

ATTENTION: ODSP RECIPIENTS IN OTTAWA

- **Have you been denied Medical Transportation Allowance** to attend appointments and activities that are necessary for your health?
- **Does your doctor recommend** that you attend these appointments or activities?

If so, then CMHA Ottawa recommends that you appeal the denial of the allowance.

The community legal clinics in Ottawa are available to represent you.

A lawyer from **South Ottawa Legal Services** is waiting to hear from **you** if you have been denied the transportation allowance for going to appointments and activities such as support groups, case worker appointments, alternative health services, supportive employment, and others.

How to get involved?

Contact: **South Ottawa
Community Legal Services
733-0140
1355 Bank Street, Ste 406**

For more information

- *Lisa Jamieson, CMHA
Ottawa at 737-7791
ext 125*
- *Gary Stein,
South Ottawa
Community Legal
Services at
733-0140*

Why Bother?

- The ODSP policy for medical transportation is too restrictive.
- If lots of ODSP recipients appeal and win, it will put pressure on the government to change the policy.
- Other people receiving ODSP have won these kinds of appeals.



The Road to Health Requires Transportation