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Homecare workers' data bank



For whom?
Why?
How?

The Ex aequo homecare workers' data bank for self-managers who receive home support services through the Employment Cheque Service (CES)

Managing your home support services, gives you more autonomy!

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THE EX AEQUO HOMECARE WORKERS' DATA BANK

The home support service with the **Employment Cheque Service (CES)**: increasing your autonomy!

- You may choose to receive your home support services with:
 - ◆ The CES
 - ◆ Homecare workers from the health and social services centre (HSSC) - Centre de santé et de services sociaux (CSSS)
 - ◆ Private agencies
 - ◆ Social economy enterprises offering home assistance.
- Your occupational therapist or social worker will offer you this choice.
- The CES procedure is a way of managing your services yourself, allowing you to decide when you wish to receive them and to choose the person who will provide them.
- Legally, the user of the home support services becomes a “self-manager” and is therefore the employer of the homecare worker.

Ex aequo offers you a **list of homecare workers** who are trained to offer home support services.

- This list facilitates the hiring process according to the self-manager’s hiring criteria.
- Homecare workers in the Ex aequo data bank are well informed of how the CES operates.

The **coordinator’s** role at Ex aequo

- To select homecare workers according to their qualifications and experience.
- To regularly check their availability and the territories they serve.
- To guide the self-manager by suggesting workers.
- To follow-up the twinning process to ensure continuity.

The **self-manager’s** role

- To meet, hire and dismiss staff, when necessary.
- To complete the “Social Record” form used as an attendance record for the worker hired.

The **homecare worker** hired is:

- Paid by the Employment Service Cheque Processing Centre, in partnership with the *Caisses populaires Desjardins*.
- Covered by the Quebec *Act respecting labour standards*.

How to access the list of homecare workers?

- By telephone at 514-288-3852, extension 232
- On the organization’s universally accessible website: www.exaequo.net
- By email: info@exaequo.net