



Coordinator's Report

October 2014

The summer months gave me opportunity to work on a couple of projects, one being a mapping project for the Early Years Table. By combining EDI data with census data, neighbourhood maps of Chilliwack give us a better picture of what is going on throughout our community. As a result the EY Committee has reviewed its Strategic Plan and has added an action around addressing poverty. I have also been working with a number of partner agencies in coming up with a strategy to create and implement a much needed Parent 2 Parent mentoring program.

In August I began working with Annette Vogt from UFV on a project to put together a community conversation on Children with Incarcerated parents. This is a vulnerable population with needs that have not yet been specifically addressed. The one day colloquium will take place October 30, at the NLC.

It was an honour to be part of the work surrounding the Premier's Award. I have been working with the CYC co-chairs in continuing to move the Every Door is the Right Door initiative forward. Another Every Door is the Right Door training event. This will take place Nov.6, at the NLC.

I continue to work with the CYC sub-committees and the various task groups as well as relevant task groups of the Chilliwack Healthier Communities.