

The Surrey Housing First Team

OPTIONS Community Services provides a range of social services to people in Surrey. They support people who are homeless and those living with mental illness or addiction.

Options programs support youth, families with children, seniors, and people with disabilities. They help individuals to make the transition from community residential programs to independent living, including community integration, budgeting, cooking, and nutrition, as well as recreational and social skills. Outreach workers advocate for homeless people and make sure they get access to housing and support.

LOOKOUT EMERGENCY AID SOCIETY is a non-profit organization providing housing and a range of support services to adults with low or no income.

People we serve have challenges meeting their basic needs and we therefore place minimal barriers between them and our services.

SOURCES Community Resources Centre is a community-based non-profit agency that promotes optimal wellness of marginalized and disabled people with low or no income. We provide useful options and resources, assist in navigating complex systems, and help people understand their legal and financial rights and responsibilities.

Sources also assists individuals to secure stable appropriate housing and provides ongoing wrap-around services to assist them in maintaining their tenancies.

THE ELIZABETH FRY SOCIETY OF GREATER VANCOUVER provides support services to women, girls, and children at risk of involvement, involved in, or affected by the justice system. We provide programs and services to break the cycle of poverty, addiction, mental illness, homelessness and crime.

We believe that every life has a value, that all people are entitled to dignity and respect, and that everyone has a right to belong.



Surrey Housing First Landlord Engagement Project



Giving a hand up for permanent housing

Landlords: The Key to Success

Surrey Housing First Landlord Engagement Project is a multi-agency coalition collaborating to help individuals and families transition to permanent, market rental housing.



We are looking for landlords with a strong sense of community to be a part of this exciting project, where clients supported by community agencies are housed in your vacant rentals.

Surrey Housing First is proudly supported by LandlordBC - BC's top resource for owners and managers of rental housing. For more information regarding how LandlordBC can support you in running your rental property business please visit www.landlordbc.ca

LANDLORDBC

What's in it for you as a landlord?

Fill vacancies quickly by gaining access to a pool of tenants ready to be housed

Program support for you to ensure the safety of your rental unit(s) – you choose your tenants from the client pool

Tenant support from knowledgeable, experienced Housing First professionals reduce the risk of time-consuming and costly evictions

Financially supported tenants to ensure you get your rent on time every month

A good feeling knowing that you are helping folks in your community find permanent, affordable, rental housing

Do you have a suite to rent? Call us today!



Surrey Housing First Professionals are with you and your tenants every step of the way...

We want to build a long term partnership with you and want you to feel confident that we have your best interests in mind. We prepare our clients before they become your tenants so that you can rent with confidence. If however, a problem should arise, Surrey Housing First professionals will be only a phone call away. We're there to work on resolving common tenancy issues as soon as possible, so you don't have to.

- Upfront tenant education so they know their responsibilities
- Regular tenant visits to ensure they are doing well
- Regular contact and communication with you, the landlord, to ensure that you are not experiencing any challenges

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