



FRASER HEALTH WORKSHOPS

SERVICE PROVIDERS WORKING THROUGHOUT THE FRASER VALLEY IN THE MENTAL HEALTH, ADDICTIONS, HEALTH CARE AND ANTI-VIOLENCE SECTORS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THESE WORKSHOPS.

As part of the ongoing work of Building Bridges, a provincial initiative aimed at improving service provision for women impacted by abuse, substance use and/or mental ill health, the Woman Abuse Response Program of BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre will be hosting 2 cross sectoral workshops in the Fraser Valley. The first is being held on May 6-7, 2009 in Abbotsford and the second will be held on June 1-2, 2009 in Langley. Each workshop will have an evening Speaker Series on day one and a full day workshop and consultation on day two. These workshops are part of a coordinated attempt to improve service provision through effective and integrated work across the sectors.

These workshops will provide opportunities for frontline service providers and managers within the health, addictions, mental health and anti-violence sectors to explore how these issues intersect to create risks to women's health and safety and add barriers to accessing services. Attendees will have the opportunity to share their perspectives and experiences on challenges, gaps, and barriers in service delivery and make recommendations on how to develop an integrated provincial approach to improve services for women impacted by these intersecting issues.

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

This project is co-funded by the BC Women's Woman Abuse Response Program and the Vancouver Foundation.

ABBOTSFORD

MAY 6TH (5-8 PM)

MAY 7TH (9AM - 5PM)

Ramada Plaza and Conference Centre
36035 N Parallel Rd
Highway 1, Exit 95 Whatcom Rd
Abbotsford, BC V3G 2C6

LANGLEY

JUNE 1ST (5-8 PM)

JUNE 2ND (9AM - 5PM)

Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites
8750-204 Street
Langley, BC V1M 2Y5

Limited number of spaces available, so register early! The deadline for registration is MAY 1ST (Abbotsford) and MAY 26th (Langley)

REGISTRATION

Registration Fee: \$80

Meals and Refreshments Provided

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Check our website for more information: <http://www.bcwomens.ca/Services/HealthServices/WomanAbuseResponse/Building+Bridges.htm>

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