

Working to Solve Homelessness:

DIVERSEcity Community Resources Society



“To promote the independence of new Canadians and to build strong culturally diverse communities”

DIVERSEcity Community Resources Society was established in 1978 as a non-profit agency. The society provides communities in the lower mainland with programs and services for immigrants and new comers. Always expanding with the ever-growing diverse Canadian population, they are committed to raising awareness about the strong contribution newcomers make to our society and the benefits of diversity.

DIVERSEcity provides counselling, outreach and employment services through these departments:

- Family Services
- Community Development
- Language Programs
- Career Services
- Interpretation and Translation Services
- Fee-for-Service Programs

DIVERSEcity has also established a well-regarded Food Security Program that helps low-income immigrant and refugee families by holding cooking groups and facilitating community gardens. Through the Community Garden project, participants gain valuable experience in climate appropriate produce, organics, composting, seed saving, as well as harvesting. Individuals work collectively, form new relationships and build self reliance.

The Community Kitchens Program, established in 7 locations within Surrey helps participants learn how to budget, cook healthy Canadian recipes, food preserving, and receive food safe training.

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