta
Rutherford South, University of Alberta
Edmonton AB T6G2J4

Phone Number	780.492.5791
Fax	780.492.5083
Email Address	hssteam@library.ualberta.ca
Collection Description	The Humanities and Social Sciences Library (HSS) is located in the Rutherford Library and contains collections numbering about 2 million volumes including monographs, current and bound periodicals, and government documents that cover a comprehensive range of subjects in the arts, humanities and social sciences. We also offer a very large collection of materials in microformats and a significant collection of Canadian and foreign newspapers. Access to a large and growing collection of databases, electronic books, electronic journals, and statistical sources is provided through the online catalog. Older HSS research resources are housed off-site at the Book and Record Depository (BARD) and are retrieved by placing requests using the online catalog.
Website	www.library.ualberta.ca
Library Hours	See website for current hours. There are over 1,200 spaces for individual and group study that includes a large Reading Room in Rutherford South, two computer labs for instruction, and 77 productivity workstations throughout the library. Study carrels are also available for faculty and visiting researchers.
Reference Services	We provide comprehensive reference services via our single service desk located on the first floor of Rutherford North, via telephone, email or chat.
Website services	Users can search our collections via our online catalog available on our website. Databases and other resources can be accessed via the website but require U of A student, faculty or staff ID for access off campus.
Membership and Circulation Policies	The general public can purchase memberships which provide limited access to materials and services. Please see the Library's website for details.
Photocopies and Computers Available	The library provides over 100 public computing workstations, some photocopiers, and micro materials readers.

Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Agriculture and the Environment Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice	Disability Issues Economy Education Family Issues Human Rights Income and Employment
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Raw Data Audio Visual Materials	

Martha Kostuch Library of Environmental Law at the Environmental Law Center
10025 - 106 Street, Suite 800
Edmonton AB T5J1G4

Phone Number	780.424.5099	
Fax	780.424.5133	
Email Address	elc@elc.ab.ca	
Collection Description	The library is a specialized collection of materials relevant to federal, provincial, municipal and some international environmental and natural resource law and policy with a focus on Alberta. Complete collection of the Centre's publications.	
Website	www.elc.ab.ca Our catalog is available for searching on our website. Users can request to borrow materials and contact the librarian from our website.	
Library Hours	Weekdays 8:30 a.m. - 12:00p.m., 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	
Reference Services	Confirm availability of specific titles and answer reference questions. Assistance using the catalog and finding material. Forward photocopies of material out of town, depending on extent of request. Mail borrowing of materials if necessary.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Personal and interlibrary loans of some materials.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Computer for searching online catalog. Photocopying is available for a fee.	
Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Agriculture and the Environment Human Rights Nonprofit Organizations Environmental Law: Alberta, Canada, United States, law reform. Environmental Impact Assessment Air Quality	Climate Change Forestry Hazardous Waste Management Land Use Natural Resources Law Oil and Gas Development Species at Risk Toxic Substances Water Management Water Quality Wildlife
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Monographs Audio Visual Materials	

Planning and Development Library, City of Edmonton
6th Floor, 10250 - 101 Street NW
Edmonton AB T5J3P4

Phone Number	780.496.6165
Fax	780.496.6054
Collection Description	<p>The Planning and Development Library's main function is to maintain an in-house research collection on urban and regional planning.</p> <p>Holdings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 7000 reports/books/documents• 140 audio visual materials• 108 periodicals/newsletters on various topics• CD ROMs containing the photograph collection on subjects ranging from street fixtures to special planning projects• historical aerial photographs: 1963; and 1990 to 1997• daily newspapers: The Edmonton Journal, The National Post, The Globe and Mail, and The Edmonton Sun• maps and atlases• statistical reports and newsletters by Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation, Edmonton Real Estate Board, Statistics Canada, CB Richard Ellis, and Colliers International• Special Collection: Archive of all reports published by the department.
Website	<p>www.edmonton.ca</p> <p>Department reports are available on the website.</p>
Library Hours	8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Reference Services	Provide bibliographic services; respond to information requests
Membership and Circulation Policies	<p>The public may use the resources in the Planning Library, but they cannot borrow the library materials.</p> <p>Interlibrary loans to government and university libraries for two weeks.</p>
Photocopies and Computers Available	Photocopier, microfiche and microfilm reader available.

Subjects:	Agriculture and the Environment Community Development Economy Health and Health Care Income and Employment Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues Affordable Housing City Planning Demographics	Environmental Site Assessment Historic Preservation Parks and Recreation Regional Planning Transportation and Infrastructure Urban Sprawl Urban Design/Architecture Urban Planning Zoning Regulations
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Audio Visual Materials	

Provincial Archives of Alberta Reference Library
8555 Roper Road
Edmonton AB T6E5W1

Phone Number	780.415.8451	
Fax	780.427.4646	
Email Address	paa@gov.ab.ca	
Collection Description	The Reference Library at the Provincial Archives of Alberta collects material in English and other languages in order to support and complement the archival holdings; and publications on the history of Alberta, its people and culture.	
Website	https://hermis.alberta.ca/paa/ Users may search the library holdings through the online catalogue.	
Library Hours	Tuesday, Thursday-Saturday 9:00am-4:30pm Wednesday 9:00am-9:00pm.	
Reference Services	Reference service is provided in the Reading Room during all hours of operation.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Every January, members of the public must register for a card to access the holdings at the Provincial Archives of Alberta, which also includes library materials. There is no fee. The Reference Library at the Provincial Archives of Alberta is a non-circulating collection.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	A limited number of computers with Internet access are available for the public to conduct research and search the holdings at the Provincial Archives of Alberta. Photocopying is only permitted by staff.	
Subjects:	Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Crime and Criminal Justice Economy Education Human Rights Immigration and Immigrant Issues Income and Employment <i>Local History:</i> The Reference Library at the Provincial Archives of Alberta houses approximately 1100 volumes of local history books. <i>Government publications:</i> The Reference Library at the Provincial Archives of Alberta has an extensive range of government publications, dating from the late 1890s through to the present day.	

The Reference Library at the Provincial Archives of Alberta also holds a collection called "Information Files." This collection contains published and non-published items that have documentary value, but that are ephemeral in nature.

Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Monographs Audio Visual Materials
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Reg Peters Resource Centre at the Alberta Association for Community Living
11724 Kingsway Avenue
Edmonton AB T5G0X5

Phone Number	780.451.3055	
Fax	780.453.5779	
Email Address	library@aacl.org	
Collection Description	Approximately 2,000 monographs, 500 audio visual items and over 100 periodicals and newsletters.	
Website	www.aacl.org Through our website you can browse our catalogue, browse our holdings of periodicals and contact the librarian	
Library Hours	Accessible Monday to Friday 9:00 - 4:00	
Reference Services	The librarian is only onsite one day a week but can be contacted by email. Other staff are available daily for assistance. There is a computer in the library on which you can search the catalogue.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Membership requires basic personal information including name, address, phone numbers, email and company associations (if any). Items have a borrowing period of 3 weeks. Items can be sent via Canada Post outside of Edmonton and are to be returned at the borrower's own expense.	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Photocopier available.	
Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Advocacy Children and Youth Community Development Crime and Criminal Justice Disability Issues Education Family Issues Health and Health Care Human Rights Income and Employment	Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations Seniors Issues Deinstitutionalization Inclusive Education Attention Deficit Disorders Autism Spectrum Disorders Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders Community Living Parenting Sexuality
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Monographs Audio Video Materials	

Resource Centre for Voluntary Organizations
MacEwan University, 628 - 10050 MacDonald Drive
Edmonton AB T5J2B7

Phone Number	(780) 497-5616
Fax	(780) 497-5634
Email Address	rcvo@macewan.ca
Collection Description	A comprehensive collection for the nonprofit sector of nearly 3,000 items, including electronic files, journal articles, and books.
Website	www.rcvo.org RCVO is the information destination for Alberta's nonprofit sector, providing consultations and resources related to nonprofit sector issues. RCVO's website offers an online catalogue of its library collection, books for sale, a quarterly newsletter, "how-to" articles for quick answers to common questions, and information about RCVO's free services, including access to Imagine Canada's Directory to Foundations and Corporations and "On the Road," a rural outreach program. Many RCVO resources are available online or by request via the online catalogue.
Library Hours	Tuesday – Friday: 9:00 am – 4:00
Reference Services	RCVO staff, with their knowledge of the sector and experience working with thousands of clients, have the answers to many questions right at their fingertips. RCVO consultants may suggest the best information resources, assist with research, or refer clients to other experts or organizations.
Membership and Circulation Policies	Print materials may be borrowed for 4 weeks. Call or visit for more information.
Photocopies and Computers Available	Computer work station, photocopying and printing (.15 per page), as well as scan-to-email, are available on-site.
Subjects:	Nonprofit Organizations
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs

Robert F. Lunney Library, Edmonton Police Service
9620 - 103A Avenue
Edmonton AB T5H0H7

Phone Number	780.421.3459	
Fax	780.421.2826	
Collection Description	<p>The Robert F. Lunney Library (formerly the EPS Learning Resource Centre) was established in 1979 to assemble, preserve, and administer a centrally organized collection of specialized books, documents, reports, and related materials, both print and non-print, in order to support Edmonton Police Service activities and to serve as a centre of reliable information.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 15,000 Monographs (books) • 70 Periodical Titles (hardcopy) • Retired Police Chief Robert F. Lunney Heritage Collection • Edmonton Police Service Archives • Management of service-wide electronic access to EBSCOhost, Westlaw Canada, IACPNet and Questia databases. 	
Website	http://www.edmontonpolice.ca/AboutEPS/RobertFLunneyLibrary.aspx	
Library Hours	Tuesday to Thursday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. by appointment only.	
Reference Services	Phone inquiries on availability of specific titles, answering of reference questions, subject research for police personnel.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	<p>The Library responds to the information needs of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Edmonton Police Service • Law Enforcement/Criminal Justice Agencies • City of Edmonton Department Personnel (through InterLibrary Loan) • Government/Public Libraries <p>With the exception of restricted access to MacEwan and University of Alberta students, the public has limited access.</p>	
Photocopies and Computers Available	Photocopying is available.	
Subjects	Crime and Criminal Justice Health and Health Care	Law Enforcement Management Science
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Monographs Audio Visual Materials	

Strynadka/Brady Reading Room 2-19 Pembina Hall, University of Alberta Edmonton AB T6G2H8	
Phone Number	780.492.1915
Email Address	nativestudies@ualberta.ca
Collection Description	<p>The library contains predominantly Canadian Native Studies Material, and material on other indigenous peoples.</p> <p>Reference Collection: Writing, Research, Law, Land Claim, Treaties, LSAT, Indian Act, Bibliography, Cree Dictionaries, Aboriginal Languages Dictionaries, Language, Recipe, Education, Atlases, Royal Commission on Aboriginal People, Thesis/Honors Papers, Art, Drama, Poetry, Periodicals, Journals</p> <p>File Cabinet Collection: Annual Reports, Community Program and Development, Culture, Economic Development, Environment, History, Land Claims, Law, Statistics, Treaties</p>
Website	http://www.ualberta.ca/NATIVESTUDIES/ The website provides hours of operation of the library and many other resources.
Library Hours	Fall/winter hours vary (see the website) May – September: Monday – Friday, 8:00-16:00
Reference Services	Librarians are available on site to assist in person, familiarize new users with how to research certain topics through our computer catalog and also indicate the availability of particular titles over the phone.
Membership and Circulation Policies	Native Studies Faculty students, staff and alumni are able to take out four materials for a maximum of two weeks. References, files and audio/video are do not circulate, but are available for viewing in the reading room. Late fees are applied. No inter library loans. Non-faculty members are allowed to use material but not check it out.
Photocopies and Computers Available	One computer for searching library catalogues. One photocopier available (\$0.11 per page). One TV set for video viewing.

Subjects:	Aboriginal Issues Agriculture and the Environment Children and Youth Community Development Economy	Education Health and Health Care Income and Employment Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations
Information Format/Media Type	Periodicals Electronic Resources Raw Data Audio Visual Materials	

Volunteer Alberta 10113 104 Street Edmonton AB T5J1A1		
Phone Number	780.482.3300	
Fax	780.482.3310	
Email Address	volab@volunteeralberta.ab.ca	
Collection Description	<p>Volunteer Alberta's primary focus is to connect networks of volunteer engaging organizations and volunteer centres with knowledge. Our sector's ability to meet the challenges of funding, technological opportunities, changes in demographics of volunteers both good and challenging relies on our sector being able to represent itself to community decision makers as knowledgeable and focused on delivering our missions.</p> <p>The library provides access to the Canada Survey of Giving, Volunteering and Participating (CSGVP); and, publications from the Canada Volunteerism Initiative.</p> <p>Volunteer Alberta is a member of iCCAN (Innovative Communities Connecting & Networking), a groundbreaking project that creates access to learning through networked videoconference sites across Alberta.</p>	
Website	http://www.volunteeralberta.ab.ca/ Statistics and Documents are available through the website for online review	
Library Hours	Monday-Friday: 8:30-4:30.	
Membership and Circulation Policies	Services are available to the public and members online.	
Subjects:	Children and Youth Community Development Education	Health and Health Care Legal Issues Nonprofit Organizations
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