Environmental Scan of Resources for Individuals with FASD who are also involved in the Criminal Legal System in British Columbia

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## **Executive Summary**

This environmental scan was conducted as part of a larger research project, entitled "Increasing capacity to identify and support individuals with FASD and complex neurodevelopmental needs in British Columbia", which is funded by the Law Foundation of BC. The overall aim of the project is to improve the services and supports received by individuals with FASD and other neurodevelopmental conditions in the legal system and ultimately improve their trajectory and outcomes. Two key objectives include: 1) Building and enhancing the informal legal and clinical community of practice for professionals, agencies, and service providers who support and engage with youth and adults with FASD in BC; and 2) Developing and implementing an FASD screening toolkit with accompanying resources, informed by the current FASD screening tool used in The Asante Centre's Youth Justice Program. In addition to these two objectives, the team will then train professionals in the criminal legal sector across BC on the use of the toolkit. In the process of these activities, the team aims to create an informal community of practice for used on FASD within the criminal legal sector.

The goal of this scan was to compile a list of resources available in BC that might be helpful for individuals with FASD who are involved in the criminal legal system. To our knowledge, no such recent or local compilation of relevant resources exists for the criminal legal sphere, and community stakeholder feedback has indicated that there is great demand for such a resource. Our hope is that this scan can be utilized by professionals to quickly get a sense of what is available, and what kinds of services or agencies might be helpful to connect with while supporting individuals with FASD within the criminal legal context. The scan is focused on resources accessible to both youth ages 12 and up, as well as adults. For the purposes of this scan, our definition of a resource includes support and advocacy groups and service providers.

This scan has highlighted how few resources there are in BC that are tailored specifically to individuals with undiagnosed or diagnosed FASD within the criminal legal context, with only five resources existing with this specific focus. Additionally, when the entirety of the resources in the scan are considered, there are fewer resources available to adults than youth under 19 years of age. The identified resources have been organized into four categories: FASD specific resources, general support services, disability specific supports, and criminal legal system resources. In addition, we created four appendices to include additional resources that fell outside of the definition outlined above, but that may nonetheless be helpful for criminal legal professionals. These include programs in other provinces, and an extensive directory of FASD Key Workers and Indigenous Justice Programs located across BC.

The intention of this scan is to create a generative, collaborative document that can change over time, and eventually become a web-based resource. As such, we are open to additions to our list, feedback on use of the list, and comments on future improvements. All feedback can be directed to Meghan Schuurman, Special Projects Coordinator at The Asante Centre, as mschuurman@asantecentre.org

# Introduction

#### Background

This environmental scan was conducted as part of a multi-year research project funded by the Law Foundation of BC. This scan was conducted by staff at The Asante Centre, which serves as the community partner for the project. The Asante Centre, governed by the registered charitable organization the Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD) Society for British Columbia (BC), is an assessment, support, and advocacy organization committed to helping individuals with FASD and other brain-based disabilities reach their full potential.

#### Objectives

The environmental scan portion of the project is designed to compile existing resources and services in BC that may be helpful to individuals involved with the criminal legal system who have FASD. This includes resources that require that an individual is diagnosed with FASD to access the resource, as well as resources for those without a diagnosis. As mentioned above, the overarching goal of this project is to update the existing Asante Centre FASD screening tool in line with current empirical knowledge, then distribute the tool and an accompanying toolkit designed for criminal legal professionals. When this distribution and implementation occurs, it is important that **professionals using the screening toolkit know which resources and services can be referred to and accessed by clients with FASD.** 

To our knowledge, a resource list or directory with a tailored focus on supports for individuals with FASD in a criminal legal context does not yet exist. Anecdotally, we have learned that local professionals in the field are highly supportive of this endeavor and are eager to access the resulting document. The creation of this scan also contributes towards the goal of developing a strong community of practice in BC amongst professionals within the criminal legal systems who work with individuals with FASD.

# Methods

#### Strategy for Identification of Resources and Services

A variety of methods were used to identify key services that may be relevant for individuals with FASD who are involved in the criminal legal system. The following sources of information were utilized:

- a) Current and former Asante Centre staff members
- b) Prior environmental scans
- c) Internet resources (e.g., linked websites)
- d) Resources identified by the Advisory Committee
- e) Resources identified in the process of conducting the scan

The first step for conducting this environmental scan involved learning from the wealth of experience and knowledge held by The Asante Centre team members. Current and former staff

members generated many of the initial resources and services for the scan. Our research partner team and the Advisory Committee for this project were also canvassed for suggestions. We identified prior FASD-relevant environmental scans published in the academic literature. Existing environmental scans provided additional resources and formatting ideas for our final document. When checking the websites of the initial list of resources, we followed links to any associated websites, resources, or services. We included these new resources if they were similar to already identified resources or would potentially meet the needs of individuals with FASD.

Once an initial resource list was created, Meghan Schuurman, Special Projects Coordinator at the Asante Centre, confirmed contact information for the identified resources. Through conversations with professionals from these initial programs and services, additional resources were identified and added. Lastly, a draft of the final version of the scan was circulated to the Advisory Committee for this project. The Advisory Committee includes 17 professionals working in different parts of the criminal legal sector (see acknowledgments for a detailed description). With their input, further resources were added.

#### Selection Criteria

In conducting the environmental scan, we had two objectives: to highlight specific resources available in BC, and discover innovative programs or practices Canada-wide that could eventually be implemented in BC.

For the primary, BC-focused environmental scan, we included resources that:

- a) Comprised programs and resources for support (e.g., specialized courts, assessment centres, additional programs/organizations, specialized staff including key workers and system navigators, and professionals with FASD training), and advocacy services (e.g., advocacy groups and resources, support groups [in-person and virtual], and support networks).
- b) Were relevant to BC (either physically offered in BC, or a virtual resource available to people living in BC).
- c) Included accurate and up-to-date contact information.

These inclusion criteria resulted in 55 resources being included in the primary environmental scan.

For the secondary scan, we explored the wider landscape of similar FASD resources and services across Canada to capture innovative programs or practices that are being used in other regions. The inclusion criteria for these national resources comprised services or programs working directly at the intersection of supporting individuals with FASD involved in the criminal legal system. We looked for programs that promoted community collaboration and mobilized professionals in the criminal legal system to become FASD-informed. We included them as inspiration for what the future of FASD resources and services in BC could look like given

appropriate funding and infrastructure investment. These inclusion criteria resulted in 9 resources being included in the secondary scan (see Appendix A). However, this is not the full extent of resources and services available nationally, as many programs or services did not respond to our requests for information in time for the scan to be finalized.

Many additional resources were collected during the primary and secondary scan research process. Given the dearth of available relevant resources, we also included key training and education resources in Appendix B. Given their comprehensive nature, information about the BC FASD Keyworker program was included in Appendix C, and the Indigenous Program Directory in Appendix D. Duplications were consolidated.

It is important to note that the environmental scan **did not involve any kind of formal quality assurance component**. As such, The Asante Centre, research partners, and project funders take no responsibility for the practices implemented by the resources listed, or for the positions that they may represent. It is up to the end user of this scan to do their due diligence prior to accessing these resources and services. In addition, any web-based resources are up to date only at the time of the creation of this scan, and links may be broken or out of date when the scan is accessed at a later time.

## Findings

The most important finding of the primary scan of BC based resources was that **very few resources** (only five) were explicitly designed to address the specific needs of individuals with FASD who are involved in the criminal legal system. These are described below.

- Mariah Keary Cottage offers supportive housing to men with undiagnosed or diagnosed FASD, who are over 19 years of age, and have been discharged from a Correctional Services Canada site with a conditional release.
- 2. *The Asante Centre's Youth Justice program,* in partnership with Ministry of Children and Family Development, offers assessment services to youth involved in the criminal legal system who meet screening criteria for FASD.
- 3. The *Integrated and Transitional Release Planning* (ITRP) program within BC Corrections offers a pathway to FASD assessment for adults who are incarcerated, offering them a chance to start assessment at The Asante Centre prior to release.
- 4. Two virtual resources from our education and training appendix are included, as they were also specifically designed to address the intersection of FASD and the criminal legal system:
  - a. CanFASD's online training course *FASD for Judicial and Legal Professionals Level II*, which offers education to professionals in the criminal legal system (for a fee)
  - b. The Justice Institute of BC's course *Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder*, which is available to those working within the BC Correctional system.

Despite the lack of combined FASD *and* criminal legal specific resources, we identified many more resources that are adjacent to this specific focus. Figure 1 provides a visual representation of how these resources can be conceptualized. Some resources fit into one category, while others might fit into the overlap between two or more categories. Resources that most closely fit in the centre, represented by the star, are the five resources mentioned above, which are for individuals with diagnosed or possible FASD and criminal legal or justice involvement. The specific resources included are delineated in Table 1.



Figure 1. Resource Categorization

Table	1.	Overview	of	Services	in	BC
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Type of Resource	Number of Resources	
FASD Specific Resources	÷	
Assessment Centres (Children, Youth, and Adults) 4		
Adult Assessment Funding	1	
Educational Support	1	
Indigenous Specific Assessment Funding Sources	2	
Peer Support Resources	3	
General Support Services	· ·	
Employment Services 2		
Family Support Resources	3	
Housing	4	
Indigenous Specific Supports	5	
Mental Health Resources	5	

Recreation 1	
Disability Specific Supports	
Financial Assistance	3
General Government Support Services	3
Criminal Legal System Resources	
Community Justice Services 4	
Court Resources	2
Legal Services	6
Specialized Correctional Programs	3
Specialized Courts 3	

## Conclusion

The lack of resources specifically intended for individuals with FASD and criminal legal involvement in BC, and Canada more broadly, reveals several gaps to be addressed across research, practice, and policy. The current scan highlights the need for both increased FASD screening amongst individuals involved in the criminal legal system, as well as the investment of resources to create relevant supports and services for those identified. Current access to FASD assessment and diagnosis in the adult population is limited, with little public funding available. The adult assessment process is complicated by the difficulty of confirming prenatal alcohol exposure when the individual is of an older age. As a result, with fewer diagnosed individuals, there may be a perception that the demand for such specific resources is low, instead of the low demand reflecting a large undiagnosed population.

We anticipate that the BC based community of practice created through the range of activities of this project will be well-positioned to advocate for the creation of such resources and services in the future, and that the newly updated screening toolkit will result in increased assessment and diagnosis of individuals involved in the criminal legal system. The development of such resources and services would benefit from being modeled on the programs highlighted in other provinces in Appendix A.

This document is dynamic, and may eventually become a web-based tool. Our hope is that such a tool could be utilized by any member of the public and updated as more resources and services are identified. Until that transformation occurs, we would appreciate feedback on the use of this scan, and comments or questions can be directed to Meghan Schuurman, Special Projects Coordinator at The Asante Centre, <u>mschuurman@asantecentre.org</u>

## Resources

# FASD Specific Resources

#### Assessment Centres

	The Asante Centre
Location	#103-22356 McIntosh Avenue, Maple Ridge, BC
	#202-7337 137 <sup>th</sup> St, Surrey, BC
Phone Number	Maple Ridge: 604-467-7101
	Surrey: 778-564-7101
Email	info@asantecentre.org
Website	https://www.asantecentre.org/
Description	This centre offers multidisciplinary assessment and diagnostic services for children, youth, and adults, as well as a virtual mentorship program for individuals with a FASD diagnosis, aged 13+ (see separate entry below). Referrals can be made via Community Living BC (CLBC), BC Corrections, self-referral, or through Youth Probation Officers, as part of the Youth Justice program (funded by Ministry of Child and Family Development).

	Complex Developmental Behavioural Conditions (CDBC) Network
Location	Across BC (e.g., Vancouver, Victoria, Prince George, Interior)
Phone Number	Vancouver: 604-453-8313
	Victoria: 250-519-6745
	Prince George: 250-645-7700
	Interior: Various phone numbers (see
	https://www.interiorhealth.ca/services/interior-health-childrens-
	assessment-network#detail-resources
Email	N/A
Website	http://www.bcchildrens.ca/our-services/sunny-hill-health-centre/our-
	services/complex-developmental-behavioural-conditions#Resources
Description	This hub is where children aged 18 months to 19 years old residing
	anywhere in BC can access assessment for FASD. Depending on
	location, they will be referred to sites across the province where the
	assessment can be performed. Diagnostic services are only offered, not
	intervention or management services. Referrals are accepted via
	pediatricians, psychiatrists, and nurse practitioners, using the referral
	form for their region, which can be found on the website.

	FASD Okanagan Valley Assessment and Support Society
Location	#104 - 3402 27 Ave, Vernon, BC

FASD Okanagan Valley Assessment and Support Society		
Phone Number	250-938-5022	
Email	info@fasdokanagan.ca	
Website	https://www.fasdokanagan.ca/	
Description	Multidisciplinary FASD assessments for youth (aged 15+) and adults are	
	offered, as well as support groups for adults with FASD and	
	families/caregivers, which occur both in person and virtually. Clients	
	can be referred via healthcare or social service professionals, or	
	individuals can self-refer.	

	Fraser Development Centre
Location	#261-610 Sixth St, New Westminster, BC
Phone Number	604-522-7979
Email	info@fraserdevelopmental.ca
Website	http://fraserdevelopmental.ca/services/
Description	This centre offers multidisciplinary FASD assessments for children and youth (0-18 years old), with referrals accepted from family doctors and
	pediatricians.

# Adult Assessment Funding Sources

	Community Living BC (CLBC)
Location	Local offices located across BC
Phone Number	1-877-660-2522
Email	CLBCInfo@gov.bc.ca
Website	https://www.communitylivingbc.ca/
Description	Adults seeking out FASD assessment can approach their local CLBC
	office to inquire about their eligibility for having a FASD assessment
	funded through CLBC. Individuals are strongly encouraged to bring as
	much supporting documentation (previous assessments, school
	records, proof of prenatal alcohol exposure) to their local office when
	they inquire.

# Educational Support

Provincial Outreach Program for FASD (POPFASD)		
Location	Virtual, available to school districts across BC	
Phone Number	250-564-6574 (ext. 2015)	
Email	info@fasdoutreach.ca	
Website	https://www.fasdoutreach.ca/	
Description	POPFASD is a Ministry of Education-funded organization working to	
	increase the capacity of educators to meet the learning needs of	

# Provincial Outreach Program for FASD (POPFASD)students with FASD. They offer on-demand courses and livestreams to<br/>the general public, which can be accessed on their website, or by<br/>signing up for their newsletter, which can be done on the website.

#### Indigenous Specific Assessment Funding Resources

	Jordan's Principle
Location	# 202 - 350 Sparks Street, Ottawa, ON
	Accessible across Canada
Phone Number	1-855-JP-CHILD
Email	info@fncaringsociety.com
Website	https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1568396042341/1568396159824
Description	Jordan's Principle often funds FASD assessments for Indigenous
	children and youth who are under the age of majority in their province.
	Applicants need to have a status card, or be status-eligible.

	Jordan's Principle Coordinators
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	604-913-9128 (BC Aboriginal Child Care Society, which manages the
	Hub)
Email	jordansprinciplehub@acc-society.bc.ca
Website	https://jordansprinciplehubbc.ca/service-coordinator-
	directory/#service-coordinator-map
Description	Families trying to access Jordan's Principle funding can call their local
	Jordan's Principle Coordinator for assistance. The map linked above
	lists the locations of coordinators and provides contact information.

#### Peer Support Resources

	Asante Mentorship Program
Location	Virtual
Phone Number	604-467-7101
Email	mentorship@asantecentre.org
Website	https://www.asantecentre.org/peer-mentorship-and-consultation
Description	The Asante Centre offers mentorship services at no or low cost
	(depending on current demand) to individuals ages 13+ who are aware
	of their FASD diagnosis. Mentorship now occurs exclusively online and
	is available in 30 minute weekly sessions.

	Flying with Broken Wings Facebook Group
Location	Virtual

	Flying with Broken Wings Facebook Group
Phone Number	1-800-397-9567
Email	info@healthnexus.ca
Website	https://www.facebook.com/groups/FASDaFlyingwithbrokenWings/
Description	A Facebook group created for individuals with FASD and their loved
	ones/caregivers to support one another.

Family Support Institute (FSI) FASD Zoom Sessions	
Location	Virtual
Phone Number	1-800-441-5403
Email	fsi@fsibc.com
Website	https://familysupportbc.com/event/fasd-thinking-outside-of-the-box-7-
	<u>2021-09-16/2023-01-19/</u>
Description	FSI is a provincial not-for-profit society in BC committed to supporting families who have a family member with a disability. The weekly FASD
	Zoom sessions provide a safe online space to connect and share with
	other individuals with FASD and the people that support them.

# General Support Services

# Employment Services

	Dan's Legacy Prep Cook program
Location	New Westminister, BC
Phone Number	604-532-2100
Email	andrew.wong@danslegacy.com
Website	https://danslegacy.com/about-us/dans-warehouse/
Description	Dan's Legacy provides many services, including this program, which is an introduction to cooking. The 4-month long program is designed for individuals aged 19 to 29 who are aging out of care, Indigenous, women who have survived violence, or identify as new Canadians. The program includes an orientation, 12 weeks of training, and a 3-week practicum placement. Upon completion of the program, assistance will be provided to ensure employment or continued training. Counselling support will be available throughout the program.

Reaching Independence Through Employment (RITE) Program	
Location	Abbotsford, Maple Ridge, Mission, Chilliwack
Phone Number	Abbotsford: 604-859-0033
	Maple Ridge: 604-476-1202
	Mission: 604-814-0052
	Chilliwack: 604-792-8000

	Reaching Independence Through Employment (RITE) Program
Email	Abbotsford: riteab@triangleresources.com
	Maple Ridge: <u>ritemr@triangleresources.com</u>
	Mission: N/A
	Chilliwack: ritechwk@triangleresources.com
Website	https://triangleresources.com/mental-health-barriers-disabilities-rite-
	program/
Description	This program supports people struggling with mental health, substance misuse, concurrent disorders, learning disabilities or related anxieties to gain the confidence, skills, training, and experience needed to find and sustain meaningful employment.

#### Family Support Resources

	Family Support Institute (FSI)
Location	Across BC
	227 6th Street, New Westminster, BC
Phone Number	1-800-441-5403
Email	fsi@fsibc.com
Website	https://familysupportbc.com/calendar-fsievents/
Description	FSI is a province-wide non-profit that supports families who have a
	family member with a disability. Their volunteer Resource Parents are
	matched with families and offer peer support. FSI also runs a
	specialized weekly Zoom hang out for families and individuals with a
	FASD diagnosis (see entry above).

	Foster Parent Support Service Society (FPSSS)
	Across BC
	Victoria, BC
Phone Number	1-888-922-8437
Email	admin@fpsss.com
Website	https://fpsss.com/
Description	An organization focused on providing support, education, and
	networking services to enhance the skills and abilities of foster parents.
	Occasionally FPSSS will provide a FASD training program for foster
	parents and, dependent on funding, adoptive parents, and biological
	parents.

Whitecrow Village L.I.F.E. Sessions	
Location	Across BC
	P.O. Box 4575 Station A, Nanaimo, BC
Phone Number	N/A

	Whitecrow Village L.I.F.E. Sessions
Email	admin@whitecrowvillage.org
Website	https://www.whitecrowvillage.org/programs/l-i-f-e-sessions/
Description	Whitecrow Village offers 5-to-7-day L.I.F.E. sessions to families with a
	loved one with undiagnosed or diagnosed FASD, or professionals who
	work with individuals with FASD. L.I.F.E. sessions offer an immersive,
	summer camp-like setting that serves to transform understandings of
	FASD. The L.I.F.E. session material can also be tailored to different
	settings and be brought to groups of professionals or to diverse
	communities.

# Housing

	BC Housing
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	1-800-257-7756
Email	N/A
Website	https://www.bchousing.org/housing-assistance
Description	Housing information for individuals who are homeless, women at risk of violence, seniors, families, individuals with disabilities, aboriginal
	individuals, singles and couples.

	Connective Living Society (formerly John Howard Society)
Location	Across BC (Vancouver, Surrey, Abbotsford, Kamloops)
Phone Number	604-872-5651 ext. 311 (Outreach and Inclusion, and Residential)
Email	<pre>communityliving@connective.ca and</pre>
	communitylivingresidential@connective.ca
Website	https://connective.ca/
Description	This resource offers outreach and inclusion services, as well as residential services, to clients who are CLBC-eligible. The residential options offer varying levels of support and independence, including home-share options.

Folkstone Residential Services (PLEA Community Services)	
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	Vancouver: 604-561-3923
	Abbotsford: 236-888-5262
Email	info@plea.bc.ca
Website	https://www.plea.ca/adult-programs/folkstone/
Description	This program offers residential services using the caregiver model,
	wherein clients are paired with an in-home caregiver. Clients are also

assigned a services coordinator who works to coordinate the team. Day programming is offered in Vancouver and Abbotsford.

Mariah Keary Cottage (Westcoast Genesis Society)	
Location	305 Carnarvon Street, New Westminster, BC
Phone Number	1-866-515-2950
Email	PamelaS@wgsbc.ca
Website	https://westcoastgenesissociety.ca/
Description	FASD-informed housing for men 19+ with a conditional release order
	that is supervised by Correctional Services Canada. Additional BC
	Housing transitional beds are available on site as well, outside of the
	FASD program, but staffed by the same agency.

#### Indigenous Specific Supports

	BC Aboriginal Network on Disability Society
Location	Headquartered in Victoria, remote service across BC
Phone Number	1-888-815-5511
Email	dcm2@bcands.bc.ca
Website	http://www.bcands.bc.ca/
Description	This organization supports self-identified Indigenous clients who also self-identify as having a disability of any kind. By calling their toll-free number, individuals are assigned a case manager, who can offer supports tailored to the clients' needs. This can include accessing housing resources, funding for medical needs or equipment, mental health resources, and other advocacy. Clients can be of any age, and files never close, as the program has no set duration.

	BC Association of Friendship Centres
Location	Across BC, see map on website for locations
Phone Number	1-250-388-5522
Email	adminassist@bcaafc.com
Website	https://bcaafc.com/about-us/friendship-centres/
Description	Located across BC, Friendship Centres work to "promote, develop and deliver accessible programs and services that support Indigenous peoples living in urban areas and away from home to achieve their vision of health, wellness and prosperity".

	Indigenous Justice Centres (a program of the BC First Nations Justice Council)
Location	Merritt, Prince George, Prince Rupert, Virtual (certain eligibility
	requirements for virtual service)
Phone Number	1-877-602-4858 (First Nations Justice Council main line)
Email	info@bcfnjc.com
Website	https://bcfnjc.com/indigenous-justice-centres-in-british-columbia/
Description	Indigenous Justice Centres (IJCs) offer legal information, advice, support, and representation that is culturally appropriate, at the community level. The services are focused on criminal law and child protection issues.

	Indigenous Wellness Program at Pacific Community Resources Society
Location	Agassiz, Boston Bar, Chilliwack, Hope
Phone Number	604-209-8232 (Kathy Abraham)
	604-316-0024 (Casey Nali-Ratcliff)
Email	cnali-ratcliff@pcrs.ca
Website	https://pcrs.ca/service-types/cultural-supports/
Description	This program offers support for the healing and well-being journeys of
	Indigenous individuals. They offer an Indigenous Peer Coordinator
	support as well, who is FASD-informed.

Justice Coordinator at Sts'ailes Nation	
Location	Sts'ailes Nation (Agassiz, BC)
Phone Number	604-796-2116 ext. 283
Email	darla.rasmussen@stsailes.com
Website	N/A
Description	The justice coordinator at Sts'ailes Nation works within the Rights and Titles department, and works with members of Sts'ailes Nation, as well as those living off-reserve, offering a variety of services, including coordinating with different organizations involved in the criminal legal system.

#### Mental Health Resources

	Dan's Legacy
Location	Vancouver, BC
Phone Number	604-532-2100
Email	N/A
Website	https://danslegacy.com/help/register-a-client/ OR
	https://danslegacy.com/help/register-yourself/

	Dan's Legacy
Description	Dan's Legacy offers trauma-informed counselling services to individuals
	aged 15-25 and has offered FASD-specific programming in the past,
	though none is currently funded. Current mental health programming
	typically involves 16 sessions over 4 months with a counsellor. Clients
	can self-refer or be referred by professionals.

	Cheryl McIntee Counselling and Consulting
Location	Virtual, across BC
Phone Number	604-613-5106
Email	cmcinteecounselling@gmail.com
Website	N/A
Description	Cheryl has extensive experience working with individuals with FASD, as well as other complex neurodevelopmental conditions, autism spectrum disorder, and ADHD. She works from a trauma-informed perspective. She currently works only online, with limited availability. She is also available to therapists and other professionals in a consulting capacity.

	Elizabeth McWilliams Hewitt MA Ed. & Associates
Location	Virtual, across BC
Phone Number	604-817-5996
Email	emcwilliams hewitt@yahoo.com
Website	N/A
Description	Elizabeth offers FASD-informed behavioural consulting and counselling
	services. She has previously been a part of the FASD Collaboration
	Roundtable and worked as a FASD Key Worker for many years. She has
	been supporting families and individuals with FASD as a private practice
	behavioural consultant for the past ten years and is in the process of
	becoming a certified counsellor.

FASD Counselling
1037 West Broadway, Unit 201, Vancouver, BC
Virtual options also available.
604-800-9001
info@fasdcounselling.com
https://fasdcounselling.com/
Natascha Lawrence (RCC) and her team of clinicians offer counselling
services from a FASD-informed and neurodiverse lens, as well as training, consulting and supervision for other clinicians.

	Ministry of Children and Family Development: Children and Youth Mental Health (CYMH)
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	Phone number varies across location. See <u>https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/health/managing-your-</u> <u>health/mental-health-substance-use/child-teen-mental-health/mental-</u> <u>health-intake-clinics</u>
Email	N/A
Website	https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/health/managing-your- health/mental-health-substance-use/child-teen-mental-health
Description	The Ministry of Children and Family Development's Child and Youth Mental Health (CYMH) teams located across B.C. provide a range of mental health assessment and treatment options for children and youth (0-18 years of age) and their families at no cost.

#### Recreation

	Artists Helping Artists Studio Collective
Location	7724 Royal Oak Ave, Burnaby BC V5J 4K4
Phone Number	604-438-4775
Email	artistshelpingartists@gobaci.com
Website	https://www.ahaburnaby.ca/about
Description	Artists Helping Artists is a drop-in studio program, run by the Burnaby Association for Community Inclusion, and is staffed by artists trained to support people with disabilities. They offer drop-in art studio times from Monday to Friday, from 9am to 3pm. Membership is \$75 for a year, which includes access to additional benefits. Interested individuals should call before coming for their first time, so that they can discuss the best day to visit, and any needs that might need to be considered ahead of time.

# Disability Specific Resources

#### Financial Assistance

	Disability Tax Credit
Location	Virtual (Accessible across Canada)
Phone Number	1-800-959-8281
Email	N/A
Website	https://www.canada.ca/en/revenue-
	agency/services/tax/individuals/segments/tax-credits-deductions-
	individuals-disabilities/disability-tax-credit.html
Description	The disability tax credit (DTC) is a non-refundable tax credit that helps
	individuals with a diagnosed disability, or their supporting family

#### Disability Tax Credit member, reduce the amount of income tax they may have to pay. Families may be eligible for up to 10 years of retroactive payments once they receive DTC status, as long as it is indicated in the paperwork that the diagnosis has been present since birth.

Individuals with Disabilities (PWD) Income Supports	
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	1-866-866-0800
Email	N/A
Website	https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/family-social-supports/services-
	for-people-with-disabilities/disability-assistance
Description	Disability assistance can help individuals with health or financial needs.
	Clients must be designated as a Person with Disability (PWD) to be
	eligible, a process that occurs with the help of a physician.

	Registered Disability Saving Plan
Location	Virtual (Accessible across Canada)
Phone Number	1-866-204-0357
Email	N/A
Website	https://www.canada.ca/en/revenue-
	agency/services/tax/individuals/topics/registered-disability-savings-
	<u>plan-rdsp.html</u>
Description	A registered disability savings plan (RDSP) is a savings plan intended to help parents and others save for the long-term financial security of a
	person who is eligible for the disability tax credit (DTC). DTC status
	must be granted before a RDSP can be opened at a bank or credit
	union.

#### General Government Support Services

	Community Living BC (CLBC)
Location	Local offices located across BC
Phone Number	1-877-660-2522
Email	CLBCInfo@gov.bc.ca
Website	https://www.communitylivingbc.ca/about-us/overview/
Description	CLBC is the main source of government funded supports for adults with
	disabilities in BC. Individuals with diagnosed FASD as well as a specific
	Adaptive Functioning score are eligible for their Personal Supports
	Initiative stream. Supports provided may include employment support,
	residential housing options, one on one supports, life skills support, and
	other supports as needed by the individual. Once eligibility is

Community Living BC (CLBC)	
	determined by the local office, individuals receive a facilitator who is
	tasked with managing their file.

	Ministry of Children and Family Development: Children and Youth with Support Needs (CYSN)
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	1-877-387-7027
Email	mcf.childrenyouthspecialneeds@gov.bc.ca
Website	https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/health/managing-your-
	health/child-behaviour-development/support-needs
Description	CYSN will connect youth under the age of 19 with programs and
	services who can help families on their journey to support children or
	youth with disabilities. Families can access supports like therapy,
	respite, equipment, and guidance.

	Services To Adults with Developmental Disabilities (STADD) Program
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	1-855-356-5609
Email	STADD Support@gov.bc.ca
Website	https://www.communitylivingbc.ca/what-support-is-
	available/preparing-access-clbc-supports/services-to-adults-with-
	developmental-disabilities-stadd/
Description	STADD services are available to CLBC-eligible individuals during the
	transitional period of 16-24 years old. The STADD Navigator works with
	the goals and needs of youth and families, and connects them with
	other organizations and services, using a cross-government approach.

# Criminal Legal System Resources

# Community Justice Services

	Connective Living Society (formerly John Howard Society)-Community Support Initiative
Location	BC (all areas except the Okanagan and Victoria)
	Community Service Office: 3360 Fraser Street, Vancouver, BC
Phone Number	604-872-5471 ext. 221
Email	info@connective.ca
Website	N/A
Description	The Community Support Initiative is a partnership between BC Housing and Connective, offering supports to individuals released from correctional institutions. This support can include access to housing and substance treatment services, as well as support with disability

# Connective Living Society (formerly John Howard Society)-Community Support Initiative

applications, and connection to local resources. Participation in the program also involves access to a rent subsidy for three months.

	Elizabeth Fry Society
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	1-888-879-9593
Email	info@efry.com
Website	https://efry.com/we-can-help/programs-services/#justice-system-
	women
Description	The Elizabeth Fry society offers a variety of services and resources to women involved in the criminal legal system, including reintegration support, legal services, assistance in accessing the Downtown Community Court, and programming for women exiting trafficking situations. They are also linked with the Integrated Transitional Release Program within BC Corrections.

	John Howard Society of BC
Location	Okanagan, Kootenay, Victoria, Northern Vancouver Island, and
	Northern BC regions (programs offered vary per area)
Phone Number	250-216-6211
Email	info@jhsbc.ca
Website	https://johnhowardbc.ca/service_category/justice-services/ and https://johnhowardbc.ca/service_category/community-living-bc- services/
Description	John Howard Society of BC offers a range of programs, with some of these services focusing on justice, and others on disability services. In the justice stream, they offer pre-release supports, community based residential facilities, community reintegration services, and alternative justice interventions. In the disability services stream, they partner with Community Living BC (CLBC) to offer specific supports to individuals who are already CLBC eligible. These supports include outreach and inclusion programming, residential and home share housing resources. The availability of all of these programs varies per geographic location, and contact information for each specific offering can be found on the corresponding webpage.

Ministry of Children and Family Development: YFPS	
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	236-468-3095

	Ministry of Children and Family Development: YFPS
Email	mcf.info@gov.bc.ca
Website	https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/justice/criminal-justice/bcs-
	criminal-justice-system/youth-justice/youth-justice-in-british-
	columbia/serving-a-youth-sentence/youth-forensic-psychiatric-services
Description	Youth who are in custody or under a community-based supervision
	order may be referred for mental health assessment and treatment.
	There are 8 outpatient assessment units across BC. Most assessments
	are court ordered, with the remaining services requested by probation
	officers or custody services.

#### Court Resources

	Communication Intermediary
Location	Across BC
Phone Number	Varies based on location (see <a href="https://www.cajust.ca/ci-registry">https://www.cajust.ca/ci-registry</a> )
Email	admin@cajust.ca
Website	https://www.cajust.ca/ci-registry
Description	Communication Intermediaries are Speech Language Pathologists
	trained to help clients with communication challenges navigate the
	criminal legal setting, much like a translator. The registry can be used to
	locate a Communication Intermediary in the client's area.

	Native Courtworker and Counselling Association of BC
Location	1999 Marine Dr #207, North Vancouver, BC
Phone Number	1-877-811-1190
Email	nccabc@nccabc.net
Website	https://nccabc.ca/court/
Description	The service assists Indigenous individuals who are involved in the criminal justice system by providing them with appropriate referral to legal services, as well as serving as a liaison between these individuals and criminal justice personnel. Other supportive and counselling services are also available.

# Legal Services

	Aboriginal Community Legal Workers
Location	Duncan, BC
	Nanaimo, BC
Phone Number	Duncan: 250-748-1160
	Nanaimo: 250-741-5529
Email	N/A
Website	https://legalaid.bc.ca/legal_aid/aboriginalCommunityLegalWorker

Aboriginal Community Legal Workers	
Description	These Legal Aid BC staff can offer free legal aid to Indigenous
	individuals in both Duncan and Nanaimo.

	Aboriginal Legal Aid BC
Location	Across BC
	Virtual
Phone Number	1-866-577-2525
Email	N/A
Website	https://aboriginal.legalaid.bc.ca/
Description	These are specialized Legal Aid BC services for Indigenous individuals. It
	includes access to legal information for Indigenous individuals, and
	avenues to connect communities to legal support.

Everyone Legal Clinic (Part of Access Pro Bono)	
Location	Across BC
	Virtual
Phone Number	1-877-762-6664
Email	Info@everyonelegal.ca
Website	https://everyonelegal.ca/
Description	This is a low-cost legal service, offered on a fixed-fee basis, for all BC
	residents. Online booking is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Indigenous Community Legal Clinic	
Location	148 Alexander St., Vancouver, BC
Phone Number	604-822-5421
Email	iclc@allard.ubc.ca
Website	https://allard.ubc.ca/community-clinics/indigenous-community-legal-
	<u>clinic</u>
Description	Located in the Downtown Eastside, the clinic provides free legal
	services to self-identified Indigenous individuals, provided by UBC law
	students.

	Law Students Legal Advice Program
Location	Vancouver, BC
Phone Number	604-822-5791
Email	N/A
Website	https://www.lslap.bc.ca/services.html
Description	This program offers a variety of free legal services, with some
	exceptions, to low-income earners who could otherwise not afford

Law Students Legal Advice Program
legal representation. They host drop-in hours in downtown Vancouver
on a regular basis, detailed on their website.

	The Law Centre
Location	# 225 – 850 Burdett Avenue, Victoria BC
Phone Number	250-385-1221
Email	reception@thelawcentre.ca
Website	https://thelawcentre.ca/
Description	The Law Centre offers free legal services for those who meet certain
	eligibility requirements around income and asset tests. They also offer
	services to First Nations and Metis clients who reside in the Capital
	Regional District and cannot afford legal services.

# Specialized Correctional Programs

	Integrated Transitional Release Program (ITRP) within BC Corrections
Location	Vancouver Island Regional Correctional Centre
	Prince George Regional Correctional Centre
	Fraser Regional Correctional Centre
	Alouette Correctional Centre for Women
	Okanagan Correctional Centre
	Kamloops Regional Correctional Centre
Phone Number	N/A
Email	N/A
Website	https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/justice/criminal-
	justice/corrections/reducing-reoffending/release-planning
Description	This voluntary program offered within BC Corrections institutions is
	designed for individuals who are at high risk of reoffending and at risk
	of experiencing houselessness upon release. Specialized staff connect
	them with community resources, to help reduce the likelihood of
	recidivism. Through this program, individuals screened for FASD using
	the Asante FASD Screening tool can be referred to The Asante Centre
	for assessment services.

	Kwìkwèxwelhp Healing Village
Location	Harrison Mills, BC
Phone Number	604-796-1650
Email	N/A
Website	https://www.csc-scc.gc.ca/institutions/001002-5004-en.shtml
Description	Standalone minimum security correctional facility. It is the only
	Canadian correctional facility with a longhouse.

Pacific Institution/Regional Treatment Centre	
Location	Abbotsford, BC
Phone Number	604-870-7700
Email	N/A
Website	https://www.csc-scc.gc.ca/institutions/001002-5008-en.shtml
Description	Correctional Services Canada site which contains a rehabilitation unit
	for individuals with cognitive disabilities, with specialized programming
	and supports.

# Specialized Courts

	BC First Nations/Indigenous Courts
Location	Across BC (e.g., Duncan, Kamloops, Merritt, Hazelton, New
	Westminister, North Vancouver, Prince George, Williams Lake)
Phone Number	Greater Vancouver: 604-601-6074
	Elsewhere in BC: 1-877-601-6066
	The phone numbers are for the First Nations Court duty counsel, who
	can determine eligibility and start the process of transferring a client's
	case to the First Nations Court.
Email	N/A
Website	http://aboriginal.legalaid.bc.ca/courts-criminal-cases/first-nations-
	<u>court</u>
Description	Self-identified Indigenous individuals who have pled guilty or are found
	guilty of a charge can have their sentencing hearing in an Indigenous
	Court in BC. Clients can be referred by legal professionals or self-refer.
	Courts are located across BC and are held once a month in each
	location.

	Downtown Community Court
Location	Vancouver, BC
Phone Number	604-660-8754
Email	CommunityCourt@gov.bc.ca
Website	https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/justice/criminal-
	justice/vancouver-downtown-community-court
Description	This program seeks to treat the root of community crime, with a whole person approach being used to address the accused's legal, social and health care needs. Individuals who have been charged with an offence and agree that they are responsible for a criminal charge are eligible to be referred, by the Crown and other legal professionals. Service includes case management.

	Drug Treatment Court of Vancouver
Location	Vancouver, BC
Phone Number	604-666-1726
Email	dtcvcrown@ppsc-sppc.gc.ca
Website	https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/justice/criminal-
	justice/corrections/reducing-reoffending/drug-treatment-court-of-
	vancouver
Description	Applicants are screened by federal or provincial Crown prosecutors to
	determine if they are eligible for programming. If eligible, applicants
	enter the program by pleading guilty to the offence and entering a 14-
	month intensive day treatment program through the Drug Court
	Treatment and Resource Centre.

# Appendix A. Programs across Canada

	Manitoba FASD Court
Location	408 York Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba
Phone Number	204-945-6712
Email	youthpcdispos@gov.mb.ca or earlypcdispos@gov.mb.ca
Website	N/A
Description	The Provincial Court of Manitoba has established an FASD disposition
	docket for both youth and adults who have an FASD diagnosis. One of
	the goals of these dockets is to provide individuals with a court
	environment that considers the specific challenges identified in the
	individual's FASD assessment report. If there is a link between the
	challenges resulting from FASD and the offending behaviour, the Court
	would explore how the sentence imposed would best reflect and
	respond to that link. The physical environment of the court is designed
	to be sensitive to the sensory needs of individuals with FASD. The legal
	professionals working in the Court are FASD-informed, and their
	processes are tailored to meet the needs of individuals with FASD.

	FASD Justice Program
Location	172 Doncaster St., Winnipeg, Manitoba R3N 1X9
Phone Number	204-918-4682
Email	Tannis.Toothill@gov.mb.ca
Website	N/A
Description	The FASD Justice Program started as a pilot program in 2004, aiming to provide FASD Assessment to youth aged 12-18 years old involved in the criminal legal system. It has expanded to now serve young adults 18-25 years old as well. It was spearheaded by a group of judges passionate about FASD, and now has evolved into a community-based program that works closely with the FASD Court, and the local criminal legal system. Follow up care is offered to individuals, including collaboration on community release plans, school involvement, and other community programming and resources.

	Yukon Community Wellness Court
Location	Community Wellness Court, c/o Court Services
	Main Floor, Law Courts Building, 2134 2nd Avenue, Whitehorse, YT
Phone Number	867-393-6229
Email	Joanne.Green@yukon.ca
Website	https://www.yukoncourts.ca/en/courts/community-wellness-court

	Yukon Community Wellness Court
Description	The Yukon Community Wellness Court (CWC) is a judicially supervised
	therapeutic program aimed at providing treatment and support for
	individuals involved in the criminal legal system who are living with an
	addiction to alcohol or drugs, mental health issues, and/or an
	intellectual disability including but not limited to FASD. The CWC
	combines intensive monitoring of individuals with a comprehensive
	approach to addressing the psycho-social needs of participants.
	Individuals must plead guilty before entering the program, and
	individualized wellness plans are developed. The program takes 12-24
	months to complete, and participants generally receive a community-
	based sentence upon successfully completing their plan.

	Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD) Pilot Program (2018-2019) at Correctional Services Canada's Saskatoon Regional Psychiatric Centre (RPC)
Location	CSC's Regional Psychiatric Centre, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
Phone Number	N/A
Email	N/A
Website	https://cfbsjs.usask.ca/research/evaluation-of-rpc-fasd-pilot-project- final-mar-24-2021.pdf
Description	The FASD Pilot Program occurred from 2018-2019 at the RPC in Saskatoon, with the goal of identifying participants with FASD, and developing appropriate treatment recommendations. During this one- year period, all individuals scheduled for community release were approached to participate in the program. Of the 34 individuals approached, 31 participated, and 25 completed the FASD assessment process. Of that group, 12 individuals received a diagnosis of FASD, with or without sentinel facial features. A full evaluation of the program was conducted by the Centre for Forensic Behavioural Science and Justice Studies at the University of Saskatchewan and can be read at the link above.

Fasdjustice.ca Website	
Location	Produced in Ontario
Phone Number	N/A
Email	N/A
Website	Fasdjustice.ca

	Fasdjustice.ca Website
Description	This site is designed for justice system professionals and other
	professionals who want to understand more about FASD. It provides
	information and resources about FASD, including case law, legal
	resources, and strategies for effective intervention. It has been
	developed by the FASD Justice Committee, an independent group of
	justice system professionals and FASD experts from across Canada, who
	work together to produce publicly available information about people
	with FASD and the justice system.

	North West Central Alberta FASD Network: In Reach Program
Location	Box 5389 Westlock AB T7P 2P5
Phone Number	780-305-9547 or 780-974-7112
Email	angelak@nwcfasd.ca
Website	https://nwcfasd.ca/services/
Description	The In Reach program offers a host of services related to FASD within
	the correctional environment, primarily in Edmonton. This includes
	extensive training on FASD within institutions, and innovative FASD
	Sharing Circles for incarcerated individuals, which often lead to
	requests for assessment. Assessments are then provided by the
	network and can be conducted inside the institution. Once incarcerated
	individuals are released, mentorship is offered on an ongoing basis.

	South Alberta FASD Network's Adult Justice Program, a partnership with PEAK Support Services
Location	1804 2nd Avenue South, Lethbridge, Alberta
Phone Number	1-403-329-1262
Email	shacker@peaksupportservices.org
Website	https://safasd.ca/fasd-programs/adult-justice/
Description	This program works in partnership with local police and legal services to offer case planning and support to adults with undiagnosed or diagnosed FASD. There is a similar program for local youth, provided in collaboration with the local city police office. The program facilitates referrals to local services, and collaborates closely with social services in the area, the courts, and other legal services.

	FASD Restorative Diversion Program, through the Central Alberta FASD Network
Location	Central Alberta (central office in Red Deer)

	FASD Restorative Diversion Program, through the Central Alberta FASD Network
Phone Number	403-396-2554
Email	jdodd@fasdca.ca
Website	https://centralfasd.org/what-we-do/
Description	This program is the result of a partnership between several RCMP
	detachments and Victim Services Units, the Alberta Crown Prosecutor's
	Office, several defense attorneys, and various invested stakeholders.
	The program uses the principles of Restorative Practice to support the
	needs of individuals with FASD who are involved in the criminal legal
	system, or who have been victims of a crime. Services are available to
	individuals of any age, and may include assessment, restorative justice
	case planning and peacemaking circles, or advocacy services.

	Calgary John Howard Society Extended FASD Support Program
Location	Calgary, Alberta
Phone Number	403-266-4566
Email	jean.gould@cjhs.ca
Website	https://www.cjhs.ca/our-programs/adult-programs/fasd-support/
Description	This program of the Calgary John Howard Society is designed for clients
	aged 18 or older with undiagnosed or diagnosed FASD, as well as
	current or past criminal legal involvement. The program focuses on
	justice advocacy, assessment access, employment or access to income
	assistance, health and wellness, and co-ordinating existing supports.
	Services are limited to those residing in the Calgary area, and referrals
	can come from criminal legal professionals, John Howard Society staff,
	local assessment clinics or social services. Individuals can also self-refer.
	There is also a 'FASD Action Hall' that offers a monthly chance for
	participants to socialize over a hot meal, take in guest speakers, and
	engage in creative and recreational activities.

# Appendix B. Training and Education Resources

# FASD Educators and Speakers

FASD Changemakers: Adult Leadership Committee (ALC)	
Location	Virtual and worldwide
Phone Number	N/A
Email	FASDChangemakers@gmail.com
Website	https://www.fasd-can.org.nz/changemakers
Description	The ALC consists of a group of citizen researchers and experts who have
	FASD, and are actively involved in research, advocacy and change in the
	area of FASD. Many of the members are based in BC, and available to
	do trainings both locally and internationally.

	Myles Himmelreich
Location	Vancouver Island and remote
Phone Number	N/A
Email	info@myleshimmelreich.com
Website	https://myleshimmelreich.com/
Description	Myles is a motivational speaker and individual with FASD who is
	involved in research, advocacy and policy change in BC and across the
	world. He offers mentorship, consulting and speaking services.

# FASD Education and Training

	FASD Project
Location	Virtual
Phone Number	N/A
Email	FASDProject@douglascollege.ca
Website	N/A
Description	The FASD Project is a self-directed, self-paced free training available online, hosted by Douglas College and managed by Marsha Wilson. It is supported with the funding of the Victoria Foundation and covers a wide range of topics related to FASD. Interested participants can email the address above to be added to the waitlist for the training.

CanFASD Online Course, FASD for Judicial and Legal Professionals		
Location	Virtual	
Phone Number	N/A	
Email	N/A	

	CanFASD Online Course, FASD for Judicial and Legal Professionals
Website	https://estore.canfasd.ca/fasd-for-judicial-professionals-level-ii
Description	This online course builds on CanFASD's "Foundations in FASD" course
	and provides learners with a better understanding of how a FASD
	diagnosis impacts a person's involvement with the justice system.
	There is an \$80 cost to the course, and a certificate is provided upon
	completion. CanFASD additionally offers a host of e-courses, on a range
	of topics related to FASD, including foundational and more advanced
	offerings.

	Justice Institute of BC, Course on FASD
Location	New Westminster, BC
Phone Number	604-525-5422
Email	infodesk@jibc.ca
Website	https://www.jibc.ca/course/fetal-alcohol-spectrum-disorder
Description	This course is intended to increase awareness amongst correctional
	staff by providing an overview of Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder
	(FASD) within the context of the British Columbia correctional system.
	Participants will be introduced to the process of FASD assessments and
	diagnosis, and how to work more effectively when a medical diagnosis
	is not available. Implementation strategies and the importance of
	support networks are also explored.

# Appendix C. FASD Key Worker Program

Key Worker	Location	Contact	
BURNABY			
Michelle Perri	Burnaby	604-451-5511 ext. 1257	
michelle.perri@bc-cfa.org			
DELTA			
Angela Ruel	Delta	604-946-6622 ext. 306	
angelar@reachchild.org			
Camille Netherton	Delta	604-946-6622 ext. 302	
camillen@reachchild.org			
Robyn Lane	Delta	604.946.6622 ext. 386	
Robynl@reachchild.org			
ABBOTSFORD, MISSION, CHEH	ALIS, CHILLIWACK		
Brynn Gillies	Chilliwack (west)	604-824-8760 ext. 3232	
bgillies@fvcdc.org			
Moheb Attaalla	Chilliwack (east) to Boston	604-824-8760 ext. 3242	
mattaalla@fvcdc.org	Bar		
Kim Kendall	Mission to Chehalis	236-887-7455	
<u>kkendall@fvcdc.org</u>			
Conner McGurgan	Abbotsford	604-852 -2686 ext. 2244	
<u>cmcgurgan@fvcdc.org</u>			
MAPLE RIDGE, PITT MEADOWS	5, KATZIE FIRST NATION		
Shawna Nichol	Maple Ridge, Pitt Meadows,	604-970-3692	
Shawna.nichol@rmcdc.com	and Katzie First Nation		
NORTH SHORE			
N/A	Hollyburn Family Services	604-483-3009	
	North Shore (Deep Cove up		
	to and including Bowen		
	Island)		
POWELL RIVER/QATHET AREA			
Heather Thrasher	Inclusion Powell River	Office: 604-483-4042 ext.	
hthrasher@inclusionpr.ca	Cranberry Child & Family	202	
	Resource Centre	Cell: 604-414-5746	
RICHMOND			
Daphne Meyer-MacLeod	Richmond	604-207-5044	
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Fraser & Vancouver Coastal Region Key Workers (By Community Served)			
Key Worker	Location	Contact	
Marissa Charles mcharles@kinsight.org	Tri Cities (Port Coquitlam, Coquitlam, Port Moody)	604-528-3950 ext. 346	
Mary Gwynne <u>m.gwynne@sotcs.ca</u>	Spirit of the Children Society New West & Tri-Cities and Burnaby, Aboriginal Birth to 6	604-524-9113 ext. 2225	
Susan Kim <u>skim@kinsight.org</u>	New Westminster	N/A	
VANCOUVER			
Rita-Ann Noble <u>Rita.noble@childrens-</u> foundation.org	Alderwood Family Development Centre -The Children's Foundation	Cell: 604-771-2551 604-434-9101	
Antonio Casoria antonio.casoria@childrens- foundation.org	The Children's Foundation	N/A	
Nicole Larose nicole.larose@milieu.ca	Vancouver, Richmond, North Shore - Foster Parents Milieu Children and Family Services	236-818-4837	
Trevor Epp trevor.ascd@shawbiz.ca	Vancouver, Aboriginal	604-251-4844 ext. 317	
Wanda Pelletier wpelletier@ywcavan.org	Vancouver	Office: 604-216-1656 Cell: 604-761-2942 Fax: 604-216-1665	

# Appendix D. Indigenous Justice Programs

Indigenous Justice Programs (By Community Served)			
Program Name	Location	Program Contact	
Ahousaht First Nation	Ahousaht	Linda Van Dorn	
(Chim An Nah Program)		Justice Worker	
	Serves: Ahousaht First Nation	linda.vandorn@ahousaht.ca	
		Tom Paul (backfill) Justice Worker	
		tom.paul@ahousaht.ca	
Alert Bay Community Justice	Alert Bay	Mollie Willie	
Program		Justice Worker	
	Serves: Alert Bay, the N'amgis Band, and the Whe-La- La-U area	molly.willie@whelalau.ca	
Mustimuhw Restorative	Duncan	Debbie Williams Executive Director	
Justice Program	Duncan	DebbieWilliams@hofduncan.org	
Hiiye'yu Lelum Society– House		https://www.hofduncan.org/	
of Friendship Duncan			
Daylu Dena Council Justice	Lower Post	Debbie Groat	
Program		Justice Worker	
	Serves: Lower Post	justice@dayludenacouncil.com	
Esketemc Restorative Justice	Alkali Lake	Karen Robbins Justice Worker	
Program		justice@esketemc.ca	
	Serves: Esketemc First		
	Nation	Patricia Chelsea Managing Director	
		managingdirector@esketemc.ca	
Fort Nelson First Nation Justice	Fort Nelson	Maryann Kotchea	
Program		Acting Justice Worker	
	Serves: Fort Nelson First	maryann.kotchea@fnnation.ca	
	Nation	Adreanna Santarelli	
		Justice Program Manager	
		adreanna.santarelli@fnnation.ca	
Gitxsan Unlocking Aboriginal	Hazelton	Marilyn Wright	
Justice Program		GUAJ Aboriginal Justice Worker	
	Serves: all members of	mwright@wetsuweten.com	
	the Wet'suwet'en	250-842-2200	
	Nation, no matter		
	where they may reside	Lisa Mowatt- Justice Coordinator	
		GUAJ Youth Justice Worker	
		Imowatt@wetsuweten.com	

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Program Name	Location	Program Contact	
Haida Gwaii Restorative Justice	Massett	Erika Stocker	
Program	Skidegate	Aboriginal Justice Worker	
		hgrjskidegate@haidanation.com	
	Serves: Haida Gwaii		
Heiltsuk Gvi'ilas Community	Bella Bella	Mary Brown Coordinator	
Justice Program		Mary.brown@heiltsuk.ca	
	Serves: Bella Bella,		
	Denny Island, Ocean		
	Falls, and Heiltsuk		
	Nation		
Kwadacha Nation Khutsedzi	Fort Ware	Emma Stubbs	
k'e' Alternative Justice	Serves: Kwadacha	Justice Coordinator	
Program	Nation, Tsay Keh Dene	estubbs@kwadacha.com	
	Band		
Ku we gahn Justice Program	Telegraph Creek Dease	Melva Quock Beaulieu Justice	
	Lake Iskut	Manager <u>Melva.Quock@tahltan.ca</u>	
	Good Hope		
		Andrea Louie Restorative Practitioner	
	Serves: Telegraph	andrea.louie@tahltan.ca	
	Creek, Dease Lake,		
	Iskut, Good Hope		
Lillooet Friendship Community	Lillooet	Merle Fletcher Justice Coordinator	
Justice Program	lyttop	ijp@lfcs.ca Patricia Munro	
Lytton First Nation (Yeneid Preventative Justice	Lytton	Restorative Justice Manager	
Programs)	Serves: Aboriginal and	p.munro@lfn.band	
i i ografility	non-Aboriginal	p.mamo@mi.bana	
	communities between	Olivia Brown – Executive Assistant	
	Boston Bar and Spences		
	Bridge on both sides of		
	the Fraser.		
	Includes Cooks Ferry		
	Band, Nicomen Band,		
	Lytton First Nation, the		
	Village of Lytton, Siska		
	Indian Band, Skuppha		
	Band, Kanaka		
	Bar Band, and		
	Boothroyd Band		

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Program Name	Location	Program Contact	
Nak'azdli Alternate Justice Program	Fort St. James	Karla Olinek Justice Coordinator	
	Serves: Nak'azdli Band in Fort St. James	justicec@nakazdliwhuten.ca Maddison Sam	
		Youth Justice youthj@nakazdliwhuten.ca	
Nicola Valley Aboriginal Community Justice Program	Merritt Serves: Nicola Valley	Chris Stokes Aboriginal Justice Coordinator nvacjp@uniserve.com	
	Indian Bands (Coldwater, Lower Nicola, Nooaitch, Shackan, and Upper Nicola)	nvacjp@gmail.com	
Nisga'a Access to Justice Department: Yuuhlamk'askw Justice Program	New Aiyansh Serves: New Aiyanish, Gitwinksihlkw, Lakatzap and Gingolx	Faith Tait Justice Worker <u>faitht@nisgaa.net</u>	
Nuxalk Restorative Justice Program	Bella Coola Serves: Nuxalk First Nation	Jeanette Apps Restorative Justice Worker <u>restorative@nuxalknation.ca</u>	
Prince George Urban Aboriginal Justice Society:	Prince George	Chris Dalziel Adult Justice Worker	
Adult and Youth Diversion Program	Serves: Prince George area	adultjustice@pguajs.ca	
		Jaelyn Foulton Indigenous Justice Worker – Youth <u>ijw@pguajs.ca</u>	
Prince Rupert Aboriginal Community Services Society:	Prince Rupert	Kyle Green Justice Coordinator	
Aboriginal Justice Program	Serves: Prince Rupert area	justice coordinator@citywest.ca	
Qwi:qwelstóm - Stó:lō Nation Justice Program	Chilliwack Serves: Stó:lō Nation	Alicia Peters Justice Worker <u>Alicia.Peters@stolonation.bc.ca</u>	
4 Circles Justice Society: Secwepemc Community Justice Program	Whispering Pines, Clinton	Edith Fortier Restorative Justice Coordinator Aboriginal Justice	

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Program Name	Location	Program Contact	
	Serves: Secwepemc	Edith4@live.ca	
	Bands		
Tla'amin Justice Program:	Powell River	Verna Francis	
Sliammon Native Justice		Justice Worker	
Program	Serves: Klahoose,	<u>Verna.francis@tn-bc.ca</u>	
	Homalso and		
	Sliammon residents of		
	the Sliammon First		
	Nation		
YEK,AUTW – Place of Hope	Victoria	Fran Hunt-Jinnouchi, Executive	
Aboriginal Coalition to End		Director <u>director@acehsociety.com</u>	
Homelessness Society	Serves: Greater Victoria		
	Area	Lehran Young, Executive Assistant	
		lyoung@acehsociety.com	
South Okanagan Aboriginal	Penticton	Bruce Manuel	
Restorative Justice Program		Correction Liaison Worker	
	Serves: South Okanagan		
	Bands and other	250-488-5807 Cell	
	Aboriginal people	<u>correctionsliaison@vip.net</u>	
	located within its		
	territory	Anna Tonasket	
		Restorative Justice Coordinator	
		250-493-7181 ext. 2242	
		250-488-1253 Cell	
Tl'azt'en Community Justice	Fort St. James	Madison Sam	
Office: Tl'azt'en Nation Healing		Justice Coordinator	
Circle Program		iustice.coordinator@tlazten.bc.ca	
Tsilhqot'in Community Justice	Williams Lake	Cecily Billyboy	
Program - Yekox Nilin Justice		Aboriginal Case Aid Worker	
Society	Serves: the Tsilqhot'in	<u>cbillyboy@yeqoxnilin.com</u>	
	and Southern Carrier		
	Nations, West of Williams Lake on the		
Vancouwar Abarizinal	Chilcotin Plateau		
Vancouver Aboriginal Transformative Justice	Vancouver	Allie Pev Indigopous Posourcos Workor	
Services	Serves: Vancouver	Indigenous Resources Worker irw@vatjss.com	
JEI VILES	Serves. vancouver		
		Robyn Smith	
		Justice Coordinator	
		justicecoordinator@vatjss.com	

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Program Name	Location	Program Contact	
Wet'suwet'en Unlocking	Smithers	Lisa Mowatt	
Aboriginal Justice Program		WUAJ Justice Program Coordinator	
	Serves: the	Imowatt@wetsuweten.com	
	Wet'suwet'en		
	territory in and around		
	Smithers		
Taku River Tlingit First Nation	Atlin	David Thorne,	
		Aboriginal Justice Worker	
	Serves: Atlin	Hss.justice@gov.trtfn.com	
		davidthorn.justiceworker@gmail.com	
Canim Lake Band Restorative	Canim Lake/100 Mile	Gynneth Russell, Justice Worker	
Justice Program	House	gynnrussell@canimlakeband.com	
	Serves: 100 Mile House		
	area and Canim Lake		
Kitasoo Band Council	Klemtu	Shannon Edgar,	
		Justice Worker/Social Development	
	Serves: Klemtu	Worker Shannon.kitasoo@gmail.com	
Ktunaxa/ Kinbasket Justice	Cranbrook	Hailie Porter	
Services		Youth Justice Worker	
	Serves: Ktunaxa Nation	Hporter@ktunaxa.org	
	and area		
		Jackie Brown, Executive Director	
		Jbrown@ktunaxa.org	
Mount Currie Indian Band	Mount Currie	Debbie Alendal	
Aboriginal Justice Program		Director of Community Social Services	
	Serves: Lil'wat Nation	Debbie.Alendal@lilwat.ca	
Nee Ghin Lee/ Skak Ghin Lee	Lake Babine	Lucy Campbell	
		Justice Worker	
		lucy.campbell@lakebabine.com	