

Keeping our promises. Real progress for health care.

Budget 2018 puts Manitoba's economy on the road to recovery and provides a solid plan for making Manitoba the most improved province in Canada.

We're investing in priorities that support consistent, reliable health-care services across Manitoba including:

- investing the highest level of financial support ever for Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living at \$6.2 billion including \$3.89 billion for front-line care provided by the regional health authorities;
- investing an additional \$14 million for the Home Cancer Drug Program;
- reducing ambulance fees to \$340 from \$425;
- creating 60 full-time paramedic positions in communities across Manitoba;
- increasing funding for renal dialysis by \$7.7 million to expand access to care for people with end-stage kidney disease;
- enhancing the Manitoba Newborn Screening Program with an increased investment of \$421,000 to Cadham Provincial Laboratory; and
- spending more than \$10.4 million on nine projects including:
 - Selkirk Hospital,
 - Holy Family Personal Care Home,
 - Flin Flon ER redevelopment,
 - Brandon Hospital bed expansion,
 - Diagnostic Imaging Building at Health Sciences Centre,
 - Ste. Rose du Lac Primary Health Care Centre,
 - Women's Hospital,
 - Dauphin Emergency Department redevelopment, and
 - a primary care information system.