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OVERSEES THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS

- DIVERSITY ED AND THE FRASER VALLEY HUMAN DIGNITY COALITION
- ABBOTSFORD LOCAL IMMIGRATION PARTNERSHIP
- FRASER VALLEY REFUGEE READINESS TEAM
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DIVERSITY ED. & THE COALITION

The Coalition: a grassroots organization consisting of partners passionate about advocacy, activism, and human rights/dignity

Receives reports on incidents of discrimination

Invites affected individuals for debriefs and support

Refers clients to mental health support and reporting to the police



Educate the community, stakeholders, and organizations on the values of diversity and inclusion. Ex. The benefits of renting to or hiring newcomers/refugees.



Hosts events to raise public awareness. Ex. The Pope's apology, Settler Colonialism workshop.



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ABBOTSFORD LOCAL IMMIGRATION PARTNERSHIP

An indirect-service and nonclient-serving program

A community Convener for non-settlement organizations

Aims to build a welcoming and inclusive city

Supports settlement programs and teams

Looks for ways to dismantle barriers to accessing services and opportunities.

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FV REFUGEE READINESS TEAM

A provincial initiative to work on common regionally identified priorities/issues 2022-24, predominantly for mass arrivals

Abbotsford, Mission, Pitt Meadows & Maple Ridge, and Chilliwack.

The four issues are access to housing, employment, health care and coordination of information.

Nonclient serving and facilitating information sessions and workshops for organizations and relevant partners.

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