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**Political Advocacy Committee Meeting**

**Nov 2, 2021**

**Notes**

**Present**

Martha Foster

Bob Fitzpactrick

Lawrence Hyrcan

Grace Wilson

Gerry Tiede

1. Collect Provincial information
   1. Check with NIA for data and definition for Aging in Place-MF
   2. If no data is yet collected, hire someone to Collect data
2. Need our definition of “Aging in place”
   1. How broadly do we want to go; what is included
3. What is happening across Canada; good and bad: Need good examples
4. Need benefits-data of aging in place.
5. Have information sheets prepared for Members.
6. Need an over-riding strategy. Letter-writing campaign-needs to be layered from the ground up
7. Who might our allies be?

Information to be collected

\*Percentage of money allocated to senior care that goes to LTCH. How does it differ across the provinces?

Who is in charge of allocation: Federal ? Provincial?

What role do Bilateral agreements play in the federal allocation?

\*Which provinces have a minister of seniors or an seniors’ advocate?

\*What inclusion of aging in place is included in the provincial and federal senior mandates?