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Program Name	Legal Name of Applicant Non-Profit	City	Brief Project Description	Intended Community Reach	Region
<i>Healthy Relationships and Stress Management</i>	Deltassist Family and Community Services	Delta	Funds will be used to provide seven groups offered in Delta (inclusive of Tsawassen, Ladner and Tsawassen First Nation), Surrey, Langley and New Westminster. Funds will also be used to develop and implement an aftercare group following each regular group. In-kind resources will be utilized to run children's safety groups. Victims are contacted at the beginning, during the group, and at the end of the group and are provided with information about the Deltassist services and community services available to them/ their children. Deltassist has the capacity to provide the program in Punjabi as well as English.	Delta, Surrey, Langley, New Westminister	Lower Mainland/ Vancouver
<i>Supporting Healthy Relationships on the North Shore: Perpetrators Programming to Reduce Risk to Women and Children</i>	Family Services of the North Shore	North Vancouver	Funds will be used to reach clients outside of the organization's North Shore community including Vancouver, Burnaby and Squamish, and to run one cycle with West Coast Family Centres in Vancouver. In all, two cycles will be run, one cycle in English and one cycle in Farsi (with all materials translated into Farsi); a cycle includes 14 sequential sessions and 12-16 clients. The program's female co-facilitator will maintain contact with female partners throughout the program via regular "check-ins." Funds will also be used to ensure the cultural appropriateness of the program and to create and provide monthly aftercare groups and a Fathering Skills program that is for program clients who are fathers in order to support further increase in safety for children.	North Vancouver, Burnaby, Squamish	Lower Mainland/ Vancouver
<i>MenTOR (Men Transforming Our Relationships)</i>	WINGS Fellowship Ministries	New Westminister	Funds will be spent to confirm and enhance the core curriculum for "MenTOR," a men's violence intervention group. The program will be delivered in New Westminister and will also be implemented in two other urban centres in Metro Vancouver . Program delivery includes a 15-session program for 8-12 clients and an invitation to attend an alumni group following program completion and/or to repeat the program. Contact with partners is invited during initial client intake and throughout the program. A sustainability model will also be developed with this funding.	New Westminister, Surrey and other Lower Mainland community	Lower Mainland/ Vancouver
<i>Stop Taking it Out on Your Partner (STOP)</i>	North Peace Community Resources Society (dba Community Bridge)	Fort St. John	Funds will be used to deliver two cycles of the STOP program, consisting of 12-2 hour sessions per cycle with a maximum of 20 participants, and also a parallel women's group . In addition to the usual community reach of Fort St. John, funds will be used to invite participants from Dawson Creek, Chetwynd and Hudson's Hope. Funds will also be used to develop after care groups for men upon program completion and after care groups for women upon parallel group completion . Participants will be invited to groups occurring at 2 weeks and 5 weeks following cycle completion.	Fort St. John; Dawson Creek, Chetwynd, Hudson's Hope	North
<i>Turning Stones: Tsu Tsaluw-t Tu Smeent</i>	Ts'ewulhtun Health Centre: Cowichan Tribes	Duncan	Funds will be used to deliver and update an intimate partner domestic violence group, "Turning Stones," to separate groups of men, women and children . Funds will be used to update the existing Turning Stones curriculum , to increase the number of sessions from 12 to 16-three hour sessions with up to 12 participants, and to run one cycle for each client group (groups meet once or twice per week). Sessions are run by two facilitators and an Elder. Program completion is followed by an open mentorship group for men and children/youth and on-going support for women. Funds will also be used to develop and pilot a domestic violence crisis response component with police and victim services.	Duncan	Island

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<i>Home Improvement: Men in Relationship</i>	Mennonite Central Committee British Columbia	Abbotsford	Funds will be used to deliver four cycles of the "Home Improvement: Men in Relationship" program, a co-facilitated program with 12-14 men per cycle for 2.5 hours over 15 to 20 weeks. Once clients have completed the program, they are invited to attend as returnees . Victims of program clients are invited to connect with program facilitators during the program and to attend the "When Love Hurts" group for women, which consists of 10 sessions. The program will be offered in Abbotsford and Chilliwack and will receive referrals from Abbotsford, Chilliwack, Hope and Mission, Maple Ridge, Langley, Hope and Boston Bar. Funding will also be used to host a three-day training event in order to equip additional skilled facilitators/counsellors to facilitate this program. Funding will also be used to provide a quicker response and aim for continuous intake -- or at the very least, an interview with a facilitator/counsellor and provision of resources for clients while they wait for a program to start.	Abbotsford, Mission, Maple Ridge, Langley, Chilliwack, Agassiz, Hope, Boston Bar	Lower Mainland/ Vancouver
<i>Men in Change Healthy Relationships Program</i>	MOSAIC	Vancouver	Funds will be used to deliver three cycles (12 sessions/weeks each) of the "Men in Change Healthy Relationships Program" with 12-15 clients per cycle and to deliver these services in a culturally-competent and linguistically accessible manner with facilitation provided in the first language of participants whenever possible using interpreters. Funds will also be used to provide support to victims by having the program facilitator reach out to victims to invite contact. Clients who complete the program are offered a post-group individual session in order to develop a personal action plan to avoid re-offending and to discuss appropriate referrals. MOSAIC presently delivers the program in Vancouver and will use funds to expand delivery to Surrey and Delta .	Surrey, Delta	Lower Mainland/ Vancouver
<i>Men's Services Mid Island</i>	Haven Society	Nanaimo	Funds will be used in a partnership led by Haven Society with Nanaimo Family Life Association to provide first and second stage programming under the title "Men's Service Mid Island." Programming includes early intervention and comprehensive support for a continuity of services . The stage one group programming focuses on client readiness with cohorts of 8-12 men and 20 hours of programming over 9 weeks per cycle. Individual sessions are provided at intake and following group completion. The stage two programming involves cohorts of 15-18 men for 32 hours over 16 weeks or over two weekends with individual sessions at the beginning, during and end of the group. Victims are engaged throughout both stages of the process. After care opportunities exist for clients and may include a lifetime membership to attend the groups again (as a mentor or for their own support) and follow up services. Funds will be used to increase program delivery to 14 cycles of stage one and 10 cycles for stage 2 . Funds will also be used to provide a second stage group through an aboriginal agency and to expand the program's geographic reach to include Tillicum Lelum, Parksville, Lantzville and Ladysmith ; first stage programming will be provided in "on site" and "mobile" formats in diverse locations. Funds will also be used to improve the existing curriculum and to ensure coordination between stages 1 and 2 and to increase community coordination and connection with anti-violence services.	Nanaimo, Tillicum Lelum, Parksville, Lantzville, Ladysmith	Island
<i>Safer Families</i>	Pacific Centre Family Services Association	Colwood	Funds will be used to deliver the "Safer Families" program. The program includes a 1-1 component to assess and develop program readiness and a group component involving 6-10 participants per cycle over a period of 12 weeks. Victims are offered individual initial session and are invited to maintain contact with the men's facilitator for the duration of the programming. The program will serve clients in Greater Victoria and as far north as Duncan . Funding will also be used to increase the number of clients served, and to update resources and tools made available to participants upon completion. Funds will be used to enhance aftercare by developing a support format for clients who have completed the program, developing procedures for clients who have completed the program to participate as mentors and to offer 1-1 services following group program completion.	Capital Regional District/ West Shore, Sooke	Island

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<p><i>Haida Gwaii Men's Group</i></p>	<p>Haida Gwaii Society for Community Peace</p>	<p>Masset</p>	<p>Funds will support a single cycle of the "Haida Gwaii Men's Group," a specialized 16-weeks series based on a model used in Nova Scotia at the Bridges Institute and New Start. Program cohorts are delivered to approximately 10-20 participants by 2 or 3 facilitators for two hours each week. Funds will also be used to further address after care and relapse prevention and to continue to explore including past clients as mentors and including Haida Elders as role models within the group. Funds will be used to develop a more in-depth intake process and preventative approach by exploring early referrals from RCMP and MCFD. Additionally, funds will be used to include a First Nation's approach and to enhance the curriculum with information on residential schools and multi-generational trauma. The program will reach clients throughout the Haida Gwaii communities of Sandspit, Queen Charlotte City, Skidegate, Tlell, Port Clements and Masset.</p>	<p>Sandspit, Queen Charlotte City, Skidegate, Tlell, Port Clements, Masset</p>	<p>North</p>
<p><i>Stop Taking it Out on Your Partner (STOP)</i></p>	<p>Northern John Howard Society of BC</p>	<p>Prince George</p>	<p>Funds will support three cycles of the STOP program delivered to BC communities and will include a collective training session to train additional facilitators. The STOP program takes a holistic view and integrates a number of approaches including trauma informed practices. The core program is delivered by co-facilitators to groups of a maximum of 20 participants over 14 weeks (or via a compressed schedule as appropriate). The STOP program also includes support to partners of clients through separate information groups provided at partner agency locations. Funds will also be used to provide a bridging component built into the program that provides a follow up group 6 to 8 weeks following completion of initial programming. Clients are also offered a number of other aftercare opportunities such as the chance to repeat the program at a later date an/or to attend the JHS drop in anger management program. Funds will also be used to develop a domestic violence/abuse application for smart phones to connect with clients in diverse settings and also to develop a robust web presence in the form of a digital community.</p>	<p>Campbell River, Lower Mainland, Kamloops</p>	<p>Island, Lower Mainland, Central</p>