

Civil Forfeiture Grants 2014-15 - \$5M

Category	Recipient	Project Description	Grant Amount	Community
Violence Free BC				
Violence Free BC	Victoria Sexual Assault Centre	<p>Integrated Sexual Assault and Child Abuse Support Centre: This collaborative project between the Victoria Sexual Assault Centre, Victoria Child Abuse Prevention & Counselling Centre, police and other key community agencies will enhance the coordinated response for sexual assault and child sexual and physical abuse in the Greater Victoria area. The Integrated Sexual Assault and Child Abuse Support Centre will bring together a multi-disciplinary team of service providers to create a client-centred model of service delivery that will improve trauma informed response, remove barriers to service and increase service accessibility. The Centre will streamline service and enhance coordinated response to survivors of sexual assault and children who have experienced sexual or physical abuse.</p>	\$100,000	Victoria
Violence Free BC	Vancouver School Board	<p>RSVP Healthy Relationships Transition Project (RSVP Transition): This project will support a multi-tiered transition process, during which the Vancouver School Board will take over maintenance and delivery of the RSVP Healthy Relationships program within schools across the district. The project involves a Facilitator Training session for VSB staff and provides a co-facilitation model to ensure program fidelity and to build capacity. As part of the transition process, VSB staff and external trained counsellors will co-facilitate 20 classroom-based healthy relationships workshops at 10 elementary or secondary schools, as well as 30 small group intensive healthy relationship programs for identified vulnerable students within 20 elementary schools.</p>	\$84,500	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Children of the Street Society	<p>Taking Care of Ourselves, Taking Care of Others (TCO²) : Taking Care of Ourselves, Taking Care of Others (TCO²) is an interactive crime prevention workshop delivered by young facilitators to school-aged children, to prevent sexual exploitation and human trafficking.</p>	\$75,000	Coquitlam

Violence Free BC	Greater Victoria School District #61	<p>Go Girls! Healthy Bodies Healthy Minds:</p> <p>The national <i>Go Girls! Healthy Bodies Healthy Minds</i> program, developed and delivered by Big Brothers Big Sisters of Canada, will be delivered in six schools across the school district. The ten-week program provides mentorship, support and preventative education to help girls (ages 10-13 years) to reduce the risks associated with poverty, trauma, discrimination, violence, sexual exploitation, and/or self-harm.</p>	\$50,200	Victoria
Violence Free BC	211 British Columbia Services Society (bc211)	<p>BC Victim R.E.A.C.H. MAP:</p> <p>Funding will be used to create an interactive website aimed at ending the social acceptability of violence against women. The project involves creating a mapping tool to record incidents of violence against women throughout British Columbia. The BC Victim R.E.A.C.H. (Report, Empower, Advocate, Change and Help) Map will be an online service that enables women to anonymously report incidents of violence including: sexual assault and abuse, rape, dating violence, human trafficking, domestic and intimate violence and harassment/stalking. When a woman submits a report, a list of community-specific resources and contact information for VictimLink BC will automatically be sent to her. In addition, viewers will also be able to see the number of incidents reported in a specific communities and the different resources that are available.</p>	\$50,000	Province-Wide
Violence Free BC	Rocky Mountain School District #6	<p>Building the Skills of Healthy and Respectful Relationships Project:</p> <p>The Rocky Mountain School District will acquire the Respectful Relationships Curriculum for all students in grades 7 - 10 and train a District Team of 20 staff members and 20 youth leaders to deliver it. The Respectful Relationships Curriculum is a nationally and provincially awarded school based primary violence prevention program for youth. The program is co-facilitated using trained adult and youth leaders, providing positive youth role models for the students. SWOVA will provide an online facilitator training program in order to ensure a large number of adult and youth facilitators will be trained in this curriculum. The Rocky Mountain School District covers a large geographic region of the province (Kimberly to Golden) and 12 schools will participate in this project (3 Secondary, 6 intermediate, and 3 alternate education schools) Funding will support the facilitator training and resources for a new Resource Library.</p>	\$50,000	Invermere
Violence Free BC	Stroh Health Care Consulting Corp.	<p>Respectful Relationships in Schools:</p> <p>This project will adapt the Respectful Relationships curriculum used by BC Corrections with offenders for delivery in schools and communities throughout BC. The curriculum will be adapted for the Ministry of Education after consultation with youth and community members in small and large urban centres throughout BC. The goal is to have standard curriculum throughout BC schools that will reinforce a better understanding of healthy and respectful relationships.</p>	\$50,000	Province-wide

Violence Free BC	Surrey Women's Centre Society	SMART Emergency Response Workers and Protocols: Funding will be used to support Emergency Response Victim Support Workers in providing 24-hour crisis response for women and girls immediately following a sexual assault. SMART workers provide safety planning, hospital and police accompaniment, facilitation of Third Party Reports, liaison with other victim service agencies, and referral services. Funding will also be used to enhance service coordination for indigenous women and girls living in Boston Bar. Protocols will be developed to address transportation, third party reporting and follow-up medical care in order to improve access to forensic medical treatment following an assault.	\$45,000	Surrey
Violence Free BC	School District #79	Compassionate Leaders Project- Students Building Healthy & Respectful Relationships: The project will allow for 50 youth participants to engage in the Compassionate Leaders Project (CLP). Through the development of student-led projects, participants will gain foundational skills to build healthy and respectful relationship and examine the root causes of violence. Students will be empowered to create social change in their schools focusing on the elimination of violence, including violence against women.	\$42,000	Duncan
Violence Free BC	West Coast LEAF	Family Law Education for Women's Safety: This project will develop and deliver workshops on family law for 200 service providers who work with women experiencing domestic violence in the lower mainland and in ten communities outside of the lower mainland. The workshop entitled "The Four Fs: Family, Financials, Freedom and Fairness" will provide information on custody and access, protection orders, family property and debt division, disclosure and discovery, separation agreements and tips for working with lawyers. The content of the second workshop will be identified based on the needs of the service providers. A webinar will also be available.	\$40,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Ending Violence Association of British Columbia	Risk Identification and Safety Planning Training for Indigenous Service Providers: This project will work in partnership with Indigenous communities in Northern BC to provide three 2 – 3 day training courses to Indigenous service providers who support women and children who are victims of domestic and sexual violence, child abuse and criminal harassment. The training will build local capacity and enhance expertise in the areas of risk identification, risk management, safety planning and a collaborative interagency response. This training is the second phase of a project focused on providing education and knowledge sharing to Indigenous service leaders. ☐	\$40,000	Vancouver

Violence Free BC	Ending Violence Association of British Columbia	<p>Cross-sector Training Forum: This project will provide a two-day cross sector provincial training forum for 1,000 front-line workers in the victim services, police, and child welfare sectors and will increase knowledge, skills and capacity to respond collaboratively to domestic and sexual violence, child abuse, and criminal harassment. EVA BC with work in collaboration with partners/stakeholders to develop and implement this training. Provincial partners include the BC Chiefs of Municipal Police, RCMP E Division, Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD), BC Society of Transition Houses and Police Victim Services of BC.</p>	\$40,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	THS Society of Transition Houses dba BC Society of Transition Houses	<p>Legal Training for Front-Line Service Providers: This project will develop a range of legal resources and a webinar tailored to the needs of front-line anti-violence workers. Through a consultation process, the project will develop information sheets on records management, subpoenas, informed consent and relevant family law matters.</p>	\$40,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Police Victim Services of BC	<p>The Critical 24-hours – Responding to the Needs of Women and other Vulnerable Populations in the Immediate Aftermath of a Community Emergency or Disaster: This project will develop a customizable Tool Kit to assist police-based victim service programs in collaboratively responding to the needs of women and victims in general, in the aftermath of a community emergency or disaster. Training will be provided in five geographical regions across British Columbia (outside of the Lower Mainland and Fraser Valley) with a focus on rural and isolated communities.</p>	\$40,000	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Legal Services Society of BC and the Ending Violence Association of BC (with the BC Society of Transition Houses)	<p>Family Law Training for Front-line Domestic Violence Workers: This project will work in partnership with Ending Violence Association of BC and the BC Society of Transition Houses to provide a one-day training in Vancouver for 300 front line victim service and transition house workers. The training will focus on the updates in family law and will be an added day to EVA BC's Annual Training Forum.</p>	\$40,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Multilingual Orientation Services Association for Immigrant Communities (MOSAIC)	<p>Advancing the Safety and Well-being of Immigrant Women in North West BC: This pilot project focusses on the design and delivery of training for service providers in North West BC. Working in partnership with local agencies, such as Prince George & District Elizabeth Fry Society, Immigrant and Multicultural Services Society of Prince George and Skeena Diversity Society, the training will address the unique challenges for immigrant women who are victims of violence and how to implement culturally appropriate prevention strategies. Utilizing a train the trainer model, the project will provide a template for ongoing local trainings. This project will produce a Facilitator Guide and Best Practices Guide that will be distributed provincially.</p>	\$40,000	Vancouver

Violence Free BC	The Centre for Child Development of the Lower Mainland	<p>Sophie's Place Child Advocacy Centre:</p> <p>This proposal supports the development of a two-day Provincial conference and webcast to support training for over 200 front line service providers and will include information about the role of Child Advocacy Centres, identifying and mitigating the impacts of trauma on clients and workers, and enhancing collaborative practices. Conference presenters from across Canada and the US will provide expertise on state of the art knowledge on working with child victims of abuse.</p>	\$40,000	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Women Against Violence Against Women Rape Crisis Centre	<p>Enhancing Cultural Competency of Front-Line Service Providers:</p> <p>This project will enhance the knowledge and cultural competency of front-line staff working with Aboriginal victims of violence. Integrating traditional Aboriginal practices and teachings in service delivery that honors cultural distinctiveness will ensure support for Aboriginal women in culturally proficient ways. Training will be provided at two provincial conferences and in three service delivery areas – Metro Vancouver/Fraser Valley, Vancouver Island and Northern BC.</p>	\$40,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	THS Society of Transition Houses dba BC Society of Transition Houses	<p>Building Supports: Housing Access for Immigrant and Refugee Women Leaving Violence:</p> <p>This project will develop and deliver in-person and on-line training for transition house staff to better support immigrant and refugee women who are victims of violence. This project aims to understand the barriers in accessing short- and long-term housing for immigrant and refugee women leaving violent relationships, and to examine practices and policies that can facilitate the removal of barriers to safe, secure and culturally appropriate housing.</p>	\$37,701	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Vancouver Police Department Counter Exploitation	<p>Vancouver Police Department Counter Exploitation Unit Outreach Worker:</p> <p>Funding will support a pilot project to place a civilian outreach worker in the Counter Exploitation Unit of the Vancouver Police Department. The outreach worker will assist exploited victims, including sex trade workers, to access community services. The intended outcome of this project is to provide effective and timely outreach services to high risk victims of sexual exploitation and human trafficking.</p>	\$34,000	Vancouver

Violence Free BC	Surrey Women's Centre Society	<p>Surrey Protocol for Highest Risk Cases of Domestic Violence:</p> <p>The Surrey Protocol for Highest Risk Cases is a 1-year project to enhance the local Interagency Case Assessment Team (ICAT) by adopting a shared leadership model between system-based and community-based agencies in order to improve the coordination of highest risk domestic violence cases in Surrey. Project activities will include (1) increasing the role of community-based agencies in the ICAT's work; (2) standardizing information sharing frameworks; (3) creating a formal referral and intervention protocol; (4) defining high-risk factors; and (5) developing an inter-agency case management process to increase victim safety and offender accountability.</p>	\$30,000	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Ending Violence Association of British Columbia	<p>Cross Sector Integration: Be More Than a Bystander - Break the Silence on Violence Against Women in Indigenous Communities:</p> <p>Building on the successful Be More Than A Bystander Program, this project will deliver the Program to Indigenous youth and communities in four rural or isolated locations. The Be More Than A Bystander Program aims to break the silence surrounding violence against women by providing practical ideas about how to speak up. This project will specifically address the issue of male violence against women and girls by directing the message at men and boys who may witness violent or disrespectful behaviours or attitudes towards women.</p>	\$30,000	Province-Wide
Violence Free BC	City of Surrey- Crime Reduction Office and Social Planning	<p>Enhancing the Safety of Women and Girls on the Street in Surrey:</p> <p>This project, led by the City of Surrey, will bring together key partners in the community for a series of workshops to collaboratively develop, coordinate and/or revamp services that will enhance the safety of women involved in sex trade work and/or women and girls who are street engaged in Surrey.</p>	\$30,000	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Kootenay Boundary Community Services Co-operative	<p>Integrating Innovative Partnerships for Responding to Violence Against Women, Young Women, and Children:</p> <p>This project will enhance the services provided by the West Kootenay Child Advocacy Centre known as the SKY Coordinated Response. SKY aims to ensure that children and youth in the West Kootenay Boundary region who come forward about their experiences of abuse, violence or neglect receive a coordinated response from service providers. This funding will also support SKY to work with local Interagency Case Assessment Teams (ICATs) to determine how best to integrate the two models to ensure the safety and well-being of all non-offending family members.</p>	\$30,000	Nelson
Violence Free BC	Community Connections Society of Southeast BC	<p>Partnerships:</p> <p>The Partnerships project will improve service delivery and help establish formal partnership agreements among service providers in Southeast BC for responding to violence against women. The project will also help establish a series of peer driven, agency supported, group activities to help build the life skills of clients who have been victims of violence.</p>	\$30,000	Cranbrook

Violence Free BC	Central Okanagan Elizabeth Fry Society	<p>Central Okanagan Child Advocacy Centre:</p> <p>This project will support an integrated, child-centred, community response to child abuse in the Central Okanagan through the development of a Child Advocacy Centre, where children and youth who have been victims of, or witnesses to, abuse can feel safe and protected and can access the support and services they need in a single location. The proposed Central Okanagan CAC will serve clients from Osoyoos to Kelowna and Lake Country, and will work to integrate the services of police, the Ministry of Children and Family Development, victim services and other counselling supports.</p>	\$30,000	Kelowna
Violence Free BC	Kamloops and District Elizabeth Fry Society	<p>Women's Second Stage/Supportive Housing:</p> <p>The Women's Second Stage/Supportive Housing Project will support the development of safe, supportive long-term transitional housing for women, youth and children fleeing abuse in Kamloops. In addition to providing housing, the project will also provide women, youth and children impacted by violence with crisis intervention supports, physical and mental health support, daycare services, afterschool programming, employment readiness and transition planning to independent living.</p>	\$30,000	Kamloops
Violence Free BC	Providing Alternatives Counselling & Education (PACE) Society	<p>Violence Support and Prevention Support Groups and On-to-One Counselling:</p> <p>PACE Society provides services and support to women living in the Downtown Eastside. This funding will expand their services to include weekly peer support groups and on-to-one counselling and support for sex workers who have experienced or are experiencing violence.</p>	\$30,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Collingwood Neighbourhood House Society	<p>Best practices to respond to violence against women engaged in sex work in BC:</p> <p>Building on partnerships developed through ongoing work to expand the Living in Community (LIC) model to municipalities in Metro Vancouver, North and Central BC, and Vancouver Island, community developers will work with key stakeholders to support better alignment and/or implementation of policies and practices necessary to reduce levels of violence and harm experienced by individuals engaged in sex work. This will include the mapping of existing policies and practices across stakeholder groups related to sex work and sexual exploitation, and identification of current gaps, challenges, and best practices. Based on this work, a conference will be held with key stakeholders from across the province to support more collaborative and effective approaches to sex work and sexual exploitation, from service delivery to enforcement.</p>	\$30,000	Province-Wide

Violence Free BC	The Northern John Howard Society of British Columbia	<p>S.T.O.P Stop Taking it Out on Your Partner Train the Trainer</p> <p>The S.T.O.P Program is a 15-week voluntary program for men who have been, or may be, violent against an intimate partner. Through addressing topics of emotional self-regulation, empathy, understanding emotions, identifying abuse and taking responsibility for actions, the Program works with men to shift attitudes and behaviours. Building off of the S.T.O.P Program's success, this funding will be used to develop and host a series of training sessions to train new S.T.O.P facilitators throughout Northern British Columbia. The funding will also be used to support an online community forum that will create a platform for continued partnership among agencies involved in delivering the Program.</p>	\$30,000	Prince George
Violence Free BC	Northern First Nations Child and Family Services Council Society	<p>Establishing the 1st Nations Child Advocacy Centre for Northern BC:</p> <p>Funding will support a two-fold plan to raise awareness around the issues of child abuse, family violence and sexual exploitation of girls within four First Nations Communities in Northern BC, while also beginning the work of developing partnerships and protocols between community stakeholder and partners. This work will form a foundation for the establishment of the First Nations Child Advocacy Centre of Northern BC, which will provide culturally relevant, integrated and accessible services to children and youth victims of abuse across the region.</p>	\$30,000	Prince George
Violence Free BC	Vancouver Child and Youth Advocacy Centre Society	<p>Vancouver Child and Youth Advocacy Centre Resource Development:</p> <p>Funding will be used to enhance the work of the Vancouver Child and Youth Advocacy Centre through the development of resource material to raise awareness of the Centre and to assist and support children and families accessing their services.</p>	\$30,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Carrier Sekani Family Services	<p>Action Plan to Address Violence Against Young Women and Girls in the Burns Lake area:</p> <p>This project will focus on the creation of an action plan to address the issue of violence against young women and girls in the Burns Lake area. Hosting a multi-day forum, the project will bring together leaders from the provincial and municipal governments, Chief and Council from local area First Nations, community agencies and organizations and the local school district. Carrier Sekani will work together with these key stakeholders to create new partnerships while strengthening existing relationships, in order to collaboratively address the needs of young women and girls in the area with regards to violence and sexualized violence.</p>	\$30,000	Prince George Burns Lake

Violence Free BC	Pacific Association of First Nation Women	<p>Restoring Relationships Training Project:</p> <p>This project will develop a training package for front line service providers who work with Aboriginal women who are victims of violence or at risk of experiencing violence. The training material will provide tools and skills to reduce and prevent abusive conflict and to support holistic bystander intervention. Using existing conflict reduction, restorative relationship, non-violent communication and prevention of violence tools, this package will provide an Aboriginally-focused training framework for Aboriginal organizations across BC.</p>	\$30,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	First Nations Social Development Society	<p>Indigenous Domestic Violence Prevention:</p> <p>This project will develop a handbook and resource guide to improve the capacity of Band Social Development workers who are often the first contact for women who are victims of violence. The training will focus on guidelines, risk identification, interventions and referrals and will be incorporated in to the training practices for the First Nations Social Development Society which supports 204 nations and bands in BC. The training will include Community Safety and Crime Prevention Branch and provincial standards regarding risk identification, including the Domestic Violence Safety Planning Tool and Violence Against Women in Relationships Policy materials. ☐</p>	\$30,000	North Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Halfmoon Bay-Chatelech Community School	<p>Building Respectful Relationships through Peacemaking Circles:</p> <p>This project aims to build on the successful work done in 2013-14 that focused on using peacemaking circles to address bullying in three schools on the Sunshine Coast. This project will expand the Peacemaking Circle training to also address issues of violence against women in five additional schools that have requested the training. The project will offer training, mentoring, and support with Dr. Zellerer and other appropriate trainers.</p>	\$30,000	Halfmoon Bay
Violence Free BC	Salt Spring and Southern Gulf Islands Community Services Society (SSICS)	<p>Coordinated Community Responses to Family Violence:</p> <p>The primary goal of this project is to improve inter-agency collaboration and coordination specifically around high risk domestic violence cases in Salt Spring and the Southern Gulf Islands. In addition, the project will provide emergency supports, including cellphones and emergency housing, for high-risk clients of the local Interagency Case Assessment Team (ICAT) as well as provide funding to support several nurses at Lady Minto Hospital on Salt Spring Island to receive Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner training offered through BC Women's Hospital.</p>	\$29,464	Salt Spring Islands

Violence Free BC	West Coast LEAF	<p>Jane Doe Legal Clinic: Funding will support the Jane Doe Legal Clinic to provide free one-to-one legal advice and education to women and girls who have experienced violence or abuse. The Clinic will also work to build capacity in women-serving organizations by providing legal education to service providers so that they can better meet the needs of their clients. Finally, the clinic will strengthen the network of legal advocates that work with women and girls who have experienced violence by hosting months advocates meetings to share information, identify needs and inform priorities moving forward.</p>	\$29,364	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Golden Women's Resource Centre Society	<p>Enhancing our Collaborative Response to Relationship Violence and Sexual Assault Project in Golden, BC: This project brings services together who directly or indirectly respond to relationship violence and sexual assault to develop Golden's Community Coordination for Safety in Relationships Team (CCSR Team) and Interagency Case Assessment Team (ICAT). Through collaboration these teams will build an effective response to sexual assault and high risk cases of violence, and adopt best practices into their work to enhance services and increase the safety of vulnerable women and their families. In particular, the CCSR and ICAT will work together to develop a Community Sexual Assault Response Plan, Adopt ICAT Best Practices, host community workshops and strengthen information sharing among service providers.</p>	\$29,060	Golden
Violence Free BC	University of Northern British Columbia (Gender Studies Program)	<p>Understanding the Links: Hitchhiking and Violence against Girls and Women in Northern BC: This project will provide an interview-based study in communities across Northern BC about why northern girls and women hitchhike. The research project will explore linkages between sexual victimization and hitchhiking, transportation options for women in this region, whether particular age and ethnic groups are at risk while hitchhiking and the impact of local educational initiatives about attitudes and behaviours around hitchhiking.</p>	\$28,884	Prince George
Violence Free BC	Abbotsford Community Services Society	<p>Self-Discovery Support Group: This project will see the implementation of three, 12-week support groups for Punjabi speaking women who are experiencing domestic violence and whose cases have been identified as high risk by the Domestic Violence Unit in Abbotsford. The group's curriculum follows the teachings and lessons of Karen McAndless-Davis and Jill Cory's book, When Love Hurts: A Women's Guide to Understanding Abuse in Relationships. The support groups will be led and facilitated by a qualified English and Punjabi speaking facilitator.</p>	\$28,806	Abbotsford

Violence Free BC	Mission RCMP	<p>"Purple Rain" – A Targeted Approach to Domestic Violence Intervention:</p> <p>Funding will support the creation of a domestic violence "Target Team" within the Mission RCMP. The Target Team will partner with community agencies and justice system partners, such as Crown and Community Corrections, to provide oversight of offenders within the community, enhance victim safety and reduce further incidents of domestic violence. The Target Team will work with community partners to assess risk, investigate any new offences and proactively link victims to services and supports within the community. In cases where an offender is charged and subsequently released from custody, the Target Team will consult with inter-agency partners to make contact with the offender, ensure compliance with release conditions and investigate breaches.</p>	\$28,050	Mission
Violence Free BC	Haida Gwaii Society for Community Peace	<p>Haida Gwaii Men's Group:</p> <p>Funding will support the delivery of the Haida Gwaii Men's Group - a specialized 16-week program for men who have used abuse in their intimate partner relationships. Through group therapy sessions, participants will use Narrative Therapy to address and explore the meaning of domestic violence and abuse, the impacts of abusive behaviour and value of taking responsibility for abusive behaviour. Funding will also be used to train local service providers and counsellors in the Narrative Therapy Model and specific strategies for working with men who have abused their partners.</p>	\$27,275	Masset
Violence Free BC	Disability Alliance BC Society	<p>Right to be Safe: Creating Inclusive Services for Women with Disabilities Experiencing Violence:</p> <p>This project will deliver training to frontline service providers in five regions outside the lower mainland including Kootenays, North Okanagan, Cariboo Chilcoton, Northern BC and Vancouver Island. The training will bring in a disability lens to address the barriers for women with disabilities in accessing services. It will increase the capacity of frontline service providers to develop and implement accessible and inclusive community strategies, interventions and support for women with disabilities who are victims of violence.</p>	\$27,168	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Haven Society	<p>Creating Safe Haven: Trauma Informed Support for Women Who Have Experienced Violence:</p> <p>This project will provide a two-day trauma informed training for service providers in four communities across BC who work with women who are victims of violence. The training will focus on the impacts of trauma and will offer practical information, as well as concrete tools and strategies that can be applied to a variety of settings. ☐</p>	\$26,300	Nanaimo

Violence Free BC	Cythera Transition House Society	<p>Maple Ridge Pitt Meadows Violence Against Women in Relationships (VAWIR) Development Project:</p> <p>Funding will be used to develop the structure, organization and processes for the local VAWIR (Violence Against Women in Relationships) Committee and the ICAT (Interagency Case Assessment Team) Subcommittee. The VAWIR and ICAT committees will (1) establish protocols and policies to engage broader community networks; (2) enhance collaboration between service providers in order to enhance victim safety; and (3) promote community awareness on the issue of violence against women.</p>	\$25,890	Maple Ridge
Violence Free BC	Victoria Immigrant and Refugee Centre Society	<p>Equipped: Responding to Violence Against Newcomer Women:</p> <p>In collaboration with Victoria Sexual Assault Centre, the Victoria Immigrant and Refugee Society will develop and deliver training on best practice responses to sexualized and gender-based violence against immigrant and refugee women. This training will increase the capacity of settlement workers providing services to women on Vancouver Island and in Greater Vancouver.</p>	\$25,140	Victoria
Violence Free BC	Police Victim Services of BC	<p>Supporting Women Experiencing Intimate Relationship Violence in Rural and Isolated Communities Training Project:</p> <p>Police Victim Services of BC (PVSBC) will build capacity amongst victim service practitioners to support women who are experiencing violence in their intimate relationships. This project will support enhanced training initiatives for victim service workers focused on supporting women in rural and isolated communities addressing violence in relationships issues.</p>	\$25,000	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Vernon Women's Transition House Society (VWTHS)	<p>Northern Okanagan Child and Youth Advocacy Centre:</p> <p>The Northern Okanagan Child and Youth Advocacy Centre provides an integrated, child-friendly location for services to child and youth victims of abuse. Funding will build capacity through new training opportunities for RCMP, MCFD and Victim Services staff. This training will increase capacity to provide a coordinated and collaborative response to child abuse and sexual assaults in order to achieve the best outcomes for child and youth victims. Funds will also be used to support the salary costs of Centre staff and to purchase interview equipment.</p>	\$24,688	Vernon
Violence Free BC	Maple Ridge Pitt Meadows Community Services (Host Agency)	<p>Alisa's Wish Child and Youth Advocacy Centre:</p> <p>Alisa's Wish Child and Youth Advocacy Centre provides integrated supports to child and youth victims of abuse in Maple Ridge/Pitt Meadows. Funding will upgrade the soundproofing in the facility to ensure the highest level of privacy and quality recording during interviews with vulnerable victims. Funding will also be used to support sustainability planning with the team and salary costs for the child advocate.</p>	\$20,010	Maple Ridge

Violence Free BC	Peers Victoria Resource Society	Small Business Training Program for People In/From the Sex Industry: In coordination with the Bridges for Women Society, the Community Micro Lending Society, and the Town of Esquimalt, Peers Victoria Resource Society (Peers) will implement a Small Business Training program for current and former sex workers in the greater Victoria region. This intensive five month training program will teach women new skills so that they have the opportunity to achieve greater economic security by starting their own small businesses.	\$20,000	Victoria
Violence Free BC	St. Leonard's Youth & Family Services Society	Community Connectedness for At-Risk Girls: St. Leonard's Youth and Family Services Society will engage an outreach worker to provide wrap-around services to young women at risk of being sexually exploited. The project will increase pro- social development, self awareness and community awareness for girls (ages 13-19). St. Leonard's has long standing relationships in the Burnaby community. This project will involve collaboration with the Burnaby School District, MCFD and the RCMP.	\$20,000	Burnaby
Violence Free BC	PeerNet Association of BC	Passing the Feather: The Tsleil Waututh Nation and PeerNet Association of BC will collaborate to promote education and awareness regarding sexual exploitation and human trafficking of vulnerable women in the Tsleil Waututh Nation community. The Tsleil Waututh Nation will lead the project, in partnerships with PeerNet. Issues that reduce the vulnerability of young women will be explored with young men and young women in this community. The project aims to develop leadership and facilitation skills in 30 youth (ages 15-21) to address issues of sexual exploitation/human trafficking in their community.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Friendship House Association of Prince Rupert	Protecting Our Women Phase 2: The project will increase awareness and safety of women in small northern communities through weekly workshops related to sexual exploitation and human trafficking. The Friendship House Association of Prince Rupert will collaborate with Elders, the North Coast Transition Society, RCMP, Victim Services, Aboriginal Community Services and the Northern Health Authority in this project.	\$20,000	Prince Rupert
Violence Free BC	McCreary Centre Society	Project Delete: Stopping online sexual exploitation: The McCreary Centre project focuses on the creation of resources to address risk and protective factors for sexual exploitation and cyber-violence. One resource will focus on female youth aged 12-19 at risk of sexual exploitation, using digital media. The youth will then trained as peer educators/facilitators to foster knowledge sharing. The project will engage youth, parents, educators, policy makers and other adult decision-makers and include specific collaboration with Safe OnLine Outreach Society (SOLOS), the Aboriginal Front Door Society.	\$20,000	Vancouver

Violence Free BC	University of the Fraser Valley, Centre for Indo Canadian Studies	<p>Betrayed: Portraits of Strength (University of the Fraser Valley, Centre for Indo-Canadian Studies):</p> <p>This project links community organizations in Abbotsford, Delta and Vancouver to feature an interactive exhibit of photos and stories from survivors of exploitation (<i>Betrayed: Portraits of Strength</i>) in 10 communities in BC. This project also involves a collaboration between the Vancouver School Board and LiveWires to provide training to teachers about sexual exploitation and human trafficking. Three interactive computer games that illustrate how youth can be lured by sexual predators/human traffickers will be presented to teachers as a resource for use in grades 7-12.</p>	\$20,000	Abbotsford
Violence Free BC	FORTRESS Foundation	<p>Aspirations – SHIFT – Protection in a Sexually Predatory Culture:</p> <p>The FORTRESS Foundation Project will focus on a film that explores the harmful effects of sexual exploitation. The film will involve a First Nations youth character and will explore her personal experiences of sexual exploitation and human trafficking. The film targets adolescent boys between the ages of 11-13 to raise awareness about this issue. The Oak Bay Police Department (MYST), the City of Victoria, the Capital Region Action Team for Sexually Exploited Youth and other community organizations support this project.</p>	\$20,000	Victoria
Violence Free BC	The Salvation Army Deborah's Gate	<p>Outreach Services Project for Trafficked & Exploited Girls and Women (Salvation Army, Deborah's Gate):</p> <p>This project will provide outreach services for up to 150 vulnerable female youth/women throughout BC who are at risk or who have experienced exploitation/human trafficking. The goal is to provide trauma informed, emergent support to these youth/ women so they can access help and exit exploitative circumstances.</p>	\$20,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	BC Teachers' Federation	<p>Stolen Lives: Calling Back our Spirits:</p> <p>The BC Teachers' Federation will host a one day conference in Victoria for Aboriginal Educators on the issue of recognizing, responding and preventing the domestic trafficking of Aboriginal youth and girls within the Lower Mainland.</p>	\$20,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Pacific Centre Family Services Association (PCFSA)	<p>Crime Reduction & Education:</p> <p>This proposal requests a one-time infusion of support to the CRED program – a youth gang intervention and prevention program. Funding will build capacity to address sexual exploitation and human trafficking as a core program theme, including the development of curriculum to be piloted in boys' and girls' groups.</p>	\$20,000	Victoria

Violence Free BC	METIS COMMUNITY SERVICES SOCIETY OF BC	Aboriginal Fathers Program – Regenerating Aboriginal Identity & Healing Workshops: Through the Aboriginal Fathers Engagement Program (AFEP) in Central Okanagan, a broad community-based approach will be delivered to ensure Aboriginal families can heal from the impacts of violence against women. Three workshops on Aboriginal healing for vulnerable fathers will take place to contribute to this healing. Aboriginal families in the Okanagan, affected by violence against women will also be included in this project.	\$20,000	Kelowna
Violence Free BC	Gitxaala Health Centre	Gitxaala Healing Women Project: This project will provide a forum facilitated by the Gitxaala Health Centre Mental Health counselor and other Health staff. The forum participants will address issues related to healing and rebuilding from violence against Aboriginal women. This will be followed by workshops open to the whole community provided by RCMP Victims Services and Legal Services Society. A retreat for these women held on traditional lands will also be part of this project.	\$20,000	Kitkatla
Violence Free BC	WISH Drop-In Centre Society	Aboriginal Culture & Creativity Program: A structured daytime studio group that meets twice a week for a term of six months for Indigenous women involved in the sex-trade and girls to help build resilience against violence and exploitation. This project will use and explore traditional crafts, healing and cultural practices and will facilitate participants to go on culturally-relevant outings. Through this holistic model, the participants will create networks of peer and staff support and increase their sense of identity and ability to resist violence and exploitation.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Providing Alternatives Counselling & Education Society (PACE)	The Healing Circle Support Group: This project will host a weekly Healing Circle facilitated by a Aboriginal peers for Aboriginal women engaged in the sex trade. Participants will engage in one-hour group sessions and have opportunities to receive one to one support to address their needs, including access to resources.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Eye? Sqa'lewen: The Centre for Indigenous Education & Community Connections, Camosun College	Journey of Life Giver: 16 Indigenous women will participate together to build an art installation that addresses their collective experience of healing and recovery from violence. The installation will remain on display at Camosun College as an ongoing educational legacy of the project. Resources will be developed to assist Aboriginal women who are still in the process of recovery from violence.	\$20,000	Victoria

Violence Free BC	Aboriginal Mother Centre Society (AMCS)	The Path To My Journey: To increase safety for Aboriginal women and girls, the Aboriginal Mothers Centre Society will host 48 workshops over a one year period to develop community safety plans. The project aims to break the intergenerational cycles of violence and abuse rooted in domestic violence against Aboriginal women, by promoting awareness and building healthy relationships.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Comox Valley Transition Society	Healing through Connections For Aboriginal Women who have experienced violence and their children and families: This pilot project will be carried out by the Comox Valley Transition Society (CVTS) to facilitate the creation of culturally appropriate circles of support for aboriginal women. The focus is on women who have experienced violence in relationships and are seeking to heal and rebuild their lives and the lives of their children and families.	\$20,000	Courtenay
Violence Free BC	Downtown Eastside Women's Centre Association	Circle of Healing: Cultural Recovery and Resiliency in the Downtown Eastside: This project will provide a space for women to gather, share their stories and build resiliency through a supportive community of women who have survived violence. The project will be directed by the Elders Council at the Downtown Eastside Women's Centre (DEWC). Healing circles, talking circles, and other culturally focussed activities will be led by Aboriginal women. The focus will be on spiritual teachings and counselling to support client participants to heal and rebuild from violence.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	BC Association of Aboriginal Friendship Centres	Moose Hide Campaign: The Moose Hide Campaign is a provincial "raising awareness" initiative that calls on Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal men to support the end to violence against Aboriginal women. This project will distribute the Moose Hide Campaign materials to smaller communities via Friendship Centres throughout BC.	\$20,000	BC Wide
Violence Free BC	Mission Friendship Centre Society	Sisters Against Violent Experiences (S.A.V.E): This project will address healing and rebuilding from violence and abuse. The Women's Support Worker will work with clients to find emergency supports such as housing, food and clothing and also develop safety plans. Third party reporting and bad date reports will be facilitated by the worker to assist these women. Clients will be supported to rebuild after the impacts of violence through hands-on healing cultural crafts and healing talk circles.	\$20,000	Mission

Violence Free BC	Malahat Nation	Violence Prevention & Conflict Resolution - Malahat: This project will host a number of programs for women who have experienced violence on reserve and at home. The activities will include 'retreat weeks', 'victim reconciliation programs', 'positive communication programs' and 'women's support groups'. The project will also offer violence awareness and prevention programs for families and men of the Malahat Nation community. The intent will be to empower Nation members to recognize violence, deal with conflict peacefully and build stronger, healthier and more meaningful relationships.	\$20,000	Mill Bay
Violence Free BC	Metis Community Services Society of BC	Releasing Integrating Soaring Equality (RISE) Healing Group: This 12 week project will explore holistic healing approaches to trauma including through shared stories and listening. The program will utilize traditional healing circles and the making of medicine pouches. This program will be offered to Aboriginal children, youth and families that are currently participating in a therapeutic program run by MCSBC and is focussed on healing for families that have experienced violence against Metis women.	\$20,000	Kelowna
Violence Free BC	Fort Nelson Aboriginal Friendship Society	'Together' Project: The 'Together' project will address the impacts of domestic violence, safety planning and healthy family dynamics for women in the Fort Nelson area of BC. The project will incorporate emotional, spiritual, physical and intellectual life learning rings. Elders, health professionals, law enforcement, and service providers will co-facilitate the project along with healing circle facilitators to assist Aboriginal women to heal and rebuild from violence.	\$20,000	Fort Nelson
Violence Free BC	Fort StJohn Woman Warriors - Sisters in Spirit	Training Project: This project will focus on supporting Treaty 8 families in the North East areas of BC to participate in healing and talking circles. The project will use the medicine wheel to support women in their healing journey. Local practitioners, elders, medicine people and clinical counsellors will be engaged in the project to support impacted families who have experienced violence against Aboriginal women.	\$20,000	Fort St John
Violence Free BC	Killarney Secondary School, Vancouver School Board	SHIFT Project: This project focuses on addressing healthy and respectful relationships while raising awareness of the impacts of violence in Killarney Secondary School in Vancouver. The focus is on providing education to students in Grade 10 Planning courses, using peer mentors. A school-wide anti-violence campaign and a student lead anti-violence club will be created as part of this project. Partnerships between the school and community agencies including the South Vancouver Neighborhood House, BC Society of Transition Houses and Vancouver Coastal Health will be formed to deliver the project. ☐	\$20,000	Vancouver

Violence Free BC	Begbie View Elementary School	Early Intervention and Positive Relationship Building: A youth care worker will engage intermediate-level students in a number of planned and targeted activities that will support positive interactions, respectful communication, and healthy relationship building between male and female students. This project focuses on shifting harmful attitudes and behaviours in the school environment, and will include presentations from local anti-violence agencies.	\$20,000	Revelstoke
Violence Free BC	Centennial Secondary School	Youth Art Engagement Project: This project will support delivery of Children of the Street Society's Youth Art Engagement Project to a group of students from the Transitions Program at Centennial Secondary School. The Youth Art Engagement Project is a special multi-week project that supports student learning through artistic practice, with a focus on topics related to sexual exploitation, violence prevention, and healthy relationships. The project includes a strong mentorship component, and concludes with a student art exhibition at a local gallery.	\$20,000	Coquitlam
Violence Free BC	Delta School District	School-based Prevention Project: This project will support development of a coordinator position to strengthen and enhance violence prevention initiatives within the school district. The coordinator will employ a multi-tiered approach to organize and facilitate violence prevention activities for students in grades 6 - 12, focusing on primary, secondary and tertiary levels. Areas of focus will include: understanding the root causes and impacts of violence; shifting attitudes and behaviours to prevent violence against women; and, emphasizing healthy and respectful relationships.	\$20,000	Delta
Violence Free BC	Mountainside Secondary School	Inside Out Project: Own Your Journey: Breaking the cycle of violence through creativity: This project is a three week intensive arts-based program for youth ages 13-20. Using therapeutic art, photography and stop motion animation participants will learn skills in self-empowerment, peer to peer interaction, and understand how to make healthy, non-violent choices. The goal for Inside Out is to help youth-at-risk address the root causes of violence with a special focus on violence against women through creative expression.	\$20,000	North Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Langley School District #35	Addressing Cyberbullying and Self/Peer Exploitation Project: The Langley School District will implement the updated 2nd edition of the Kids in the Know (KIK) program from the Canadian Centre for Child Protection. The funds will be used to purchase materials and resources for the updated modules on cyberbullying and self/peer sexual exploitation. The funds will also be used to train 2,500 Langley teachers in the new curriculum. Once trained, these teachers will deliver the program throughout the Langley School District from kindergarten to grade 10 in order to empower students and reduce victimization.	\$20,000	Langley

Violence Free BC	Harwin Elementary School - School District #57	Reducing Vulnerability and Creating Awareness in our Youth: Harwin Elementary School in Prince George will facilitate the Red Cross Respect ED Program in Grade 5-7 classrooms (benefiting 90 students). The Community Coordinator and Aboriginal Education workers will be trained to deliver the program during classroom time. The school will undertake other activities with youth such as Go Girls by Big Brothers and Big Sisters and a Boys Group after school focused on building healthy relationships. Activities such as wilderness camping will provide a cultural experience for Aboriginal students that will increase skills in communication, independence and self-reliance.	\$20,000	Prince George
Violence Free BC	Peers Victoria Resource Society	Drop In Centre: Funds will support a low barrier drop in community space for sex workers. In particular, funding will support daily programming at the Drop In Centre, including: health clinics, wellness workshops, peer support workers, and other activities.	\$20,000	Victoria
Violence Free BC	Positive Women's Network	Linking Two Epidemics: HIV & Violence Against Women Training Initiative: In partnership with Regional Health Authorities, this project will provide training and education for front line service providers in four communities who work with women who are living with HIV/AIDS and are experiencing violence. An HIV diagnosis can contribute to a potential increase in violence and this training will increase the capacity of services to support the specialized interventions required for women living with HIV/Aids.	\$19,842	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Central Okanagan Elizabeth Fry Society	Ending Sexual Exploitation of Young Women in Central Okanagan: This project is a partnership between the Central Okanagan EFRY Society and the Westbank Health and Wellness Centre. In phases, the project will conduct surveys and focus groups with young women (aged 12-24) to identify community needs and areas of risk. Workshops will then be developed and piloted for small groups of young women (aged 9-16), with curriculum related to sexual exploitation. EFRY will also include this curriculum in a weekend retreat being offered by the Westbank First Nation for young Aboriginal women from their community.	\$19,825	Kelowna
Violence Free BC	Circle of Indigenous Nations Society	Rebuilding the Circle: This project will focus on supporting Aboriginal women/youth in the West Kootenay Boundary region to heal and rebuild from past trauma and violence. The project will convene a gathering to share stories and teachings, while engaging in cultural activities at a two day Aboriginal women's healing conference.	\$19,820	Kresova

Violence Free BC	Pacific Community Resources Society	Mindful Leaders: Pacific Community Resources Society will conduct a peer-led 10-week project to educate vulnerable youth in how to identify signs of recruitment and grooming, both online and in person, to prevent sexual exploitation and human trafficking of young people. The project will increase awareness by educating youth in 5 schools in Surrey, BC regarding sexual exploitation and healthy relationships. The program empowers youth to become mindful leaders in their schools and involves youth mentors. The project involves collaboration with the Surrey RCMP, community service providers and the Ministry of Children and Family Development.	\$19,730	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Valemount Secondary School	Respectful Relationships Project- Valemount Secondary School: Valemount Secondary School and the Robson Valley Support Society will partner to deliver the Respectful Relationships Curriculum to 45 students in the school. (R+R) is an award-winning, school-based violence prevention program that aims to reduce the incidence of relationship violence in the lives of youth by helping them develop the skills and attitudes they need for healthy and respectful relationships with peers.	\$19,417	Valemount
Violence Free BC	Ki-Low-Na Friendship Society	The Standing Strong Project: This project will offer holistic healing services to the urban Aboriginal population in the Central Okanagan, including nearby on-reserve populations. The Ki-Low-Na Friendship Society (KFS) will host a program for Aboriginal men based on the "I am a kind man" series that will promote healing from the impacts of violence against Aboriginal women. A three-day "Healing Conference" will be organized to support traditional healing practices.	\$19,377	Kelowna
Violence Free BC	Marie Sharpe Elementary	Building Attachment and Healthy Relationships through a Trauma Informed School: This project focuses on a school wide approach to addressing healthy and respectful relationships from kindergarten-grade 6. In particular, the project uses a trauma-informed approach to address intergenerational violence experienced by its large population of Aboriginal students. Using proven curriculum, including Violence is Preventable, Girl Power, 2BBoys Program, Families and Schools Together (FAST), the wrap-around approach will include the school, families and Williams Lake community members in preventing violence against women. Teachers will play an active role in facilitating the project.	\$19,132	Williams Lake
Violence Free BC	Metis Provincial Council of British Columbia (dba Metis Nation British Columbia)	Helping Metis Women to Heal: Metis Nation British Columbia (MNBC) will hold community workshops for Metis women to address issues of violence against women. The workshops will be held in Vancouver and Prince George with participants invited from across the province. The one-day workshops will be led by MNBC's Women's Chair.	\$18,500	Abbotsford

Violence Free BC	Tillicum Lelum Aboriginal Society	Young Women's Wellness Program: The Tillicum Lelum Aboriginal Society will run a weekly group targeting girls under 21 years old that utilize a 'circle of courage' model of youth empowerment to address risk factors relating to sexual exploitation. Sessions will also include guest speakers (from different disciplines) who will provide education regarding sexual exploitation and human trafficking. The project will involve collaboration with the Kw'umut Lelum Child and Family Services, RCMP, MCFD and Island Health, Discovery Youth and Family Substance Use Services.	\$17,496	Nanaimo
Violence Free BC	Xaxli'p First Nation	Giving a Strong Voice to Aboriginal Women: The project has will support a three-day workshop facilitated by a Certified Traditional Healer specializing in supporting women who have experienced domestic violence. The Canadian Red Cross- RespectED program will also be presented and a life skills course from WorkBC. The goal is to empower women and help them heal and rebuild from violence.	\$17,380	Lillooet
Violence Free BC	School District 42- Student Support Services	Violence is Preventable Project: This project is a partnerships between the School District 42 in Maple Ridge and the Cynthera Transition House Society to provide educational presentations to teachers and school staff on professional development days. Funding will include the purchase of materials for workshops drawn from the "Violence is Preventable Manual", "Be More Than a Bystander Campaign" and for a clinical counsellor to help support the most at risk and vulnerable youth who experience violence in their homes. The project will also include education presentations by healthy male facilitators as role models and by the Transition House staff. Overall the project will shift attitudes and behaviours related to the prevention of violence against women.	\$17,140	Maple Ridge
Violence Free BC	Sikh Academy	Violence is Preventable Program: In partnership with a local community agency, the BC Society of Transition Houses' Violence is Preventable Program will be delivered to students (kindergarten to grade 7), along with monthly workshops for parents and community counselling supports for students and/or parents. A primary focus will be placed on reaching students and parents within the South Asian community, with culturally relevant and competent approaches to project design and delivery.	\$17,000	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Cowichan Tribes, Lulumexun, Community Safety	Rebuilding and Renewal: This project will host holistic healing workshops and talking circles for 20- 30 participants over a 3 month timeframe. An elder will work with participants to use traditional approaches to address trauma and move towards healing and renewal. Individuals, families and the entire community will be involved	\$16,708	Duncan

Violence Free BC	Society Place Maillardville Society	The First Nations Girls Club Project: A variety of life skills will be provided through two 9 week sessions for young Aboriginal girls (ages 10-14) identified as at-risk for sexual exploitation in the community. The project will address risk factors for sexual exploitation and human trafficking by providing a safe learning environment. Topics to be addressed include resume and job skills preparation, self-confidence education, and aboriginal cultural awareness. The Society Place Maillardville Society will collaborate with local schools, the Suaw'lkh Aboriginal Education Program and Children of the Street Society to deliver this program. Childminding will be provided to reduce a barrier for girls to attend.	\$16,135	Coquitlam
Violence Free BC	Mount Boucherie Secondary School	Students Supporting Students (SSS): This project includes presentations by Children of the Street Society to students in grades 10, 11 and 12, and training for a select group of teachers and students to deliver the Canadian Red Cross' "Beyond the Hurt" curriculum within school classrooms. The purpose of the project is to provide students with the knowledge and tools necessary to recognize exploitation, controlling behaviour, abuse and/or violence, and where they can access help.	\$15,900	West Kelowna
Violence Free BC	Alberni Community and Women's Services Society	Girls Speak Out 2015 fiscal 2015-16: This is a program developed by BC Women's Hospital to address vulnerable young women (ages 16-23) who are at risk for exploitation due to mental health issues, addictions or past trauma. The Alberni Community and Women's Services Society proposes to deliver the program to clients of their Victim Assistance Program; the focus will be on women who have been/are being sexually exploited. The project involves collaboration with RCMP, Victim Services, Alberni Drug and Alcohol Prevention Program, as well as the Port Alberni Friendship Centre and others.	\$15,825	Port Alberni
Violence Free BC	Pacific Community Resources Society	Weaving Together: Weaving Together will serve both Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal youth (ages 16-24) to explore healing and community development through a series of talking circles. Residents in the broader Vancouver community will be engaged on how they can support healing of Aboriginal youth and women.	\$15,750	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Eagle View Elementary School	Eagle View S.A.V.E Club: Eagle View Elementary School will undertake a school wide project to encourage healthy and respectful relationships and build a safer school community. The school will start a SAVE Chapter (Students Against Violence Everywhere) and invite elders and community members to participate in helping students learn about conflict resolution, crime prevention, equality among partners, and root causes of violence. The school will also shift attitudes and behaviours to better prevent violence against women as part of this project. Funding will support school wide events to support the project.	\$15,297	Port Hardy

Violence Free BC	Revelstoke Women's Shelter Society	<p>Uniting our Community to Protect Women:</p> <p>This project will enhance the work of the multi-disciplinary Revelstoke Domestic Violence Committee (RDVC) and its related sub-committees to strengthen the overall response to violence against women in the Revelstoke area. Among other activities, key project components include: (1) supports for the coordination, monitoring and evaluation of system intervention efforts; (2) training and education around the issue of domestic violence within the broader community; and (3) completion and implementation of a community sexual assault protocol as well as a protocol for the Revelstoke Interagency Case Assessment Team (ICAT).</p>	\$15,000	Revelstoke
Violence Free BC	Sea to Sky Crime Stoppers	<p>Sexual Assault Prevention – A Youth’s Perspective:</p> <p>This projects takes an innovative approach to raising awareness of sexual assault by engaging youth in the development of a youth-led awareness campaign. Through a partnership with the school district, local youth will be supported to develop a Concept Brief consisting of a short video and media marketing strategy. A panel of community partners will provide support to the teams and assist in selecting one video to be entered in the 2016 Reel Youth Film Festival.</p>	\$15,000	Squamish
Violence Free BC	Individual Learning Centre (ILC) - Saanichton	<p>Saanich Schools Anti-Violence Network (SAVN):</p> <p>This two-year project will start with culturally competent training for six students, including two Indigenous students, on peer facilitation, crisis intervention, healthy relationships, anti-oppression, and violence prevention strategies. Peer-led anti-violence workshops, delivered by the trained student leaders, will then be made available to schools across the district. Workshops will cover a variety of topics, including healthy relationships, prevention and intervention, and anti-oppression. One of the workshops, aimed at Indigenous youth, will be developed in consultation and collaboration with community elders and will integrate Indigenous experiences, history, cultural and tradition.</p>	\$15,000	Saanichton
Violence Free BC	Sunshine Coast Community Services Society (SCCSS)	<p>Standing up for Violence Against Women on the Sunshine Coast:</p> <p>This program engages men and male youth in addressing and preventing violence against women in their communities. Funding will support the delivery of a Mentors in Violence Prevention (MVP) Train the Trainer Program that will prepare community role models from various sectors to facilitate youth workshops and group discussions on the issue.</p>	\$14,689	Schelt

Violence Free BC	RCMP Victim Services	<p>Reaching Out to Kids In Care: The community of Prince George will build on work already underway to address sexual exploitation and human trafficking in the community. This project will provide training sessions for front-line staff working with children in care to identify signs of sexual exploitation and human trafficking. A media campaign will also be developed. The project involves collaboration with RCMP Victim Services, MCFD, the Elizabeth Fry Society, Native Friendship Centre, Carrier Sekani and the New Hope Society.</p>	\$14,500	Prince George
Violence Free BC	GROW Alternate Education Centre	<p>Healthy Relationships Today: This project will serve 60 students (ages 14-18) who are at high-risk for experiencing violence, including a number of First Nations students. The program will be delivered by counsellors who have specialized training and expertise in violence prevention. A two day comprehensive learning event for the students will be followed by six specialized monthly sessions. This project will reduce violence against women by creating awareness, shifting attitudes and behaviours, and building skills in conflict resolution, assertiveness and communication. The project will also create a community of support and hope for the future.</p>	\$14,390	Williams Lake
Violence Free BC	Fraser-Cascade School District #78	<p>Violence Prevention Program: This project will deliver a psycho-educational violence prevention program for students (kindergarten to grade twelve) in the Fraser-Cascade School District. The program is designed to support student understanding of the dynamics and impacts of family violence, the difference between healthy and unhealthy relationships, exploration of beliefs, values and stereotypes that perpetuate violence, and the importance of social responsibility.</p>	\$14,295	Hope
Violence Free BC	Vancouver Island AIDS Society (AIDS Vancouver Island)	<p>Coordinated Community Response Initiative: The Coordinated Community Response Initiative will bring together key community stakeholders in Greater Victoria to identify and coordinate support services for highly marginalized self-identified women in the survival sex and drug trades who experience on-going and persistent violence. The project will include the identification of gaps within existing social service provision among community organizations and identify best practices for supporting self-identified women who are victims of violence.</p>	\$13,500	Victoria
Violence Free BC	Nechako Valley Senior Secondary Parent Advisory Council	<p>YES! Youth Exploitation and Safety!: The Nechako Valley Senior Secondary Parent Advisory Council (PAC) will conduct monthly seminars on topics related to sexual exploitation and human trafficking, including internet luring and safety, and responsible use of social media. The PAC will collaborate with the school district, the RCMP and Ministry of Justice's Office to Combat Trafficking in Persons. (OCTIP)</p>	\$13,500	Vanderhoof

Violence Free BC	'Namgis First Nation	Families Stand As One: This project will support a three day gathering at the Bighouse that will rebuild relationships through cultural activities and workshops for 15-20 Aboriginal families who are affected by family violence. Elders, support staff and Tsow Tun Le Lum cultural workers will introduce Aboriginal parenting practices, cultural healing approaches, and cultural teachings to foster positive change.	\$12,300	Duncan
Violence Free BC	Circle of Indigenous Nations Society	Healing our Hearts – Aboriginal Men’s Healing Conference: The Circle of Indigenous Nations Society will gather 30 men for a 2-day conference providing opportunities to learn about and discuss sexual exploitation/human trafficking of women, as well opportunities for traditional healing from past trauma for the men attending. The project identifies a clear goal of reducing and preventing sexual exploitation by offering men an opportunity to engage in discussion and self-reflection regarding violence against women. The project involves collaboration with Men Speak Out Program, Nelson Community Services and local Aboriginal Elders.	\$12,120	Krestova
Violence Free BC	Claremont Secondary School	School-wide anti-violence program: This project involves: 1) school-wide engagement with presentations by speakers such as the BC Lions "Be More Than A Bystander" program, and Jackson Katz, a well known speaker about male responsibility and women's violence; 2) Creation of leadership groups to develop targeted workshops for students to be delivered in Planning 10 classes; and 3) engaging adults, staff and parents in the community on preventing violence against women. Curriculum will be created that can be shared with three school districts on Southern Vancouver Island. Issues to be addressed during this project include youth agency and empowerment, informed consent, establishing boundaries, and healthy relationships.	\$11,388	Victoria
Violence Free BC	Trail Family and Individual Resource (FAIR) Centre Society	Responding to Violence Against Women in the lower Columbia: The lower Columbia Violence Against Women in Relationships (VAWIR) Committee offers an integrated approach to the issue of violence against women, including supporting the recent formation of an Interagency Case Assessment Team (ICAT). This funding will support the Committee to broaden and deepen understanding of appropriate responses to violence against women by working with additional service providers. In addition, a handbook titled 'Responding to Violence Against Women in the Lower Columbia Region' will be created and widely distributed throughout the lower Columbia area.	\$11,000	Trail

Violence Free BC	Britannia Secondary School	BRIT 8 : BRIT Engagement 8: This project will focus on engaging the incoming grade 8 student on Britannia's code of conduct; this includes Bravery, Respect, Integrity and Tenacity. Focus will be placed on building each student's sense of self-respect and worth in relation to their responsibility to and for the Britannia community. The overall goal is to create opportunities for students to embody these traits through a program that emphasizes the importance of respectful, caring and healthy relationships with their peers.	\$10,950	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	School District 58 - Nicola Similkameen	Reducing Violence –Creating and Healthy Lifestyle Tool Kit: This project will provide workshops and teacher training across the local school district to promote anti-violence awareness and strategies for all students from kindergarten through grade 10. The goals of the project are to reduce unhealthy relationships, discourage drug and alcohol use, and to improve student self-awareness, self-confidence and problem solving. Project funds will support workshop trainers in Healthy Relationships and Second Steps programs to train staff and students.	\$10,648	Merritt
Violence Free BC	Abbotsford Police Department	Domestic Violence Unit Emergency Victim Support Funds: Funding will supplement the Abbotsford Domestic Violence Unit's annual budget to provide emergency supports to women who are fleeing domestic violence cases of the highest risk. Emergency supports include cellphones, pre-paid phone cards, assistance with personal safety measures, as well as emergency shelter, food and transportation supports.	\$10,000	Abbotsford
Violence Free BC	Providing Alternatives Counselling & Education (PACE) Society	Sex Work Community Education Project: This one year project will provide 2 hour bi-weekly workshops on a range of topics to increase sex worker safety, increase their access to support services when they experience violence and increase reporting of domestic violence to police by current or former sex workers.	\$10,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Downtown Eastside Women's Centre Association	DEWC Anti-violence Workshop Series: The Downtown Eastside Women's Centre (DEWC) will deliver a comprehensive series of 10 workshops on violence against women to the staff of the Women's Centre, the staff of the DEWC Shelter, and to DEWC volunteers. The objective of the training is to provide skills, tools and resources for responding to women who are at risk or are experiencing violence in their lives.	\$10,000	Vancouver

Violence Free BC	Victoria Women's Transition House Society	<p>Enhancing Capacity: Frontline Service Provider Training:</p> <p>This project will deliver 8 training modules and 12 applied educational case study sessions for up to 25 victim services workers and support staff of Victoria Women's Transition House Society (VWTH) on how to deliver appropriate and relevant services to women and children who have experienced domestic violence in their lives. It will also address the impacts on frontline staff of providing trauma services to women and children. This training will address issues within the current environment & context of the work, explore practice implications of emerging trends in demographics and challenges to service delivery, and incorporate promising practices and research informed practice.</p>	\$10,000	Victoria
Violence Free BC	Island Health, Trauma Services	<p>Forensic Nurse Examiner Program, Island Health, Trauma Services:</p> <p>This project will train 10 Registered Nurses in the Forensic Nurse Examiner (FNE) field to sustain a FNE program already in place on Vancouver Island. This program currently delivers 24/7 on call coverage for care/treatment, assessment and referral to anyone, any age and gender 24 hours a day, 7 days a week whom have been effected by sexual assault/Interpersonal Violence. The program covers 4 large hospital sites on Vancouver Island including Cowichan District Hospital, West coast general Hospital, Victoria General Hospital and Nanaimo Regional General Hospital.</p>	\$10,000	Victoria
Violence Free BC	ELK VALLEY RCMP VICTIM SERVICES	<p>Elk Valley ICAT – Coordination to End Violence in Relationships:</p> <p>This project will provide training for service providers about domestic violence and the role of the ICAT. The audiences for the training will be nurses, doctors, ambulance, fire, crown, judges and police, as well as assigned support workers for those who work with high risk youth</p>	\$10,000	FERNIE
Violence Free BC	Golden Women's Resource Centre Society	<p>Training to Build a Collaborative Response to Sexual Assault and Identify High-Risk Cases of Relationship Violence:</p> <p>This project will provide a 2-3 day training for front-line service providers who respond to relationship violence and sexual assault to learn how to collaborate on responding to sexual assault. The project will also provide a 1-2 day training on how to identify high-risk cases of relationship violence</p>	\$10,000	Golden
Violence Free BC	Gitxsan Health Society	<p>Frontline Workers Training for Service Providers Responding to Violence Against Women:</p> <p>The training will increase the number of frontline workers to have appropriate training so they can better respond to individuals/families who experience violence. The project will partner with the Northern Society of Domestic Peace to draw upon their expertise in training for frontline workers who work with violence against women.</p>	\$10,000	Hazelton

Violence Free BC	North Shore Women's Centre Society	<p>North Shore Violence Against Women In Relationships (VAWIR) Education and Training Project:</p> <p>The North Shore Violence Against Women In Relationships (VAWIR) Education and Training Project will provide education and training to community based workers who support women experiencing relationship violence. The training will include information on the North Shore's Integrated Case Management Team; identifying risk; making effective referrals; best practices for effective partnerships and coordination; dating violence and sexual assault and cultural awareness to improve support for Aboriginal and immigrant women experiencing violence. Presentations will be provided at the North Shore VAWIR Coordinating Committee's regular meetings; panel presentations will be available to the wider community agencies; workshops will be available to further organizations who serve the target population. In addition a VAWIR education and training website will be developed.</p>	\$10,000	North Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Surrey Women's Centre Society	<p>Surrey Inter-Agency Case Assessment Team Training:</p> <p>The Surrey Interagency Case Assessment Team (ICAT) Training is a 1-year project designed to increase community capacity to respond to high-risk cases of domestic violence. The goal of the training is to enhance the ability of front line service providers working with victims of domestic violence to identify the need for, convene, facilitate and participate more effectively in ICAT meetings.</p>	\$10,000	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Tri-City Transitions	<p>Engaging Community- Reducing Barriers "the Supporting Well ness Project":</p> <p>Tri- City Transitions will provide two training forums for 50 to 60 frontline victim service providers who are supporting battered women with mental health challenges, using both expert & experiential trainers. The "Supporting Wellness" forums will focus on education, knowledge sharing and the development of best practices.</p>	\$10,000	Port Coquitlam
Violence Free BC	British Columbia's Women's Hospital and Health Centre Foundation	<p>Being Safe: Building Aboriginal community capacity to heal and rebuild after violence and trauma:</p> <p>'Ask Auntie' is an on-line violence prevention program for Aboriginal girls who have escaped violence. The new curriculum will be piloted in three Aboriginal communities. A team will travel to each community to facilitate training sessions. The facilitators will be trained on how to create/maintain safe spaces and how to respond to a disclosure within the context of their community.</p>	\$10,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Musqueam Indian Band	<p>Musqueam Family Healing Plans:</p> <p>This project will enhance services for Musqueam women who are survivors of violence, and their families. This project will focus on the development of a community-based family healing plan that is holistic and respectful. Elders, knowledge keepers and survivors of violence will be involved in the project.</p>	\$10,000	Vancouver

Violence Free BC	Coast Mountains Board of Education School District 82	Nurturing The Spirit Project: This project will support the implementation of the Nurturing the Spirit program to students in the Coast Mountains School District. The project focuses on personal development, crisis management, and healthy and safe living. The program includes a significant Aboriginal cultural component that will address healthy and respectful relationships and the prevention of violence against women.	\$10,000	Terrace
Violence Free BC	School District #38 Richmond	Connecting to Self through Cultural Teachings: The project will connect young Aboriginal participants (ages 13-18) with local elders who will act as guides and mentors for a carving project. Throughout the project, the focus of the conversation will be on self-respect using the First Peoples Principles of Learning, as well as building strong learning connections to abuse prevention. By developing a deeper understanding of self and ancestry, participants will better connect with each other and with their traditions which will help build pride and confidence.	\$10,000	Richmond
Violence Free BC	Laurie Middle School (School District #5, Southeast Kootenay)	Looking In: This project will engage community partners in the development of six, day-long retreats for grade nine students focused on a series of topics, including: root causes and impacts of violence; relationship violence; social media; healthy boundaries; consent; and, respectful relationships. Students will be able to explore these issues through small and large group activities, which will be facilitated by staff from local community anti-violence agencies.	\$10,000	Cranbrook
Violence Free BC	Vancouver Police Department Domestic Violence and Criminal Harassment Unit	Vancouver Police Department Domestic Violence and Criminal Harassment Unit: Funding will be used to provide supports and safety planning for victims of high-risk domestic violence cases. This will include emergency supports to victims and children, such as assistance with personal safety measures, and emergency shelter, food and transportation supports.	\$10,000	Vancouver
Violence Free BC	Ksan House Society	Sexual Assault Community Coordination: This project will develop a coordinated sexual assault response protocol with key community stakeholders and will include training for community support workers. In addition, service pamphlets and brochures will be disseminated for the public. ☐	\$9,990	Terrace
Violence Free BC	Revelstoke Women's Shelter Society	Keeping Current: This funding will enable front line transition house staff to attend local training events and the BC Society of Transition House Annual Training Forum.	\$9,936	Revelstoke

Violence Free BC	ROBSON VALLEY SUPPORT SOCIETY	Robson Valley Sexual Assault Response Protocol Training: This training will focus on providing support for anti-violence service providers in a collaborative and strengths-based environment to enhance responses to sexual assault. The project will bring together various sectors that respond to violence against women for training on the implementation of the Robson Valley Sexual Assault protocol including the coordinated response required to support victims of sexual assault.	\$9,895	McBride
Violence Free BC	D.W. Poppy Secondary School	S.T.A.R.S. (Social Thinking for At-Risk Students): A group of up to 70 at-risk students will participate in a program designed to help develop social, communication, and coping skills. Utilizing a Social Thinking approach, the program aims to help students develop a stronger sense of self, engage in pro-social behaviour that has a positive impact on their environment and community, and build healthy relationships with peers and adults in their lives. Program activities will include facilitated group discussions, role plays, guest speakers/presentations, and participation in a mentorship program with elementary school students.	\$9,800	Langley
Violence Free BC	Burnaby RCMP Victim Services	Safety Training for Domestic Violence Front Line Workers: This project will include a two day safety training for police and community-based domestic violence workers in the Lower Mainland. While much information has been provided on safety planning for victims of domestic violence, this training will focus on the safety of the workers themselves, particularly relating to their work with clients.	\$9,770	Burnaby
Violence Free BC	Ladysmith Secondary School – SD68 Nanaimo/Ladysmith	Youth Voices Challenging Rape Culture: A group of ten senior high schools students will work with a drama teacher and certified sexual health teacher to develop and deliver a presentation focused on issues of consent in relationships, the practice of sexting in youth culture, and the influence of pornography. The presentation will be delivered to other students in a number of high-schools located in mid-Vancouver Island.	\$9,500	Ladysmith

Violence Free BC	NLPS / Learning Alternatives – Ravens Lelum – Teen Parents Learning Centre	Ravens Lelum – Reclaiming a village of empathy Nurturing and Strength: The Teen Parents Learning Centre provides education to 70 students who are young single mothers and Aboriginal students who have left school. The school will hold monthly talking circles with elders, sweat lodges and other cultural events to address issues of family violence. The project will engage young men and young women to critically examine the impacts of colonization on women’s status, the influences of family, and the construction and representation in the media of what it means to be a man and a woman. Community partners include Haven Society, Nanaimo Aboriginal Centre, Mid Island Metis Nation, 4% Project – Dover Bay Secondary School, Vancouver Island Health, Inter Tribal Health Authority, RCMP, and Tillicum Lelum Friendship Centre. Haven Society will run a weekly educational program in the school to empower the young women who attend this Learning Centre.	\$9,115	Nanaimo
Violence Free BC	The Native Courtworker and Counselling Association of British Columbia	Aboriginal Women's Right to Be Safe Gathering: This one day Aboriginal Women's Right to Be Safe Gathering will focus on violence prevention and inter-generational support for approximately 25 aboriginal women of all ages. Cultural teachings will be used and elders will participate. The gathering will create an opportunity for participants to connect across nations and generations in order to heal and rebuild from the impacts of violence against Aboriginal women.	\$9,075	North Vancouver
Violence Free BC	South Okanagan Integrated Community Services Society (Desert Sun)	Desert Sunshine Education Day: This project will provide a specialized two-day training for rural front line workers in the anti-violence sector and other sectors on the impact of violence and how best to support victims seeking help. The project will also include a community presentation on violence against women.	\$9,000	Oliver
Violence Free BC	School District 70 (Alberni)	Implementation of Respect Ed - Preventing Domestic Violence: Using a train-the-trainer model, teachers will be provided with training to support facilitation and delivery of the Red Cross' Respect Ed curriculum to grade 9 and 10 students in the Alberni Valley and in schools along the west coast of Vancouver Island. Through lectures, videos, classes discussions and targeted activities, the curriculum will teach students about healthy and unhealthy relationships, the various forms and impacts of relationship violence, and how to access support. ☐	\$8,700	Port Alberni

Violence Free BC	Interior Community Services	<p>Caring Dads: Funding for this project will be used to train instructors from a variety of organizations to deliver the anti-violence program Caring Dads in Kamloops and surrounding communities. Caring Dads is a 17-week intervention program for fathers who have physically/emotionally abused or neglected their children and/or exposed them to domestic violence. The program goals are to engage fathers, to help them develop more child-centered fathering, and to take responsibility for ending their abusive behavior towards their children and their children's mothers.</p>	\$8,150	Kamloops
Violence Free BC	Hope & Area Transition Society	<p>Fraser-Cascade Violence Against Women In Relationship Committee (VAWIR) - Community Coordination and Strategic Planning Day: This project will support the establishment of a Violence Against Women in Relationships (VAWIR) committee in the Fraser Cascade area including the communities of Agassiz, Hope and Boston Bar. The VAWIR committee will (1) bring together criminal justice system representatives and agencies involved with intervention in cases of violence against women in relationships; (2) develop a coordinated systems response that is consistent and reliable; (3) monitor the implementation of the coordinated systems response in order to evaluate and make recommendations as necessary; and (4) facilitate inter-agency participation to enhance collaboration.</p>	\$7,758	Hope
Violence Free BC	Trails Crossing Friendship Centre	<p>Circles Of Healing-Strength Through Solidarity (Trails Crossing Friendship Centre): A 12-week program focusing on prevention through early intervention by way of cultural connectedness. The program will be delivered through weekly healing circles that incorporate discussions and lectures from various individuals, including community leaders and elders, as well as the making of cultural items. Traditional healing/talking circles are used in Aboriginal communities as a meaningful way to open communication and dialogue. The project aims to bring together Aboriginal youth and women who are vulnerable to sexual exploitation, using traditional teachings and activities to raise awareness and reduce risk.</p>	\$7,700	Hope
Violence Free BC	Circle of Sage Indigenous Women's Association	<p>Embracing Our Spirit: The Circle of Sage Indigenous Women's Association and Our Place Society will work together to host "Embracing Our Spirit" workshop. These workshops will incorporate traditional cultural beliefs and use the Medicine Wheel to assist women to heal and rebuild from violence in a holistic manner.</p>	\$7,670	Victoria

Violence Free BC	Vernon Women's Transition House Society (VWTHS)	<p>Technology Training to Enhance Women's Safety:</p> <p>This project will provide three training sessions for frontline service providers who respond to violence against women in Vernon. The first training will be for up to 60 front-line service providers on technology and social media safety for women fleeing violence. The second training will be for 20-30 front line workers who safety plan with victims, such as victim service workers and the ICAT team, on enhanced risk management techniques around the use of technology. The third training will be for front line shelter staff on enhanced risk management techniques for women staying at the shelter.</p>	\$7,370	Vernon
Violence Free BC	Boston Bar Elementary Secondary School	<p>An Ambitious Plan for a School-Wide Change in Culture: Healthy Relationships for a Healthy School:</p> <p>This project will provide two-day intensive training on the Red Cross' Healthy Youth Relationships (HYR) training to a group of five educators from Boston Bar Elementary-Secondary School (BBESS), and four local leaders from the two local First Nations communities. Participants will learn how to integrate a 100+ hours of HYR curriculum into the classrooms of BBESs, and apply those learnings into school and community. Participants will each receive a curriculum binder that includes extensive background resource information, a multimedia USB stick, hand outs, and materials for delivering the HYR curriculum to the young people of Boston Bar.</p>	\$7,275	Boston Bar
Violence Free BC	Fort St. James Secondary School	<p>Violence Is Preventable:</p> <p>This project will allow for two employees at Fireweed Safe Haven to be trained facilitators of the Violence is Preventable (VIP) workshop. These facilitators will then deliver the VIP workshops in the Fort St James Secondary School and all elementary schools. A total of 48 workshops will be delivered over the year</p>	\$7,200	Fort St. James
Violence Free BC	The Governing Council of The Salvation Army - The Salvation Army Centre of Hope- Abbotsford BC	<p>Equip':</p> <p>The Salvation Army Centre of Hope will implement 3 day-long training sessions for service providers in Abbotsford and Mission on addressing and responding to the issue of how violence against women can result in homelessness. This training will equip participants with basic information about domestic violence and how this sector can help provide support, understanding and advocacy. that your organization will use these funds to implement training sessions for front line service providers of homeless women, in order to better understand the intersections of domestic violence and the resulting homelessness of</p>	\$7,150	Abbotsford

Violence Free BC	North Coast Transition Society	Project SupportNet: Through a partnership between North Coast Transitions Society and the Lax Kw'Alaam Nursing Station, Project SupportNet will ensure the women and children of the remote Lax Kw'Alaam community are able to privately access counselling and other supports from the Transition Society. The Lax Kw'Alaam Nursing Station will provide a confidential room for people in the village to access counselling and supports via Skype.	\$7,000	Prince Rupert
Violence Free BC	Dixon Transition Society	Enhancing Services to Women Escaping Violence: This training will increase capacity of frontline workers in the area of Aboriginal women's needs, including learning how to diminish the effects of vicarious trauma for frontline workers. The final goal is to enhance conflict resolution skills for staff to support women in resolving issues that may arise from living and interacting closely at a times of high stress.	\$6,814	Burnaby
Violence Free BC	School District 27 Cariboo Chilcotin	Positive Action and Violence is Preventable Workshops: In partnership with the Cariboo Friendship Society (CFS), the Cariboo Chilcotin School District will deliver Positive Action and Violence is Preventable (VIP) workshops to students throughout the district. Positive Action is designed to promote total wellness, competency, and healthy lifestyles in individuals. The VIP workshops will build on the skills students learn in the Positive Action lessons, specifically as they relate to healthy relationships and managing feelings. Funding will support the purchase of Positive Action Kits for each school in the District and workshop facilitation fees for the Cariboo Friendship Society.	\$6,750	Williams Lake
Violence Free BC	School District # 23 (Central Okanagan)	Reducing youth sexual victimization online:. Building on the recent district-wide implementation of the Canadian Centre of Child Protection's <i>Kids in the Know</i> program, this project will focus on purchasing the program's newly created cyberbullying education modules. These new modules incorporate lessons regarding sexual exploitation/violence, technology, and bullying, which will be delivered to students in grade 7, 8, 9 and 10 classrooms.	\$6,700	Kelowna
Violence Free BC	School District 52	Social Media Responsibility Conference: This project will support a two-day education and awareness event focused on social media and safe online practice. The two day event will include a presentation to middle school students and high school students in Prince Rupert, as well as two evening sessions in Prince Rupert and Metlakatla open to parents, teachers, social services workers and other interested community members. Following the event, students from each participating school will work with adult mentors to develop and initiate an action plan to support the promotion of safe social media use.	\$6,450	Prince Rupert

Violence Free BC	Ishtar Transition Housing Society	<p>Technology Training to Enhance Women's Safety:</p> <p>This project will train frontline service providers to increase the cyber safety of women who are in or are fleeing abusive relationships. Women are often not aware how easily cellphones, computers and tablets, their car GPS, or even baby monitors can be used to make their location and activities known to their abuser. Most service providers are also not fully aware of the possible abuse of these technologies, or how to help their clients protect themselves against their misuse.</p>	\$6,200	Langley
Violence Free BC	100 Mile Elementary	<p>Turning Beauty Inside Out Project:</p> <p>The Turning Beauty Inside Out Project is a partnership between School District 27, The Cariboo Family Enrichment Centre and Interior Health to empower young women in grade 7 to stand up to violence at school, at home and online. Facilitators and guest speakers will host discussions and activities that challenge media messages about women and girls, connect girls to services in the community and promote self-respect and healthy relationships.</p>	\$6,000	100 Mile House
Violence Free BC	Fraser Valley Conference	<p>Responding to Victims of Sexual Assault and Teen Relationship Violence:</p> <p>This project will provide training for service providers on identifying risk factors associated with sexual assault and teen domestic/dating violence and will provide the opportunity to strategize how each program/community can provide an enhanced response to better support victims. The Fraser Valley Conference committee (Port Moody, Delta, Coquitlam, Surrey, White Rock, Langley, Mission, Chilliwack, Agassiz and Hope/Boston Bar) has identified a need for this training because sexual assault and teen domestic/dating violence is often under-reported.</p>	\$5,700	Hope
Violence Free BC	Vernon RCMP Victim Services	<p>Responsible Management- Sexual Violence Against Women:</p> <p>This project will provide training to the High Risk Domestic Violence Committee (ICAT) and local service providers in Vernon/North Okanagan Communities on violence against women including sexual violence. This day long training will consist of two sessions with a presenter for the morning and another for the afternoon.</p>	\$5,000	Vernon
Violence Free BC	North Kootenay Lake Community Services Society	<p>Embracing Mystery: Healing the Trauma Body and Restoring Connection ... working with Focusing-Oriented Therapy, nature, ceremony and dreams:</p> <p>This project will provide a Focusing-Oriented Therapy (FOT) and Complex Trauma Workshop for local (Kaslo) & regional (Regional District of Central Kootenay-ROCK) service providers to support their work with clients who have experienced trauma. During this three-day workshop, participants will gain skills & tools they can incorporate into their work with women who have/are experiencing violence.</p>	\$5,000	Kaslo

Violence Free BC	Kootenai Community Centre Society	Supporting Personal Resilience: This 6 month project will train and educate front-line service providers responding to violence against women in addressing vicarious trauma through instruction in a variety of self care concepts and tools. The training will be delivered as a workshop series.	\$5,000	Creston
Violence Free BC	Nlha'7kampx Child and Family Services Society	Community Awareness Training on Violence: This project will educate front-line service providers of the local First Nation Bands on how violence against women impacts women, family, children and extended family through a two day training seminar on recognizing signs of abuse and how to support women who experience violence. The project will also develop and disseminate a hand book on services that are currently available in Lytton, Spences Bridge and Merritt.	\$5,000	Lytton
Violence Free BC	North Coast Transition Society	Women in Safe Housing {W.I.S.H.} Software Training: The training objective is to have critical client information available without spending large amounts of time with manual documentation. As a result, support workers will have greater time to spend with the women, providing them with support, information, referrals and safety, while having immediate access to critical client information through the W.I.S.H. software	\$4,900	Prince Rupert
Violence Free BC	Nicola Valley Community Human Services Association	From Client to Service Provider: This project will enable 35 service providers working with women who have experienced or at risk of experiencing violence in Merritt and surrounding area to attend a two day interactive training on understanding the dynamics and impacts of violence in relationships including vicarious trauma	\$4,725	Merritt

Violence Free BC	Gold River Secondary School	<p>Social Marketing- Healthy Relationships: Led by a youth worker, students in grades 8 - 12 will engage in discussions and role playing activities on various topics, including: gender roles and stereotypes, healthy and unhealthy relationships, identifying abusive behaviours, how to seek help, and support resources available in their community. Building from that knowledge, students will design their own social marketing approaches on the issue of healthy relationships, which will be presented at a launch event with students and community stakeholders and then distributed to students in local schools.</p> <p>Go Grrrls Self-Esteem/Empowerment Club: The Go Grrrls Club will meet over lunch hours for 6 weeks from April to June 2015, to address issues of self esteem, the intergenerational effects of violence, power and control issues, and shifting attitudes and behaviours regarding violence against women. The Club will reach 12 girls between 12-15 years of age, and will be supported by the participation of older youth as peer mentors. Activities include role plays, discussion groups, poem and journal writing, as well as exploration of issues related to media messages, positive body image, problem solving, assertive communication skills, abuse prevention, and healthy decision making.</p>	\$4,405	Gold River
Violence Free BC	Sts'ailes Community School	<p>"SafeTeen"s in Sts'ailes: A School-based Violence Prevention Program: The Safe Teen Program will be delivered to students, parents, staff and parents in the Agassiz community. SafeTeen is a program based on a unique assertiveness model that youth readily embrace. Utilizing a dynamic and experiential teaching style, SafeTeen addresses adolescents on their own level, working with issues that are relevant to their everyday lives. These workshops will be an opportunity to reset the standards of safety and belonging, offering students a support system to navigate the difficult teen years.</p>	\$4,350	Agassiz
Violence Free BC	Kelowna Family Services Centre Society	<p>Moving On: Women's Self Help Aftercare Group: This project will help establish a weekly support and activity group for women in Kelowna who have received Stopping the Violence Counselling and who need a safe place to spend time and build skills in order to reduce their social isolation. The project will help women connect and build relationships with other women who have experienced relationship abuse in order to gain confidence and to support reintegration into the broader community.</p>	\$3,990	Kelowna

Violence Free BC	The Centre For Child Development of the Lower Mainland	Sophie's Place Child Advocacy Centre: The purpose of the present project is to support the development of a pilot project to operate an integrated Child Advocacy Centre (CAC) in Surrey, BC. Funding will be used to purchase a pink noise machine that will ensure privacy and confidentiality when speaking with child abuse victims and their non-offending family members.	\$3,854	Surrey
Violence Free BC	Dze L K'ant Friendship Centre Society	CAPC Spring Training 2015: This project will gather the Community Action Program for Children funded frontline workers from the Northwest Region for training in Terrace, BC. Participants will be comprised of members of the Northwest CAPC Coalition, & frontline workers from Prince Rupert, Terrace, Houston, Smithers, Dease Lake, and Kitimat. Training will consist of a 1.5-day session in Terrace, BC focused on domestic violence; the second half-day will be spent with the K'San House Society, an organization that provides culturally appropriate victims services to Aboriginal people.	\$3,796	Smithers
Violence Free BC	Cythera Transition House Society	W.I.S.H Training (Women in Safe Housing): This project will provide a two day training for 15- 20 Transition House staff on the Women in Safe Housing (W.I.S.H) shelter management software.	\$3,000	Maple Ridge
Violence Free BC	Community Options Society	Kids Teach Kids Youth Leadership: The Community Options Society proposes to engage 8 youth leaders to deliver presentations and resource material regarding sexual exploitation and human trafficking to youth and parents through the schools, Parent Advisory Groups and community forums. The project will invest in the youth leaders who were involved in development of the presentations and resource material, to facilitate delivery to a wider audience. The project involves collaboration with the school district.	\$2,730	Duncan
Violence Free BC	School District #27	Children of the Street Society Workshops: This project is focused on bringing Children of the Street Society to Williams Lake to offer their TCO2 workshops (Taking Care of Ourselves, Taking Care of Others) to students. The two day training will provide presentations to students in grades 5-12 as well as a parent workshop in the evening. The workshops will address healthy and unhealthy relationships, self worth, gangs and sexual exploitation, online and webcam safety, permanency of image sharing, boundaries, human trafficking and sexual exploitation, recruitment and luring, and ways to reach out for help. ☒	\$2,400	Williams Lake

Violence Free BC	The Cridge Centre for the Family	<p>Supporting Women Impacted by Violence: Trauma-informed Practice Training for Frontline Anti-Violence Workers:</p> <p>This project will provide 8 hours of training on trauma-informed practice, service, and support to 37 front-line anti-violence workers supporting women impacted by relationship violence. The front-line anti-violence workers are from Cridge Transition House for Women, Cridge Supportive Transitional Housing and Dovetail Services (second stage), Cridge Outreach Programs, and Burnside Gorge Community Association family services staff.</p>	\$2,300	Victoria
Violence Free BC	Island Region	<p>Island Region Training:</p> <p>The focus of this training is to provide advanced skill development for 50-75 victim service workers and volunteers to support them in meeting the demands of the challenging and difficult work that they do. The theme for this training is: "Difficult Conversations".</p>	\$1,000	Cowichan Valley

Restorative Justice

Restorative Justice	Fraser Region Community Justice Initiatives Association	Developing Victim Sensitive Protocols for the Practice of Restorative Community Justice: The project will develop, through provincewide consultation, a series of recommendations for victim-oriented protocols guiding the practice of restorative community justice. Pilot testing will ensure that the protocols meet the needs of crime victims. This project aims to increase victim satisfaction with the criminal justice system by enhancing the effectiveness of BC restorative justice providers to serve victims.	\$40,000	Provincial
Restorative Justice	Haida Gwaii Restorative Justice Program	Access to Restorative Justice Forums: The purpose of this project is to increase the use of restorative justice processes by victims of crime. The Haida Gwaii Restorative Justice Program will hold public and school forums on the role of restorative justice in helping victims of crime. The forums would be held in the northern communities of Queen Charlotte City , Prince Rupert, Kitimat and Terrace . People's Law School will also produce a handbook on restorative justice for victims of crime.	\$20,000	Haida Gwaii, Prince Rupert, Kitimat, Terrace
Restorative Justice	The John Howard Society of Victoria	Saanich Community Justice Initiatives - This project aims to increase the capacity of the Saanich Community Justice Initiatives in order to offer Community Conferencing and/or Victim-Offender Mediations programs. The goals of the project include working with Victim Services to develop best practices for meeting the needs of victims through restorative justice. A Victim Services worker will be used to support the victim and to help them participate fully in the process.	\$10,650	Saanich
Restorative Justice	Alberni Valley Restorative Justice Society	Community Action for Restorative Empowerment (CARE): This project aims to develop a strong alliance between Alberni Valley Restorative Justice (AVRJS), RCMP based Victim Services, Youth and Adult Probations and other referral organizations in the Alberni Valley. Two community dialogues will be hosted to identify victims need and develop "best practice" approaches and referral policies. Training will be delivered to build community capacity to deliver services to victims.	\$9,800	Port Alberni
Restorative Justice	Victoria Restorative Justice Society	Creating a Victims Services-Restorative Justice Partnership Guide: This project will bring victim services (VS) and restorative justice (RJ) agencies within Southern Vancouver Island together to strengthen and formalize relationships to better serve the needs of victims. The group will research best practices and existing policies and procedures regarding RJ-VS partnerships to develop a Partnership Guide. The Guide will outline how referrals are made between agencies and best practices for working together to support victims in restorative justice processes. The Guide will be made public as a resource for other restorative justice programs in BC.	\$9,438	Victoria/ Lower Vancouver Island

Restorative Justice	Abbotsford Restorative Justice and Advocacy Association	Project Victim Care “Strengthening victim support through collaboration between Abbotsford Police Victims Services and AJAA” Abbotsford Restorative Justice and Advocacy Association (ARJAA) will formalize a relationship with the Abbotsford Police Department’s Victim Services(APDVS) to enhance services to victims. This project will strengthen the linkages between victim services and restorative justice processes through training, and the development of referral protocols between these agencies.	\$7,600	Abbotsford
Restorative Justice	Restorative Justice Society- North Okanagan	Working Together- Next Steps: The "Working Together- Next Steps" project will strengthen the relationships between the PBVS and RJ to better serve victims of crime in the North Okanagan area. The project will build on recommendations from a recent restorative justice symposium, sponsored by the provincial government, to better serve victims of crime.	\$6,633	Vernon
Restorative Justice	North Shore Restorative Justice Society	Advanced Training for Volunteers: NSRJS will bring in restorative justice trainers and experts on topics including shame, trauma, addictions, and anger for restorative justice volunteers. The project will utilize best practices and the latest research in this training workshop.	\$4,200	North Vancouver
Restorative Justice	North Peace Justice Society	Development of North Peace Justice Society Website: This project will develop a website to educate victims of crime on the benefits of using a restorative justice process. The website will bridge a gap in communication between Restorative Justice Programs, victims of crime, offenders, the RCMP, and the general public.	\$3,600	Fort St. John

Community and Youth Crime Prevention

Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Abbotsford Community Services	Building Healthy Relationships for At-Risk South Asian Pre-teens: This project will work with up to 30 South Asian girls and boys in grades 5 and 6 who have experienced youth violence in the neighbourhood within the previous school year. This project will include wraparound services and mentorship with pre-teens, and build off of the SACRO initiative	\$20,000	Abbotsford
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	The KidSafe Project Society	KidSafe Summer Break Program at Holly Elementary: KidSafe's Summer Break Program at Holly Elementary in Surrey is a daily summer break program that provides at-risk children and youth with a safe, nurturing, and engaging place to be when school is closed. KidSafe will provide 50 vulnerable children and youth with educational programming, as well as a full day's nutrition. KidSafe's Summer Break Program is delivered by a team of caring, professional adult staff, and is offered entirely free of charge.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	QMUNITY BC's Queer Resource Centre Society	Queer Journeys – LGBTQ Youth Employment Mentorship Project: Through this project, at-risk LGBTQ youth will come together and develop relationships with LGBTQ positive role models and mentors. The project will include a series of 10 storytelling sessions where LGBTQ professionals will offer employment and volunteering related group mentoring to at-risk LGBTQ youth by sharing their individual career paths.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Mainland Athletics	Mainland Athletics Youth Mentorship Program: This program provides mentoring and leadership opportunities for at-risk South Asian youth from East Richmond and the South Slope of Vancouver. Youth are identified by community partners including schools and Sikh temples. Through involvement in structured recreational activities such as soccer, basketball and track and field, youth will experience increased connection to school and community, in self-esteem and worth, and a decrease in negative police contacts. Mainland has partnered with the South Asian Community Coalition against Youth Violence and the Unified Network of Indo Canadians to provide ongoing mentoring for these youth.	\$20,000	Richmond
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	The John Howard Society of North Island	Delaware Youth Drop In: This project will provide support for identified at-risk youth through a drop in centre. Youth will participate in mentoring activities as well as pro social recreational activities and community outings. Youth will also be provided hot meals and life skills training. Youth will also participate in aboriginal specific cultural camps and activities. Guest speakers will address issues involving gangs, cyber bullying and sexual exploitation.	\$20,000	Campbell River

Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	School District 69 (Qualicum)	Reconnection: This project aims to help youth overcome barriers to employment by providing them with employability skills, training, and work placement opportunities. Youth will also work on self- assessment, life and job skill development, career planning, and goal setting.	\$20,000	Parksville
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	MISCELLANEOUS Productions Society	Haunted House: PHASE TWO: Youth and adult professional artist mentors will produce solo and ensemble performance art pieces that will take place in and around an old Vancouver house. There will also be ensemble/group work, using urban art forms ranging from experimental theatre and performance art to hip hop music and dance, graffiti art and music production.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	The Association of Neighbourhood Houses of BC D.B.A Drive Youth Employment	Frames Film Project: This project will support identified at-risk youth in East Vancouver to participate in pro social arts-based activities. Youth will be provided with basic film training workshops where youth will produce crime prevention based videos for screening at schools throughout Vancouver. The youth mentorship component of this project will include one on one counselling as well as boys and girls groups which will explore issues impacting at-risk youth. Youth will also facilitate a public screening and community dialogue to share their experience developing these films.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Equitas – International Centre for Human Rights Education Society	Speaking Rights: Preventing Youth Involvement in Crime through Community-Based Projects: In this project 80 youth will participate in Speaking Rights workshops and community-based action projects. Participatory workshops are designed to build the capacity of both the youth involved in the program and their youth workers who provide mentorship and guidance.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Touchstone Family Association	StreetSmarts Youth Leadership Project: Touchstone Family Association utilizes a wraparound approach to provide services to vulnerable youth at risk of gang involvement. The StreetSmarts Youth Leadership Project provides mentorship and outreach support to youth at greater risk of criminal involvement.	\$20,000	Richmond
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Board of Education of School District NO. 36 (Surrey)	Surrey WRAP Program – Safe Schools: The Surrey School District in partnership with the RCMP and the City of Surrey launched the Surrey WRAParound Program in 2009 to assist those youth at risk of gang involvement. The focus of the program is to strengthen ties between at risk youth, their school, their family, the community and their peers. Youth who participate in WRAP are referred by MCFD Probation Officers, Social Workers, and school personnel.	\$20,000	Surrey

Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Pacific Centre Family Services Association (PCFSA)	Youth Gang Intervention and Prevention in the CRD: This project includes a Wraparound model for gang involved individuals in the community of Victoria. Youth will be supported by the gang intervention team that works closely with police partners and the school district to identify and refer youth at risk to appropriate services. Individualized plans will be created for each of these youth and will address building trust and relationships, sharing knowledge, information and resources, participation in the boys' group or other pro-social groups.	\$20,000	Victoria
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	PLEA Community Services Society of BC	KidStart Mentoring Program: KidStart helps kids facing difficulties in their lives to establish positive ties to their community. KidStart represents a consistent friend in the form of a volunteer mentor, someone who engages and encourages the youth to participate in activities that they may not otherwise have the privilege to experience. It is one of the few services available to children under 12 years of age.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	College of New Caledonia -Vanderhoof Campus	Vanderhoof Youth Centre: The Vanderhoof Youth Centre (YC) serves youth who have extremely high needs and little formal support - both First Nations and non-First Nations youth. The Youth Centre project will build bridges between the communities of Vanderhoof and Saik'uz First Nation by providing a safe and secure place for youth to go to after school during the critical hours between 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.	\$20,000	Vanderhoof
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Swan Bay Rediscovery Society	Swan Bay Rediscovery Youth Cultural Camp Program: This Program engages at-risk youth in Haida culture through the Swan Bay Rediscovery Cultural Camp Program. The program contributes to increased school attendance and knowledge that supports positive life choices, and also contributes to decreased personal risk and youth crime. Elders will participate to teach youth about their culture. Several activities including canoe carving, life skills, and teachings about respectful relations will be part of the project.	\$20,000	Skidegate
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Okanagan Boys and Girls Clubs	New Horizons for Youth: The New Horizons for Youth Project aims to prevent involvement of at-risk youth in criminal activity by providing structured, interactive group life skills training, activities and recreational opportunities. The target audience for the project is at-risk male and female youth ages 14 to 18 years in the Central Okanagan region. Project activities will include facilitating development of healthy attitudes, resiliency and coping skills to help youth resist negative peer pressure and the lure of risky or criminal behaviour.	\$20,000	Kelowna

Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Vancouver Police Department	NASKARZ: The overall goal of this project is to create and enhance positive relationships between the Vancouver Police Department and inner city youth in Vancouver by working together to build a 1935 Ford Police Car. This will engage at risk youth including Aboriginal and first generation youth in social activities which enhance employment skill and opportunities, provide educational advantages and support to reintegrate into the educational and college systems.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Collingwood Neighborhood House Society	SYNC – Supportive Youth Network Collingwood: The “SYNC” project will focus on providing at-risk youth with opportunities to connect to and build positive social networks with peers, adults and mentors through pro-social activities, skill development and leadership opportunities and individualized support. Youth will be given opportunities to be part of positive social networks, build relationships with caring mentors and take part in activities that provide personal growth and value. This project aims to address individual, social and economic risk factors that are often the root causes of crime. ☐	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Urban Ink Production Society	BOLDSKOOL Project: This project will support high risk youth through arts based workshops including spoken word, dance and hip hop. Youth will be trained by Boldskool artists to develop their skills in arts based activities. Additionally mentorship and support will be provided to these youth through group sessions and life skills training.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	ACCESS Youth Outreach Services Society	Project ReachOut – Tri-Cities & Langley: Project Reach Out (PRO) is an after hours mobile drop in centre and outreach program serving youth ages 12 to 23 years of age. Using modified shuttle buses, the staff on the buses establish a consistent presence by traveling to areas of the communities where youth congregate.	\$20,000	Port Coquitlam
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Richmond Addiction Services Society (RASS)	Constructive Alternative to Teen Suspension Project (CATS): This project will build on the existing Constructive Alternative to Teen Suspension (CATS) Program to provide additional tutoring, one to one support, follow up tutoring and linking high-risk youth to needed services. The project will expand these services and leverage trained tutors to provide support.	\$20,000	Richmond
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Old Massett Village Council, Youth Program	One Heart Peer Outreach Tour, Gathering Our Nations Youth Cultural Camp: The Youth Outreach Team, made up of 10 senior youth mentors, will tour BC communities to share the success of their program. Invitations will be extended to the Gathering Our Nations Youth Cultural Camp in Haida Gwaii. The Camp is designed to bring youth, youth service providers and RCMP together, in a traditional cultural camp setting, to increase their knowledge and understanding of youth crime prevention.	\$20,000	Masset

Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Access to Media Education Society (AMES)	Her Digital Visions Project: The project will allow 30 female participants to work with accomplished female mentors in the fields of new media and computer technology. The young women will participate in producing social media content and learning about new digital applications during workshops throughout the year.	\$20,000	Galiano Island
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Boundary Women's Coalition	Youth Crime Prevention Project: This project will support youth aged 13-18 years who may be or are at risk of being sexually exploited. This project will use a multi-agency approach utilizing RCMP Victim Services, the Transition House and a variety of other community agencies in partnership with the Children of the Street Society to address and prevent drug facilitated sexual assaults.	\$20,000	Grand Forks
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Odd Squad Productions Society	End Gang Life-“Myths and Realities of Gangs” -- An Educational Guide: Odd Squad Production will create an Educational Guide to supplement the video modules for “End Gang Life – The Myths and Realities of Gangs”. Odd Squad Productions is proposing the production of the Educational Guide will be completed in July, 2015, and tested. The video modules and guide will be distributed to schools in British Columbia for the 2015/2016 school year.	\$20,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Agassiz-Harrison Community Services Society	Youth Nature Connection Project: This project will provide opportunities for at risk youth to experience nature through weekend camping trips to parks across BC. Destinations for these camping trips include: Manning Provincial Park, Chilliwack Lake Provincial Park and Sasquatch Provincial Park. This project will provide an outdoor experience for 50 youth (five youth per trip) accompanied by two youth workers who will act as mentors.	\$19,956	Agassiz
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Xaxli'p First Nation	Youth Empowerment Project: This 30 week project will provide activities and a Culture Camp for at risk Aboriginal youth. The project will include sports and recreational activities, youth nights, and employment preparation workshops for the youth. A 10 day Rediscovery Cultural Camp will include: camping and traditional activities such as tanning hides, berry picking, learning about traditional medicinal plants, hunting with an experienced guide, understanding the protocol of the land and resources, and hearing stories from First Nation elders.	\$19,920	Lillooet
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Sto:lo Service Agency	Aboriginal Mentorship Program- Project Enhancement: This project will supplement the Aboriginal Mentorship Program to allow more youth to attend the mentorship program and receive case management support. The mentorship program is a collaborative partnership funded by School District 33 and delivered by Sto:lo Service Agency.	\$19,920	Chilliwack

Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Prophet River First Nation	PRFN Youth Against Crime: This project will engage at-risk youth at Prophet River First Nation by using a combination of structured recreational sports, a cultural camp and a sober dance/ dinner. The sports component will include two clinics that teach fundamental and intermediate level skill in soccer and basketball.	\$19,835	Fort Nelson
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Cowichan Women Against Violence Society	Youth Stand Up: Preventing Youth Involvement in Street Violence and Harassment: This project will promote prevention of public violence and harassment in the Cowichan Valley through engaging youth who are at risk of offending in an innovative program of peer mentorship, education and community action, designed to connect them with positive adult and peer role models, build community attachment, self-esteem and empathy, address gender stereotypes and acceptance of diversity. Safer Futures (CWAV Society) in partnership with Community Options Society and Social Planning Cowichan, will recruit and train 5-7 youth facilitators mentors from Safe Youth Cowichan.	\$19,800	Duncan
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Network of Inner City Community Service Society	Roving Leaders Get Your Rear in Gear Project: The Vancouver Roving Leaders Program supports over 160 vulnerable, at-risk youth in the Grandview-Woodlands and Hastings-Sunrise, Renfrew, Collingwood and Downtown Eastside neighbourhoods.. The Roving leaders support children, youth and their families through an attachment-based model that emphasizes their strengths and personal goals and includes recreation and cultural programming.	\$19,600	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	City of Surrey	North Surrey Youth Engagement Project: Teams of youth outreach workers will work with schools in North Surrey to identify at-risk youth who have had interactions with the criminal justice system to participate in this project. Project components include wraparound services, a girls group for at risk youth and structured recreational activities. Youth will also participate in life building skills and training as well as vocational training for future employment.	\$17,655	Surrey
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Okanagan Metis and Aboriginal Housing Society	Sen'klip Den (Coyote Den): Sen'klip Den is a project designed to provide a safe and structured environment for at risk Aboriginal youth. It will provide structured programs and activities that are culturally sensitive in design and will strengthen the fabric of the community. Life skills such as cooking and healthy choices will be taught. The program will also use the medicine wheel to assist youth to address all aspects of their being including their emotional, physical, intellectual, and spiritual life.	\$15,800	Kelowna

Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Big Brothers Big Sisters of Kamloops & Region	In School Mentoring: Funding will support community partners to expand mentoring services in Merritt, BC with an initial emphasis on the In School Mentoring program. The multi-sector project will provide supports and opportunities to more than 60 Rural and Aboriginal youth. In School Mentoring provides children with a friend and role model to talk to and share the experiences of growing up with, within school grounds. For one hour a week during a school year, mentors meet with their mentee and engage in activities such as sports, art, reading, board games, and active play.	\$15,000	Kamloops
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	West Kootenay Women's Association	GAP (Gender Action Project) Theatre Project: The Gender Action Project uses the Forum Theatre, (commonly known as the Theatre of the Oppressed) to explore difficult issues with at risk youth. Youth participants are invited to bring their stories and experiences to explore through theatre work, discussion, and plays.	\$13,600	Nelson
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Tsay Keh Dene RCMP	Basketball Program: Through collaboration with the staff at the Tsay Keh School and Band Office, the Tsay Keh RCMP will start a basketball league for Aboriginal students. Engaging youth in these activities will promote skill development in the game of basketball, but will also develop social and life skills such as team building, respecting others, increasing self-esteem, developing a sense of responsibility, and staying active.	\$10,000	Tsay Keh Dene
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Britannia Community Secondary School	Street2Peak: Inner-city youth climb Kilimanjaro: Funding will support taking 18 marginalized students to Tanzania to hike Africa's highest mountain- Mount Kilimanjaro. Students will be drawn from the Streetfront Alternate Program and Britannia Secondary. Twelve of the students will be First Nations. Through a year-long training program students will be physically and psychologically prepared for their climb. The program extends school based curriculum work to include fundraising and public speaking and partnering with African students outside the town of Arusha.	\$10,000	Vancouver
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Camp Jubilee Society	Project ESCAPe (Experience Summer Camp Adventure Program): Project ESCAPe provides high-risk, low-income aboriginal youth between the ages of 7-16 years with an 8 day camping experience at Camp Jubilee. The program is a partnership between Camp Jubilee and the Integrated First Nations Policing Unit to reconnect Aboriginal youth with their traditional culture. This project will increase resilience in Aboriginal youth in order to prevent crime.	\$10,000	Port Moody

Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	Punky Lake Wilderness Camp Society	Engaging Our Youth - A Pro-Active Approach to Crime Prevention: This project will offer a program of pro-social activities, employment training, and educational opportunities to the at-risk Aboriginal youth of Williams Lake and the surrounding Chilcotin area. The project will offer literacy and essential skills training, sports and recreational programming, life skills workshops, and employment and educational services. Projects to build employable skills will be offered, and elders from surrounding First Nations communities will assist in connecting youth to their culture.	\$10,000	Williams Lake
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	The Municipality of North Cowichan	Youth for Community: Youth for Community is an employment and skills program for high-risk youth in the Duncan/Crofton area. Mentorship, sports and cultural connection to community are key components of the program. Vocational training and extensive wraparound supports by all community sectors will be available for the youth.	\$9,977	Duncan
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	City of Vernon	Off The Wall Community Project: This project will target youth that have been in conflict with the police or are at risk of coming into conflict with the authorities. The City of Vernon Community Policing Office will attend schools, and teen centres to provide a workshop on graffiti vandalism prevention education	\$6,529	Vernon
Comm and Youth Crime Prevention	The District of Ucluelet	Youth Workplace Skills Series: The Youth Workplace Skills Series (YWS) is a pro-social employment enhancement program for youth. The proposed Youth Workplace Skills Series is designed to offer accessible certification courses that will increase and enhance youth employability in regional industries	\$4,000	Ucluelet
Police Education, Training and Specialized Crime Prevention Equipment				
Police Education, Training and Specialized Crime Prevention Equipment	Police Agencies	Crime Prevention: Funding to support police in their crime prevention activities including the Fugitive Return Program, enhanced training and the purchase of technical equipment.	\$720,509	Province-wide
TOTAL FUNDING			\$5,004,193.00	