

# GREATER VICTORIA COORDINATED ID SERVICE PILOT PROGRAM



## WHO DO WE SUPPORT?

Vulnerable and low-income individuals who are seeking a sense of **identity, belonging, and security**.

We offer assistance with Birth Certificates, BC Service Cards, citizenship, and more.

## HOW WE'RE MAKING A DIFFERENCE

- Identification allows our clients access to social support, banking, housing, jobs, library cards, etc.
- Social workers, nurses and other frontline staff are able to focus on the needs of their clients they are better trained to address.
- A coordinated effort across the CRD increases efficiency, reduces duplication of efforts and better streamlines identification services for both partner organizations and our clients.

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...We hear feedback from our clients who haven't had IDs in a decade or more and now thanks to the ID clinic, they have a much-needed piece of ID. Our clients are so grateful for this service, living without ID creates a huge barrier for our clients when trying to access critical resources...

**-The Salvation Army ARC**

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**750**

**Individuals supported with getting their ID**

**28**

**Partner organizations and clinic hosts**

**30% Indigenous Clients**

**Indigenous staff and team serving indigenous clinics**

## FUNDING NEEDED

Additional funding for the Greater Victoria Coordinated ID Service is needed as we have a **shortfall** in funding for this program.