

Settlement Provider Organizations

Settlement Workers help newcomers to adjust their life in Canada. They assess the individual needs of each client and then provide them the information, guidance, counselling and training needed.

SETTLEMENT WORKERS help newcomers to:

Settlement Provider Organizations

in Langley

This is a listing of all settlement service providers and workers in Langley. The workers have been organized by agency and by languages spoken. This list will be updated each quarter to ensure information is current

ISSofBC (Immigrant Services Society of BC)

ISSofBC's Settlement Workers provides quick, in-bound services in a variety of languages.

LCSS (Langley Community Services Society)

LCSS's Settlement Outreach Workers and Family Support Workers are able to go with newcomers out in the community.

SWIS (Settlement Workers in Schools - Langley School District).

SWIS staff support parents of children from outside Canada in the school district.

In addition to the three settlement agencies listed above, **New Directions manages LINC**, **Language Instruction for Newcomers to Canada**, to provide language instruction and information about life in Canada to all levels of learners across Langley. Provide information and orientation on topics related to:

- Life in Canada
- Your rights and responsibilities
- Community resources
- Government programs
- Health and wellbeing
- Family matters
- Job search

Help learn to fill out government application forms such as:

- Social Insurance Number (SIN)
- Health Card (MSP)
- Driver's License
- BCID
- Citizenship
- Permanent Residency
- Canada Child Tax Benefits

Help navigate local systems such as:

- Health Care
- School
- Recreation services
- Language services

Assist with application for:

- Income Assistance
- Employment Insurance
- BC Housing
- Food Bank
- Affordable Child Care Benefit or GST and BCCATC

and provide many other services and supports!



Settlement Services by Agency

The following table is a list of settlement workers by agency. The list is organized alphabetically by the first name of the settlement worker.

Immigrant Services Society of BC (ISSofBC)

Open from Monday to Friday from 9 am - 4:30 pm. Please call 604-510-5136 to book an appointment.

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Name	Job Title	Language	Email Address	Services
Bahana Safi	Settlement Worker	Dari/Pashto/ Farsi/Hindi/Urdu	<u>bahana.safi@issbc.org</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources (in-office service)
Dian Kohoutek	Employer Relations Specialist - Job Quest	Indonesian	<u>dian.kohoutek@issbc.org</u>	Connects with employers to find job placement for clients (in-office service)
Leo Cabasag	Volunteer Programs Coordinator	Filipino	leo.cabasag@issbc.org	Connects clients with volunteering, settlement mentoring & conversation circles (in-office service)
Miyoung Suh	Settlement Worker	Korean	miyoung.suh@issbc.org	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources (in-office service)
Nisreen Fahham	Career Strategist, Career Paths for Skilled Immigrants		nisreen.fahham@issbc.org	Provides support with accessing training funds, occupation-specific language training, and assists in connecting with employers to acquire Canadian work experience (in-office service)
Noel Soares	Case Manager, Job Quest	Hindi/Gujarati/ Marathi	<u>noel.soares@issbc.org</u>	Assists clients who are looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for job interviews, and career planning (in-office service)
Rahtoo Trawgaye	Settlement Worker	Burmese/Karen	<u>rahtoo.trawgaye@issbc.org</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources (in-office service)
Shanshan Wang	Settlement Worker	Mandarin	<u>shanshan.wang@issbc.org</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources - (in-office service)
Suha Saleh	Settlement Worker	Arabic/Tigrinya	<u>suha.saleh@issbc.org</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources - (in-office service) 2

Langley Community Services Society (LCSS)

Open from Monday to Friday at 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. Please call 604-534-7921 to book an appointment. Note that some staff (*) are able to do visits, appointment accompaniments or evening/weekend meetings.

Name	Job Title	Language	Email Address	Services
Adriana Badillo*	BCNSP Settlement Worker	Spanish	<u>abadillo@lcss.ca</u>	Provides support with newcomer settlement and economic integration (serves temporary residents and naturalized Canadian citizens)
Alvin Dela Peña	Administrative Assistant	Tagalog	adelapena@lcss.ca	Manages files, and assists with client intakes
Anosh Dilshad	BCNSP Employment Counsellor	Dari, Farsi, Hindi, Punjabi, Urdu	adilshad@lcss.ca	Provides support with newcomer settlement and economic integration (serves temporary residents and naturalized Canadian citizens)
Ellen Lee	Early Childhood Educator	Korean	<u>elee@lcss.ca</u>	Hosts Early Learning Program for families with children ages 0-6
Ghazala Baker*	Family Support Worker	Arabic/Kurdish	<u>gbaker@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients facing multiple barriers/complex situations (e.g. family breakdown, literacy challenges, financial hardship, social isolation, mental/medical health issues, etc.), provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/ weekend meetings
Hong Wang*	Health Care Navigator	Mandarin/ Taiwanese	<u>hwang@lcss.ca</u>	Provides support with clients in need of family doctor or specialist referrals, clients who have questions about medical forms (MSP/health benefits/healthcare system), provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meetings
Miggy Ferrera*	Family Support Worker/BCNSP Program Manager	Tagalog	<u>mferrera@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients facing multiple barriers/complex situations (e.g. family breakdown, literacy challenges, financial hardship, social isolation, mental/medical health issues, etc.)
Pam Samra	Employment Counsellor	Hindi	<u>psamra@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for interviews, career planning
Rasool Habibi*	Settlement Outreach Dari/Pashto/Fa Worker Urdu/Hindi		<u>rhabibi@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting
Sunshine Lim*	Settlement Outreach Worker	Korean	<u>slim@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting

Yazmin Cepele*	Settlement Outreach Worker	Spanish	<u>ycepele@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting
Yoona Ahn	Program Coordinator	Korean	<u>yahn@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts group workshops (English Conversation Circles, Women's Group, Senior's Group, Youth Group, and Financial Literacy program)
Yuka Hamblet	Employment Counsellor	Japanese	<u>yhamblet@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for interviews, career planning

Settlement Workers in School (SWIS)

Open from Monday to Friday at 8:30 am - 3 pm. Note that some staff are able to do visits and appointment accompaniments.

Name	Job Title	Language	Email Address	Services
Ahmad Hamedi	Settlement Worker in Schools	Dari, Farsi, Pashto	<u>ahamedi@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Brenda Rivera	Youth Settlement Worker	Spanish	<u>brivera@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Cherry Yan	Youth Settlement Worker	Mandarin	<u>cyan@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Connie Lu	Settlement Worker in Schools	Mandarin	<u>clu@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Gurnaaz Randhawa	Settlement Worker in Schools		g <u>urnaaz.randhawa@sd35.bc.c</u> <u>a</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Hanen Hessien	Settlement Worker in Schools	Arabic	<u>hhessien@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Irene Hohng	Settlement Worker in Schools	Korean	<u>ihohng@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs

Jaeylinn Cho	Youth Settlement Worker	Korean	j <u>cho@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Jaswinder Sandhu	Settlement Worker in Schools	Hindi/Punjabi/ Urdu	j <u>sandhu@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Juan Sanchez Villa	Career Facilitator/Teacher	Spanish	j <u>sanchezvilla@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Assists youth in Secondary School with career exploration and planning
Minh Vu	Multicultural Worker	Vietnamese	<u>mvu@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Nadia Al- Hamdoni	Settlement Worker	Arabic	<u>nalhamdoni@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Olena Balkashynova	Settlement Worker	Ukrainian/ Russian	obalkashynova@sd35.bc.ca	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Venus Rollo	Settlement Worker	Tagalog	vrollo@sd35.bc.ca	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
Zipporah Devadas	Multicultural Worker	Burmese/Karen	<u>zdevadas@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs

Le Relais Francophone de la Colombie Brittanique

The Francophone Settlement Worker is available in-person at ISSofBC's office on Thursdays at 9 am - 4:30 pm. Please book an appointment.

Name	Job Title	Language	Email Address	Services
Jesuine Nsabimana	Francophone Settlement Worker	French	j <u>nsabimana@lerelaiscb.ca</u>	Conducts intake and needs assessment for French speakers, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources



Arabic

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LCSS	Ghazala Baker	Family Support Worker	<u>gbaker@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients facing multiple barriers/complex situations (e.g. family breakdown, literacy challenges, financial hardship, social isolation, mental/medical health issues, etc.), can do home visits, appointment accompaniments, evening/weekend meetings
swis	Nadia Al- Hamdoni	Settlement Worker in School	nalhamdoni@sd35.bc.ca	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
swis	Hanen Hessien	Settlement Worker in School	hhessien <u>@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
ISSofBC	Suha Saleh	Settlement Worker	suha.saleh@issbc.org	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources

Burmese

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
ISSofBC	Rahtoo Trawgaye	Settlement Worker	rahtoo.trawgaye@issbc.org	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources
SWIS	Zipporah Devadas	Multicultural Worker	<u>zdevadas@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs

Dari

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SWIS	Ahmad Hamedi	Settlement Worker in Schools	<u>ahamedi@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
LCSS	Anosh Dilshad	BCNSP Employment Counsellor	adilshad@lcss.ca	Provides support with newcomer settlement and economic integration (serves temporary residents and naturalized Canadian citizens)
ISSofBC	Bahana Safi	Settlement worker	<u>bahana.safi@issbc.org</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources
LCSS	Rasool Habibi	Settlement Outreach Worker	<u>rhabibi@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting

Farsi

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
SWIS	Ahmad Hamedi	Settlement Worker in Schools	<u>ahamedi@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources
LCSS	Anosh Dilshad	BCNSP Employment Counsellor	adilshad@lcss.ca	Provides support with newcomer settlement and economic integration (serves temporary residents and naturalized Canadian citizens)
ISSofBC	Bahana Safi	Settlement worker	<u>bahana.safi@issbc.org</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources
LCSS	Rasool Habibi	Settlement Outreach Worker	<u>rhabibi@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting

French

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
Le Relais	Jesuine Nsabimana	Francophone Settlement Worker	j <u>nsabimana@lerelaiscb.ca</u>	Conducts intake and needs assessment for French speakers, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources

Filipino

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
LCSS	Alvin Dela Peña	Administrative Assistant	<u>adelapena@lcss.ca</u>	Manages files, and assists with client intakes
ISSofBC	Leo Cabasag	Volunteer Coordinator - Settlement	<u>leo.cabasag@issbc.org</u>	Connects clients with volunteering, settlement mentoring & conversation circles
LCSS	Miggy Ferrera	Family Support Worker	<u>mferrera@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients facing multiple barriers/complex situations (e.g. family breakdown, literacy challenges, financial hardship, social isolation, mental/medical health issues, etc.)
SWIS	Venus Rollo	Settlement Worker in School	vrollo@sd35.bc.ca	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs

Gujarati

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
ISSofBC	Noel Soares	Case Manager, Job Quest	noel.soares@issbc.org	Provides support with clients looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for interviews, and career planning

Hindi

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LCSS	Anosh Dilshad	BCNSP Employment Counsellor	<u>adilshad@lcss.ca</u>	Provides support with newcomer settlement and economic integration (serves temporary residents and naturalized Canadian citizens)
SWIS	Jaswinder Sandhu	Settlement Worker in School	j <u>sandhu@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
ISSofBC	Noel Soares	Case Manager, Job Quest	<u>noel.soares@issbc.org</u>	Provides support with clients looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for interviews, and career planning
LCSS	Pam Samra	Employment Counsellor	<u>psamra@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for interviews, career planning
LCSS	Rasool Habibi	Settlement Outreach Worker	<u>rhabibi@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting

Indonesian

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
ISSofBC	Dian Kohoutek	Employer Relations Specialist - Job Quest	<u>dian.kohoutek@issbc.org</u>	Connects with employers to find job placement for clients

Japanese

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
LCSS	Yuka Hamblet	Employment Counsellor	<u>yhamblet@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for interviews, career planning

Karen

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
ISSofBC	Rahtoo Trawgaye	Settlement Worker	rahtoo.trawgaye@issbc.org	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources
swis	Zipporah Devadas	Multicultural Worker	<u>zdevadas@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs

Korean

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
LCSS	Ellen Lee	Early Childhood Educator	<u>elee@lcss.ca</u>	Hosts Early Learning Program for families with children ages 0-6
SWIS	Irene Hohng	Settlement Worker in School	<u>ihohng@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
swis	Jaeylinn Cho	Youth Settlement Worker	j <u>cho@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
ISSofBC	Miyoung Suh	Settlement Worker	miyoung.suh@issbc.org	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources
LCSS	Sunshine Lim	Settlement Outreach Worker	<u>slim@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting
LCSS	Yoona Ahn	Program Coordinator	<u>yahn@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts group workshops (English Conversation Circles, Women's Group, Senior's Group, Youth Group, and Financial Literacy program)

Kurdish

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LCSS	Ghazala Baker	Family Support Worker	<u>gbaker@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients facing multiple barriers/complex situations (e.g. family breakdown, literacy challenges, financial hardship, social isolation, mental/medical health issues, etc.), provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/ weekend meetings

Mandarin

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SWIS	Connie Lu	Settlement Worker in School	<u>clu@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provide case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
SWIS	Cherry Yan	Youth Settlement Worker	<u>cyan@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provide case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
LCSS	Hong Wang	Health Care Navigator	<u>hwang@lcss.ca</u>	Provides support with clients in need of family doctor or specialist referrals, clients who have questions about medical forms (MSP/ health benefits/healthcare system), provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meetings
LCSS	Hui (Joy) Zhou	Early Childhood Educator	<u>hzhou@lcss.ca</u>	Hosts Early Learning Program for families with children ages 0-6
ISSofBC	Shanshan Wang	Settlement worker	<u>shanshan.wang@issbc.org</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources

Marathi

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
ISSofBC	Noel Soares	Case Manager, Job Quest	<u>noel.soares@issbc.org</u>	Assists clients who are looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for job interviews, and career planning - (in-office service)

Pashto

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
SWIS	Ahmad Hamedi	Settlement Worker in Schools	ahamedi@sd35.bc.ca	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provide case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
ISSofBC	Bahana Safi	Settlement Worker	<u>bahana.safi@issbc.org</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources
LCSS	Rasool Habibi	Settlement Outreach Worker	<u>rhabibi@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meetings

Punjabi

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
LCSS	Anosh Dilshad	BCNSP Employment Counsellor	adilshad@lcss.ca	Provides support with newcomer settlement and economic integration (serves temporary residents and naturalized Canadian citizens)
swis	Jaswinder Sandhu	Settlement Worker in School	j <u>sandhu@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
LCSS	Pam Samra	Employment Counsellor	<u>psamra@lcss.ca</u>	Assists clients looking for work, need assistance with resume/cover letter creation, practicing for interviews, career planning

Russian

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SWIS	Olena Balkashynova	Settlement Worker in School	<u>obalkashynova@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs

Spanish

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
LCSS	Adriana Badillo	BCNSP Settlement Worker	<u>abadillo@lcss.ca</u>	Provides support with newcomer settlement and economic integration (serves temporary residents and naturalized Canadian citizens), provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meetings
swis	Brenda Rivera	Youth Settlement Worker	<u>brivera@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
swis	Juan Sanchez Villa	Career Facilitator/ Teacher	j <u>sanchevilla@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Assists youth in Secondary School with career exploration and planning
LCSS	Yazmin Cepele	Settlement Outreach Worker	<u>ycepele@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting

Tigrinya

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
ISSofBC	Suha Saleh	Settlement Worker	suha.saleh@issbc.org	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to settlement services and other community resources

Ukrainian

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
SWIS	Olena Balkashynova	Settlement Worker in School	<u>obalkashynova@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents and their children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs

Urdu

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LCSS	Anosh Dilshad	BCNSP Employment Counsellor	adilshad@lcss.ca	Provides support with newcomer settlement and economic integration (serves temporary residents and naturalized Canadian citizens)
SWIS	Jaswinder Sandhu	Settlement Worker in School	j <u>sandhu@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provides case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs
LCSS	Rasool Habibi	Settlement Outreach Worker	<u>rhabibi@lcss.ca</u>	Conducts client intake and needs assessment, connects clients to LCSS services and other community resources, provides in-home visits, accompaniments to appointments, and evening/weekend meeting

Vietnamese

Agency	Name	Job Title	Email Address	Services
SWIS	Minh Vu	Multicultural Worker	<u>mvu@sd35.bc.ca</u>	Provides information & orientation for parents that have children in the school district, provide case management services to newcomers with limited English or other settlement needs