

CMHA-Cowichan Valley Branch

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Annual Membership Application Form

Thank you for your interest in becoming a CMHA-CVB member! The more members we have, the greater our opportunity to inform, educate and work with the Cowichan Valley community. Our mission is to support people in achieving and sustaining their optimal mental health and wellbeing. By becoming a member, you demonstrate that you value and support the work that we do.

Included with your membership, you will receive a subscription to "Visions" magazine, a CMHA-CVB enewsletter, and an invitation to our Annual General Meeting where you will have the opportunity to vote, stand for election to the Board, and contribute to the direction of our organization. Membership runs from April 1st to March 31st.

Our annual rates are: Individual with limited income - \$5, Individual - \$20, Organization - \$50

Some of the ongoing work we do in the Cowichan Valley includes:

Child & Youth Services:

- **CMHA Youth Centre**, a youth drop in centre providing access to computers, crafts, snacks and connection with support workers.
- Youth Connect, one to one connection with at risk and/or homeless youth.
- Family Capacity Counselling to strengthen/enhance relationships between children, parents & families
- SAIP, therapeutic intervention for sexual abuse
- Rainbows Program, peer support program for children and their families in painful transition.

Community & Education Services:

- Bounce BackTM Reclaim Your Health, telephone based coaching program for youth and adults experiencing mild to moderate depression and/or anxiety
- **Sobering and Assessment Centre** provides a safe, temporary place for people to recover from intoxication due to drug or alcohol use and connect to services

Homelessness & Housing

- Warmland House, a community housing resource facility with 30 emergency overnight shelter beds and 24 transitional apartments
- Homeless Outreach Worker provides advocacy and acts as a liaison within the community

Please complete the information below & return to our office in person or mail to address above.

Name:

Address & Postal Code

Email Address:

Telephone#:

Membership Fee enclosed \$______ (cash or cheque made payable to CMHA-Cowichan Valley)

I would like to receive: 1) Free 'Visions' newsletter? _____ Yes _____ No

I would also like to a make a donation to the CMHA-CVB, in the amount of \$______

Donations are tax deductible. Receipts will be mailed for donations of \$20 or more.