

Our Vision for the Future of Healthcare in Alberta

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AHS leads country in:

- Least time spent in emergency department for admitted patients.
- Fewest repeat hospital stays for mental illness.
- Fewest hospital deaths after major surgery.
- Lowest use of antipsychotic medications to manage behaviours in long-term care residents with dementia.

We're proud of:

- Best tuberculosis program in Canada.
- World-best improvements in treating stroke.
- Innovation from our Strategic Clinical Networks.
- Our people.
- Our integration.

“AHS is a top-heavy organization with too many bureaucrats!”

AHS has leanest healthcare admin in Canada. *

**Canadian Institute for Health Information*

MYTHS

FACTS

“AHS is in chaos!”

AHS is stable and steady.

A new paradigm

Illness focus



Wellness focus

Single-provider care



Team-based care

Physician focused



Patient/family focused

Hospital-based care



Community-based care

A healthier future.
Together.



2017-2020 Health Plan & Business Plan

Goals:

- **Improve patient and family experiences.**
- **Improve patient and population health outcomes.**
- **Improve the experience and safety of our people.**
- **Improve financial health and value for money.**

Enhancing Care in the Community

A healthcare professional in red scrubs is using a handheld otoscope to examine the ear of an elderly woman. The woman is wearing glasses and a purple top. The background shows a clinical setting with a blood pressure monitor and a window with blinds.

- **Move appropriate services out of hospital and into the community.**
- **Albertans get needs met by community-based, multidisciplinary teams.**
- **Frees hospital beds and resources for Albertans who need acute care.**

Hospital care will always be important and will remain crucial component of the health system.

Community care will protect hospitals, not replace them.



Connect Care

- **Develop a common provincewide clinical information system.**
- **Create consistent clinical standards throughout AHS.**
- **Enable staff and physicians to wirelessly access online tools.**
- **Provide free Wi-Fi to patients and visitors at AHS facilities.**

Business Plan:

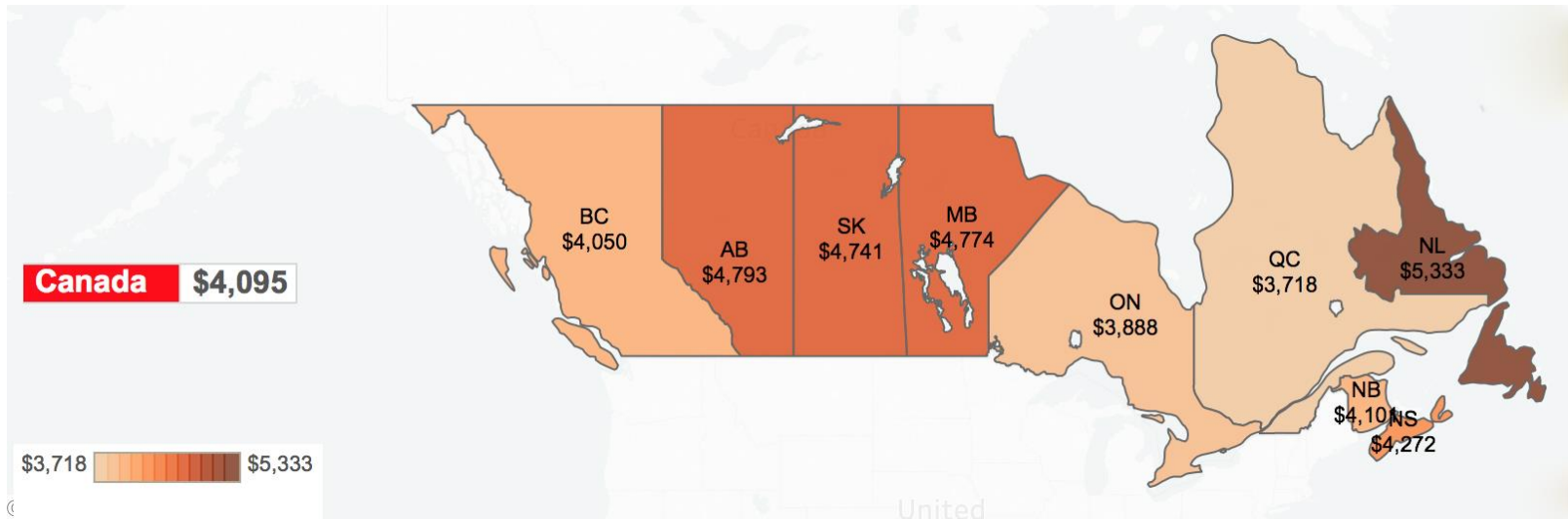
- Majority of new investments made in community care, continuing care, home care and addiction and mental health.
- AHS still looking for ways to streamline operations and achieve cost savings.

**Historically, AHS expenses
have grown by **six per cent**
annually.**

**Over the past two fiscal years,
they've grown by less than
three per cent per year.**

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Alberta healthcare spending



- **Provincial health spending accounts for about six per cent of Alberta's GDP.**
- **Alberta spends \$4,800 per capita on healthcare, second highest among Canadian provinces and 14.6 per cent higher than national average.**

The 2017–2020 Health Plan
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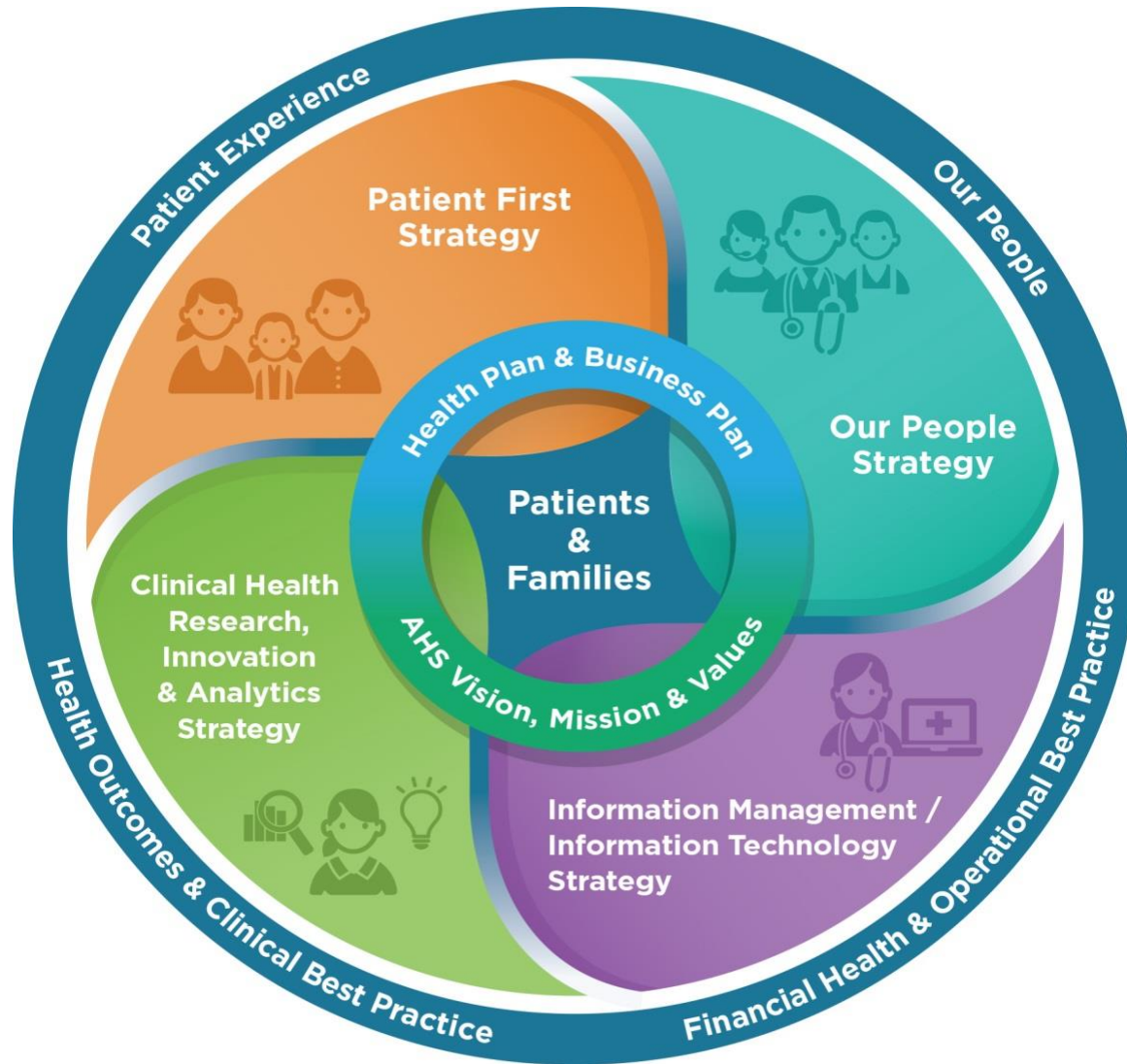
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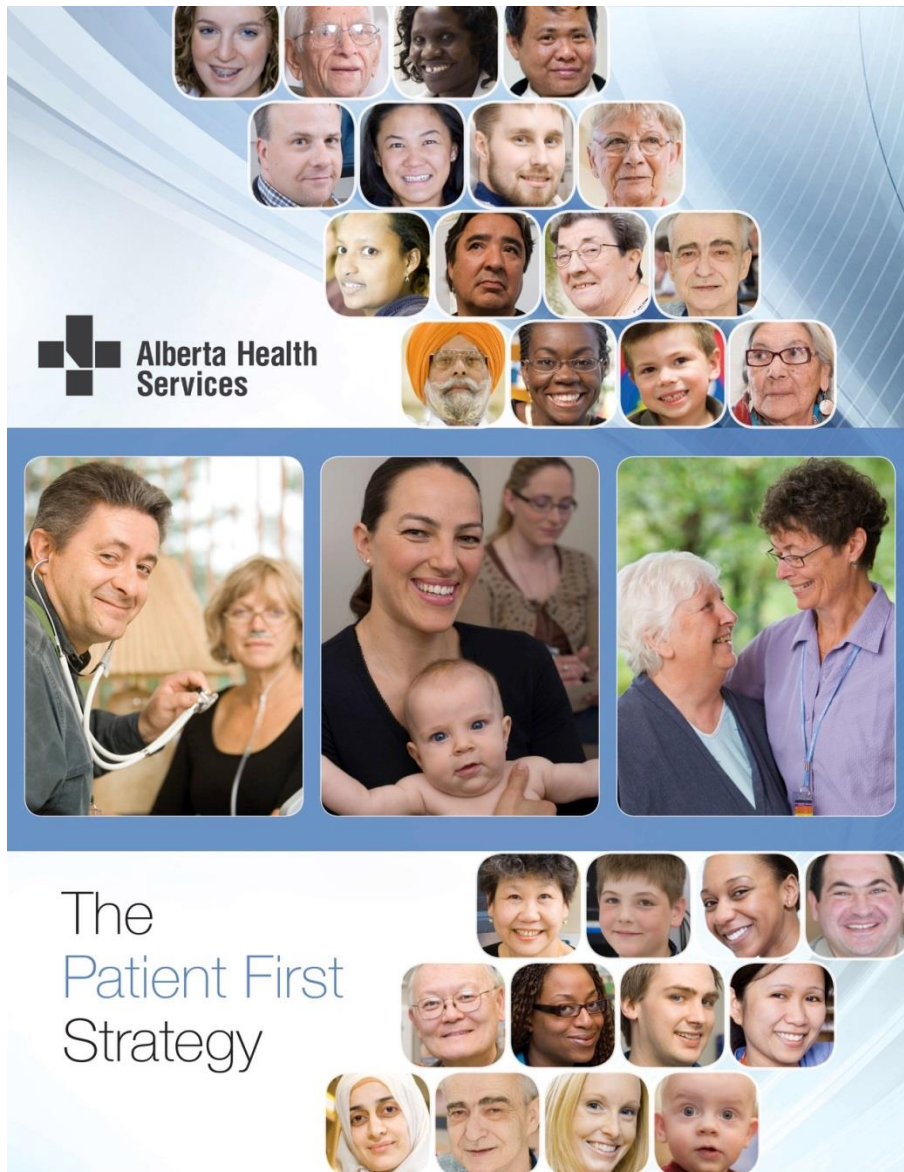
Healthy Albertans.
Healthy Communities.
Together.



Compassion
Accountability
Respect
Excellence
Safety







Themes:

- Promote respect.
- Enhance communications.
- Support a team-based approach to care.
- Improve transition in care.



Our People Strategy

Because We Are Stronger **Together**



Themes:

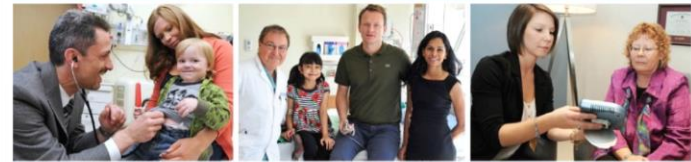
- Clear vision, shared purpose, common goals.
- Building a safe, healthy and inclusive workplace.
- Developing excellent leaders.
- Empowering our people.

2015-2020 Alberta Health Services

Information Management and Information Technology Strategic Plan



AHS Strategy for Clinical Health Research, Innovation and Analytics 2015-2020



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Canada's Top 100 Employers 2018



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The sky's the limit.

Thank You