



EVENT NOTICE

FAIR WILL PROVIDE INFORMATION TO CHINESE COMMUNITY ABOUT DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

Vancouver, March 12, 2007 – An information fair, which will be held on Saturday, March 24, will provide the Lower Mainland's Chinese population with information for people with developmental disabilities and their families.

The event will be held at the office of the Chinese Christian Mission in the Crystal Mall in Burnaby. It will begin at 10:00 a.m. and finish by 5:00 p.m.

The key-note speaker is Dr. Helena Ho – a developmental pediatrician and a Professor Emeritus of UBC. She headed the Sunny Hill Child Development Program and Autism Team for a number of years.

Panels made up of family members, service providers, professionals, CLBC staff and self-advocates, will speak throughout the day about their experiences and answer questions.

Speeches will be conducted in either English, Mandarin or Cantonese. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided. Please bring a portable FM radio if interpretation is required.

The event is co-sponsored by Community Living BC, Chinese Christian Mission, Developmental Disabilities Association, Burnaby Association for Community Inclusion and MOSAIC.

For more information, please www.communitylivingbc.ca in the Events section.

Community Living BC is the Crown agency responsible for providing support and services to people with developmental disabilities, children with special needs and their families in British Columbia. It has a board of self-advocates, family and community members, as well as staff located throughout the province. It believes that people with developmental disabilities and their families know best when it comes to their needs, goals and planning for the future.

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