



United Way

CENTRAL & SOUTH OKANAGAN

Community Investments 2016/17

\$1,490,020

COMMUNITY FUND INVESTMENTS - \$589,368



All that kids can be

ORGANIZATION.....	WHERE THE FUNDING IS GOING
Building Healthy Families Society	Parenting program for fathers
Canadian Red Cross.....	Youth developing skills for healthy relationships
Dragonfly Pond Society.....	Recreation for youth with diverse abilities
Kelowna Child Care Society.....	Young parents childcare program
Kelowna Women's Shelter	Youth violence prevention program
Okanagan Boys and Girls Clubs-South OK.....	Shelter & recreation programs for youth
Okanagan Boys & Girls Clubs-Central OK.....	Youth and family programs
OSNS Child Development Centre	Clinical counselling and therapeutic services
Reach Out Youth Counselling Society	Clinical counselling to youth & family members
Starbright Children's Development Centre	Clinical counselling and therapeutic services



From poverty to possibility

ORGANIZATION.....	WHERE THE FUNDING IS GOING
Canadian Mental Health Association-Penticton...	Subsidized meals and cooking program
Hands in Service.....	Food and home supports for people with mobility issues
Inn from the Cold	Winter shelter for people experiencing homelessness
John Howard Society	Employment and housing programs
Karis Support Society	Community kitchen and health essentials for babies
Penticton & District Community Resources	Family assistance subsidies
Penticton Hospital Auxiliary.....	<i>Meals on Wheels</i> to people with mobility issues
Project Literacy Kelowna.....	Adult literacy programs
Summerland Food Bank & Resource Centre	Food bank and referral services



Healthy people, strong communities

ORGANIZATION.....	WHERE THE FUNDING IS GOING
The Arthritis Society.....	Patient & caregiver workshops
BrainTrust Canada Association.....	Prevention & supports for people with brain injury
Canadian Mental Health Association-Kelowna....	Mental health services
CRIS Adaptive Adventures	Outdoor recreation to people with diverse abilities
Desert Sun Counselling & Resource Centre	Counselling services for families
Elizabeth Fry Society	Community justice supports & counselling services
Kelowna Community Resources	Volunteer resources and training for NPOs
Kelowna Family Centre	Clinical counselling services for families
NeighbourLink Summerland.....	Volunteer program and community wellness
NOW Canada Society.....	Trauma counselling for women
Ozanam Recovery House	Trauma counselling for men
Peachland Wellness Centre Society	Volunteerism and community well-being
Penticton Recovery Resource Society	Supported living for men in recovery
Princeton Family Services.....	Community rural health services
Seniors Outreach Services Society.....	Information and support services for seniors
South Okanagan Similkameen Brain Injury	Recreation and wellness programs
South Okanagan Victim Assistance Society.....	Counselling for male survivors of violence
South Okanagan Women in Need Society	Counselling services for women
Westside Health Network Society	Information and support services for seniors



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IMPACT FUND INVESTMENTS - \$900,652

Impact Funds (Local Capacity Building)

ORGANIZATION SUPPORT

BDO Capacity Building Workshops.....	Professional development for the NPO sector
Brain Trust Canada.....	Operations review and strategic planning
City of Kelowna.....	Training for the NPO sector to prepare for the new BC Societies Act
Dragonfly Pond Society	Cooking program for youth with diverse abilities
Penticton & Area Access Society.....	Income tax filing program to enhance household incomes
John Howard Society.....	Supporting a merger with the Okanagan Halfway House Society
Kelowna Community Resources	Central Okanagan Volunteer Fair
Kelowna Community Resources	Helping refugee families settle in our community
Lake Country Interagency	Community planning to enhance social services in Lake Country
Suxkenxitelx kl cecamala	Community gathering on Truth and Reconciliation
Summerland Secondary School.....	Youth-led forum on mental health
Youth Service Providers Network.....	Community planning to enhance youth development services

Community Initiatives (Multi-Year Partnerships)

PROJECT SUPPORT

100 Homes Penticton.....	Housing and supports for vulnerable people in Penticton
Child Safety Initiative	Providing safe car seats for families with limited incomes
Central Okanagan Family Hub.....	Supporting parents in accessing services for their young children
Day of Caring®.....	Mobilizing workplace volunteers to renew the properties of charities
Emergency Transportation.....	Providing free bus tickets to help people access social service programs
Youth Initiative Grants.....	Youth-led projects that create positive change in our community
Youth Engagement Strategy	YES creates positive change in community with Penticton youth

Provincial Initiatives*

PROJECT SUPPORT

Better at Home.....	Helping seniors remain independent and connected to community*
Success by 6	Community planning and coordinating services for the early years*
bc211.ca	Helping people easily find the services and supports they need online



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