

# Welcome to BCCPD

*Our Voice in the Community*



## Our Mission

Our mission is to support people, regardless of their disability, to live with dignity, independence and as equal and full participants in society.

We champion issues impacting the lives of people with disabilities through our direct services, community partnerships, advocacy, research and publications.

For over 30 years, the BC Coalition of People with Disabilities (BCCPD) has been a provincial, cross-disability voice in British Columbia.

To fulfill our mission we:

- Provide one-to-one advocacy for people with all disabilities
- Design and implement programs and special projects
- Work closely with community partners
- Produce and provide publications free of charge

Advocacy, community partnerships and ongoing programs are just some of the ways we fulfill our mission.



## Advocacy Access Program

Advocates help clients to access disability benefits, health supplements and a range of other programs, such as BC Housing. An appointment is needed for in-person assistance.

## Wellness & Disability Initiative

WDI promotes wellness for people with disabilities through accessible health information and the HEAL (Health Education, Advocacy & Leadership) Project. [wdi@bccpd.bc.ca](mailto:wdi@bccpd.bc.ca).

## BC Personal Supports Network

A network of community organizations that helps people with disabilities in BC to obtain equipment and assistive devices. [ifproject@bccpd.bc.ca](mailto:ifproject@bccpd.bc.ca).

## Publications

We produce a range of materials including self-help publications, advocates' manuals, health guides and our flagship magazine, *Transition*.

## AIDS & Disability Action Program

ADAP publishes HIV information in a variety of accessible formats for people with disabilities. [adap@bccpd.bc.ca](mailto:adap@bccpd.bc.ca).

## Emergency Preparedness Project

Education and training for the community and government to increase the safety of people with disabilities. [karen@bccpd.bc.ca](mailto:karen@bccpd.bc.ca).

## Partnerships

We facilitate free on-site legal clinics through our community partnerships. We also provide information and training workshops. **604-872-1278**.

## CARMA

Peer support that promotes enhanced quality of life and self-determination for George Pearson Centre residents. [carma@bccpd.bc.ca](mailto:carma@bccpd.bc.ca).

## We Thank Our Key Funders

BC Rehab Foundation  
Canadian Co-operative Association  
City of Vancouver  
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Health Sciences Association of BC  
Human Resources and Skills Development Canada: Homelessness Partnering Strategy  
The Law Foundation of BC  
Legal Services Society of BC  
Notary Foundation of BC  
Planned Lifetime Advocacy Network  
Province of BC  
Provincial Health Services Authority  
United Way of the Lower Mainland  
Vancouver Coastal Health  
Many individual supporters

## Your Support

Our members and donors sustain us. Please visit our website to learn about membership benefits and how you can support our mission.



*"I can't thank you enough. If it were not for you and the caring you have for others, my life would be more difficult today."  
BCCPD client*

## Phone and Fax

BCCPD Main Office  
Phone 604-875-0188  
Fax 604-875-9227

Advocacy Access Program  
604-872-1278

Toll-Free 1-800-663-1278  
Information on any program

TTY line (hearing impaired)  
604-875-8835

**Email** | [feedback@bccpd.bc.ca](mailto:feedback@bccpd.bc.ca)

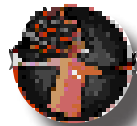
## Street | Mailing Address

BC Coalition of People with Disabilities  
204-456 W. Broadway,  
Vancouver, BC V5Y 1R3

[www.bccpd.bc.ca](http://www.bccpd.bc.ca)

## BCCPD Privacy Policy

BCCPD values and upholds people's rights to privacy and the protection of their personal information. For a copy of our Privacy Policy, contact Privacy Officer Sam Bradd at 604-875-0188.



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## Ways To Give

### Become a Member

Help keep our voice strong by becoming a member.

### Donations

Your donations directly support our mission.

### Monthly Giving

Even a small monthly gift helps build a funding base we can count on.

### Planned Giving

Leave a legacy by donating life insurance, stocks and trusts.

## Membership Benefits

- Voting rights for members with a disability at our AGM
- Community alerts by email to keep you informed
- Access to our publications
- News about BCCPD events, workshops and training
- Annual Report

# Membership Form

## Annual Membership Fee \$15

Please check one:

- New Membership **or**
- Renewal



Please check one:

- Voting Member  
A person with a disability or self-help group where at least 51% of members have a disability **or**
- Non-Voting Member  
All other groups and individuals

### Donation

- Please find enclosed my donation in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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Email \_\_\_\_\_

### Please send me information on:

- Becoming a monthly supporter
- Planned Giving

Please return this form to BCCPD, 204-456 W. Broadway, Vancouver, BC V5Y 1R3. Support & Donations online: [www.bccpd.bc.ca](http://www.bccpd.bc.ca).

Thank you for your support 