



ABBOTSFORD HOMELESSNESS PREVENTION & RESPONSE SYSTEM

COMMUNITY HUB CENTRE

INFORMATION UPDATE

The **Abbotsford Community Hub Centre** will be opening early 2019 at Unit 108, 32883 South Fraser Way. The Community Hub is an inter-agency hub that will provide services for individuals experiencing health and social challenges. **The Hub**, which will be integrated with Positive Living of the Fraser Valley will reduce barriers for individuals accessing vital support services.

The Community Hub is a partnership project with Fraser Health, Ministry of Social Development and Poverty Reduction, Abbotsford Police Department, Positive Living of the Fraser Valley, partners with the City of Abbotsford's Housing and Homelessness Unit, and the Mar Mar Pharmacy.

SERVICES WILL INCLUDE:

- Health care
- Housing opportunities
- Laundry, showers and meal services
- Employment and training opportunities
- Access to community services
- Social connections and volunteer opportunities

ABBOTSFORD STATS

100

units of supportive housing (an increase of 30 from 2014).

*Additional 80+ units currently going through City review processes



10

Agencies providing outreach services in Abbotsford:

126

extreme weather mats (an increase of 106 from 2014)



Total number of affordable housing rental units:

310 UNITS

(BC Housing and Co-Ops)





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Partnerships are critical in creating a community that supports and serves everyone. Some of the existing resources and services that are available in Abbotsford today include:

- 1 COORDINATED INTAKE AND REFERRAL**
This program allows community members to refer applications for individuals who require access to housing, health, income and formal/informal supports.
E: cir@abbotsford.ca
- 2 HARM REDUCTION**
Contact for Harm Reduction Supplies disposal containers and needle recovery, naloxone kits and training.
E: streetreach@plfv.org
T: 604.556.6228
- 3 COMMUNITY SAFETY**
Abbotsford Police
T: 604-859-5225

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