



Welcome to Edson!

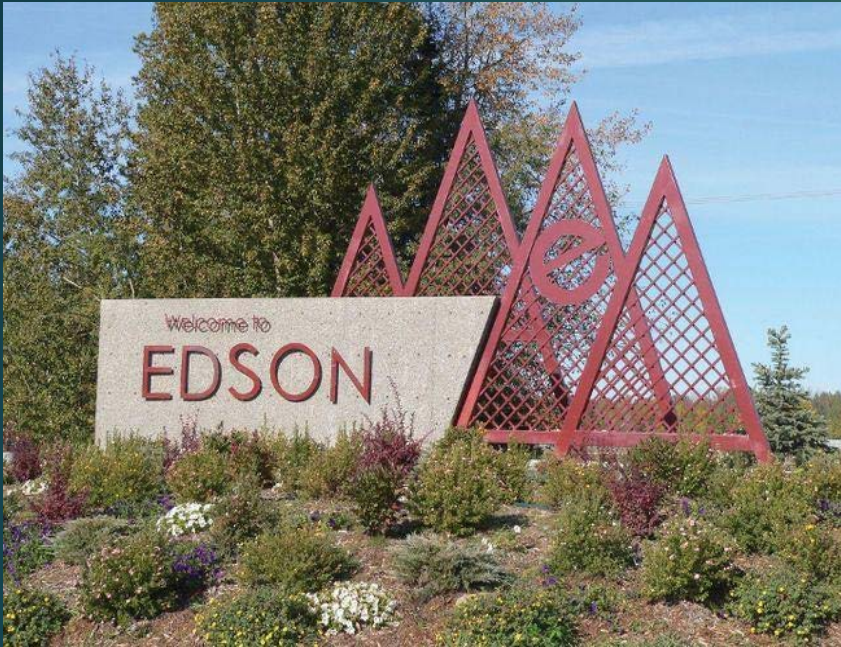
<http://www.edson.ca/>



Location

- 202 km (2 hrs) from Edmonton
- 164 km (1 ¾ hrs) from Jasper
- 313 km (3 ½ hrs) from Grande Prairie





Town of Edson

- Population: 8,414
- Median age: 35.9
- 11.2% of population 65+
- Economic Base:
 - Coal
 - Oil & Natural Gas
 - Forestry
- Home of Canada's largest slo-pitch tournament
- For more info: <http://www.edson.ca/business/directory>

Yellowhead County



- Population: 10,995
- Median Age: 43
- 15.6% of population 65+



- Edson Golf Club
- Outdoor arena
- Recreation complex & curling club
- Repsol Place (Leisure Centre)
- Skateboard park & BMX track
- Parks & walking trails
- Camping & Fishing
- Skiing
- Cross country skiing
- Movie theatre

Recreation

<http://www.edson.ca/visitors/discover-edson>

Edson Healthcare Centre

3837 6 Ave
Edson, AB
T7E 0C5
(780) 723-3331

- 24-Hour active emergency
- 16 Active treatment beds
- 50 Nursing home beds
- Laboratory
- Community health services
- Family counselling
- Mental health services
- Social services
- Home care
- Telehealth eye clinic (McLeod River PCN)

Specialists:

- Ob/Gyn
- Ophthalmology (pending)
- Pediatrics
- Surgery
- Urology (pending)
- Radiology, General Surgeon
- CT Scanner: Hinton (1 hr away)



Edson Medical Centre

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- Emergency care
- Obstetrics: 120 deliveries /year
- Surgery: GP surgeon, day surgery
- Anesthesia



Testimonials

"I really enjoyed my time in Edson. Almost all of the physicians in town are very committed to teaching and are keen to have students. The hospital and clinic staff are also very fun to work with. It was a real pleasure to be part of the move into the new hospital and enjoy a brand new facility. Most of all, it was a really special experience to work with so many patients, to follow up with them for various health issues, to see them at the grocery store, and to develop relationships with them. I wouldn't trade my experience in Edson for anything".



Photo of Funky Fork - an Edson classic!