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Introduction

1. The Ottawa Welfare Council is a voluntary organization, financed by contributions made to the Ottawa and District United Appeal (formerly Community Chest). The Ottawa Welfare Council, like similar organizations in other municipalities, has as its major objective the coordinated development of health and welfare services in the community which it serves. A small professional staff and a 26 member Board of Directors work towards this objective in cooperation with the Council's 66 member organizations. Close relationships are maintained with other health and welfare agencies in the city and with individuals and groups who have a particular interest in health and welfare matters.