## **Working to Solve Homelessness:**

## CHIMO Crisis Services



CHIMO's four main goals are:

- Increase public awareness
- Break the silence on violence
- · Create a critical mass
- Promote healthy and non-violent relationships

CHIMO Crisis Services was established in Richmond in 1973. CHIMO serves families and individuals from various backgrounds, ages and income. The programs and services offered are focused on building a stronger community, violence prevention, personal crisis, advocacy, and peer support. CHIMO is at the forefront of facilitating changes within their society to respond with the ever changing population and addressing their needs.

The programs and services are aimed at citizens, immigrants and refugee's. These are delivered in a wide range of languages. Services range from employment, housing, benefits, medical, documents, seniors, children, family, domestic violence, disability and mental health, English lessons, legal guidance and a tax clinic.

The Nova Transition House has also been established for those escaping domestic violence. This is a space that gives women the time to explore their options as they receive shelter and support for themselves and their children. Counselling is also available to children, youth, women and adults.

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