

Family Support Program

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We work with families who are involved with MCFD, at-risk of MCFD involvement, or who are seeking support and information on parenting. Our workers are dedicated to supporting families in their health and well-being in a holistic and respectful manner.



Carrier Sekani Family Services

Mission Statement

With the guidance of our Elders, CSFS is committed to the healing and empowerment of Aboriginal families by taking direct responsibility for health, social and legal services for First Nation people residing in Carrier and Sekani territory.

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INTAKE WORKER/TEAM ASSISTANT

The intake worker will gather relevant information to complete an intake and will maintain client services until assigned to a Family Support Worker. The intake worker will also provide support, advocacy, transportation, and accompany and/or refer clients to appropriate services.

FAMILY SUPPORT WORKER

Family Support Workers (FSW) will assist families with formulating and implementing intervention strategies to address parenting issues. FSW provide advocacy during the legal/court process and will provide support during Family Group Conferences/Mediation. Advocacy and support will be provided for families who are involved with the Family Courts System, Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD), Ministry of Social Development (MSD) and other service providers. FSW will consult with service providers to ensure quality service and that the needs of the family are met. FSW will provide information and referrals to a variety of programs and services

ADULT LIFE SKILLS WORKER

The life skills program provides participants with education and hands on training in areas of personal identity, goal setting, planning, healthy relationships, budgeting, healthy lifestyles, relapse prevention and general wellness. .

FAMILY WELLNESS WORKER

The Family Wellness Worker (FWW) provides learning tools for parents and/or guardians in groups or one-on-one guidance. The FWW will share knowledge of effective positive discipline and play activities to do with your child. Information on health, safety and nutrition, building self esteem, with participant and others and to become the best parent you can be.

GROUPS

Toddler Group

Parenting

Future Leaders

Anger Stress Management

Children Who Witness Abuse

Men's Group

Women's Group

Food Skills for Families

Skills to Success

Please contact the Family Services Support Program for information regarding group times, dates and location. All services are provided free of charge.

FAMILY EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM (FEP)

The FEP offers visitation services to families that are involved with MCFD and CSFS. We provide supervised visits with family members as well as transportation to and from the foster home. Our main priority is the safety and well-being of the children in our care. We work from a strengths perspective and encourage families with positive reinforcement as well as with information on, and referral to, resources within our community designed to assist them with the complex responsibility of being a parent.

LINKAGES PROGRAM (SOUP BUS)

The Soup Bus provides mobile food distribution, support, education and referrals to individuals and families with multiple barriers. Information is also provided regarding health, parenting, alcohol and drug services, housing, life skills, income assistance, justice, employment, education and cultural information and services.

