

# Housing Services in Canada for Women Who are Older and Fleeing Violence

In 2014, Atira Women's Resource Society commissioned over 420 telephone surveys with safe homes, shelters and transition houses across Canada asking if they would like to be included in a pan-Canadian inventory and network of organizations supporting women who are older and fleeing violence. 193 organizations responded and agreed to be part of the list. This inventory is intended to support practice as a resource for service providers to connect and share strategies, as well as an accessible list for women who are older who are in need of housing services in their area.

## British Columbia

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### Cariboo

100 Mile House	100 Mile House & District Women's Centre	250-395-4093
Fort St. James	Fireweed Collective Society	250-996-8081
Prince George	Phoenix Transition House Society	250-563-7305
Quesnel	Amata Transition House Society	250-992-7321
Williams Lake	Caribou Friendship Society - Chiwid Transition House	250-398-5658

### Kootney

Fernie	Elk Valley Family Society	250-423-4213
Kaslo	North Kootenay Lake Community Services Society	250-353-7691
Nelson	Nelson Community Services Centre Society	250-354-4357
Revelstoke	Revelstoke Women's Shelter Society	250-837-4382
Trail	Women in Need Society Transition House	250-364-1543

### Mainland/Southwest

Burnaby	Dixon Transition House Society	604-298-3454
Chilliwack	Ann Davis Transition Society	604-792-3116
Coquitlam	Tri-City Transitions	604-464-2020
Langley	Ishtar Transition Housing Society	604-530-9442
Lillooet	Lillooet Friendship Centre Society	250-256-4146
Maple Ridge	Cythera Transition House Society	604-467-9966
New Westminster	Monarch Place	604-521-1888
Richmond	Chimo Crisis Services	604-270-4900
Sardis	Wilma's Transition House	604-858-0468
Squamish	Howe Sound Women's Centre Society	604-892-5711
Surrey	Atira Women's Resource Society	604-331-1407
	Domestic Abuse Services- OLGCS	604-585-6688
	Evergreen Transition House	604-572-5116
Vancouver	Atira Women's Resource Society	604-331-1407
	Helping Spirit Lodge Society	604-874-6629
	Vancouver Rape Relief Society	604-872-8212
Smithers	Northern Society for Domestic Peace	250-847-2595
Vanderhoof	Omineca Safe Home Society	250-567-9959

### North Coast

Kitimat	Tamitik Status of Women Association	250-632-6070
Masset	Haida Gwaii Society for Community Peace	250-626-4666
Prince Rupert	North Coast Transition Society	250-627-8959

### Northeast

Chetwynd	South Peace Community Resources Society	250-782-9174
Fort Nelson	Northern Rockies Aboriginal Women Society	250-774-4742
	Fort Nelson Aboriginal Friendship Society	250-774-2993
Fort St. John	Community Bridge	250-785-6021

## Thompson-Okanagan

Golden	Golden Women's Resource Centre	250-344-5317
Kelowna	Central Okanagan Emergency Shelter Society	250-763-1040
Lytton	Han Knast Tsitxw Transition house	250-455-2284
Penticton	South Okanagan Women in Need Society	250-493-4366
Princeton	Princeton Family Services Society	250-295-8211
Salmon Arm	Shuswap Area Family Emergency Society	250-832-9616

## Vancouver Island/Coast

Campbell River	Campbell River & North Island Transition Society	250-286-3666
Duncan	Cowichan Women Against Violence Society	250-748-8544
Nanaimo	Haven: A Society for Women and Children	250-756-2452
Parksville	Parksville Qualicum Haven House	250-586-4718
Port Alberni	Alberni Community and Women's Services Society	250-724-2223
Port Hardy	North Island Crisis & Counselling Centre Society	250-949-8333
Salt Spring Island	Island Women Against Violence	250-537-0735
Sechelt	Sunshine Coast Community Services Society	604-885-5128
Sooke	Sooke Transition House Society	250-642-2591
Ucluelet	Westcoast Community Resources Society	250-726-2020
Victoria	Victoria Women's Transition House Society	250-385-6611

## Alberta

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### Alberta North

Fairview	Women's Centre Association	1-877-835-2120
Fort Chipewyan	Paspew House	780-697-3323
Fort McMurray	Fort McMurray Family Crisis	780-743-1190
Grande Prairie	Grande Prairie Women's Residence Association	780-532-2672
Peace River	Peace River Regional Women's Shelter Society	1-877-624-3466
Wabasca	Big Stone Cree Nation Women's Emergency Shelter	780-891-3333

### Alberta Central

Cold Lake	Dr. Margaret Savage Crisis Centre Society	780-594-3353
Edmonton	Women's Emergency Accommodation Centre	780-423-5302
	Senior's Association of Greater Edmonton (SAGE)	780-702-1520
Enilda	Sucker Creek Women's Emergency Shelter	1-866-523-2929
Hobbema	Ermineskin Women's Shelter	1-866-585-3941
Lloydminster	Lloydminster Interval Home Society	780-875-0966
Red Deer	Central Alberta Women's Emergency Shelter Society	1-888-345-5643
Sherwood Park	Strathcona Shelter Society	1-877-252-7233
Rocky Mountain	Mountain Rose Women's Shelter	1-877-845-4141

### Alberta Rockies

Banff	YWCA of Banff	1-800-813-4138
	*Can only take women from Bow Valley*	
Grande Cache	Grande Cache Transition House Society	780-827-3776
Hinton	Yellowhead Emergency Shelter for Women Society	1-800-661-0937

### Calgary Region

Calgary	Brenda Strafford Centre for the Prevention of Domestic Violence	403-270-7240
	Discovery House	403-670-0467
	Sonshine Community Services	403-243-2002
	Youville Residence Society of Alberta	403-242-0244
	*Services for people up until 64 years of age who struggle with substance use*	
	YWCA Sheriff King Home	403-266-0707
	Kerby Rotary Shelter	403-705-3250

### Alberta South

Black Diamond	Rowan House Emergency Shelter	1-855-652-3311
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Brooks	Brooks and District Women's Safe Shelter Society	403-793-2232
	Cantara Safe House	403-793-2232
Lethbridge	YWCA Lethbridge	403-329-0088
Medicine Hat	Medicine Hat Women's Shelter Society	1-800-661-7949
Pincher Creek	Pincher Creek Women's Emergency Shelter Association	1-888-354-4868
Taber	Safe Haven Women's Shelter Society	403-223-0483

## Saskatchewan

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### Regina Region

Regina	Regina Transition House	306-569-2292
	YWCA Isabel Johnson Shelter	306-525-2141
	SOFIA House	306-565-2537

### South East

Yorkton	Shelwin House	306-783-7233
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### South West

Swift Current	Southwest Crisis Services	306-778-3692
Moose Jaw	Moose Jaw Women's Transition Association Inc.	306-693-6511

### North

La Ronge	Piwapan Women's Centre	306-425-3900
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### West Central

North Battleford	Battlefords Interval Home	306-445-2742
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## Manitoba

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Brandon	YWCA Westman Women's Shelter	204-727-3644
Dauphin	Parkland Crisis Centre	204-622-4626
Koostatak	First Nations Healing Centre Inc.	204-645-2750, 1-800-692-6270
Selkirk	Nova House Inc.	204-482-7882
Steinbach	Agape House Women's Shelter	204-326-6062

## Ontario

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### Southwest Ontario

London	Zhaawanong Shelter – At'lohosa Native Family Healing Services Inc.	519-432-2270, 1-800-605-7477
Strathroy	Sturgeon Falls Family Resource Centre	705-753-1154
St. Thomas	Violence Against Women, Services Elgin County	519-633-0155, 1-800-265-4305

### Niagra

Niagara Falls	Women's Place of South Niagara	905-356-5800
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### Hamilton, Halton and Brant

Hamilton	Interval House of Hamilton	905-387-9959
	Phoenix Place	905-527-2238
Ohsweken	Ganohkwasra Family Assault Support Services	519-445-4324

**Huron, Perth, Waterloo and Wellington**

Stratford Optimism Place 519-271-5310

**Greater Toronto Area**

Toronto Fred Victor Women's Hostel 416-368-2642  
Mary's Home Emergency Shelter 416-595-1578  
Nellie's Shelter 416-461-1084

**York, Durham and The Hills of Headwaters**

Bowmanville Bethesda House 905-623-6045  
Oshawa The Denise House 905-728-7311  
York Sandgate Women's Shelter 905-787-8604  
Scarborough Dr. Roz's Healing Place 416-264-4357

**Bruce Peninsula, Southern Georgian Bay and Lake Simcoe**

Orillia Couchiching Jubilee House 705-326-4337

**Kawarthas and Northumberland**

Kawartha Women's Resources of Kawartha Lakes 705-878-4285

**South Eastern Ontario**

Cornwall Akwesasne Family Wellness Program 613-937-4322

**Ottawa and Countryside**

Nepean Nelson House of Ottawa-Carleton 613-225-3129  
Ottawa Oshki Kizis Lodge 613-789-1141,  
1-855-789-9433  
Harmony House 613-233-3386

**Algonquin Park, Almaguin Highlands, Muskoka and Parry Sound**

Blind River Mississauga Women's Shelter 705-356-7142  
Huntsville Chrysalis House 705-789-8488,  
1-866-789-8488  
Parry Sound Esprit Place Family Resource Centre 705-746-4800

**Sault Ste. Marie - Algoma**

Sault Ste. Marie Nimkii - Naabkawagan Batchewana Family Crisis Shelter 705-941-9054,  
1-866-266-1466  
Chapleau Chadwic Home 705-856-2848,  
1-800-461-2242

**Northwest Ontario**

Marathon Marjorie House 807-229-2222  
Mishkeegogamang Mishkeegogamang Safe House 807-928-2407  
Pawitik Naotkamegwanning Women's Shelter 807-226-2605  
Sioux Lookout First Step Women's Shelter 807-737-1438

**Northeastern Ontario**

Elliot Lake Maplegate House for Women 705-461-9868  
Mattawa Mattawa Women's Resource Centre 705-744-5567  
Mindemoya Manitoulin Family Resources 705-377-5160  
Moosonee Moosonee Family Resource Centre 705-336-2456  
North Bay Ojibway Women's Lodge 705-472-3321,  
1-800-387-2465  
Thunder Bay Faye Peterson Transition House 807-345-0450

## Quebec

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### Montreal

Montreal Foyer pour femmes autochtones de Montréal/Native Women's Shelter of Montreal 514-933-4688

### Montérégie

Chambly Maison Simonne-Monet-Chartrand 450-658-9780

### Outaouais

Fort-Coulonge L'Entourelle Women's Shelter 819-683-2709  
Chelsea La Maison Libère-Elles 819-827-4510  
Hull La Centre Mechtilde 819-777-2952

### Mauricie

Cap-de-la-Madeleine Maison le Far 819-378-2990

### Cantons de l'Estrie

Lac Mégantic La Bouée du Lac Mégantic 819-583-1233

### Chaudière-Appalaches

Lévis La Jonction pour Elle 418-833-8002

### Châteauguay

Châteauguay La Re-Source de Châteauguay 450-699-0908

### Bas-Saint-Laurent

Cabano L'Autre-Toit du KRTB 418-854-7160

### Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean

Alma La Passerelle d'Alma 418-668-4671  
Chicoutimi Centre Féminin du Saguenay Inc. 418-549-4343  
Dolbeau-Mistassini Maison Halte-Secours 418-276-3659  
Jonquière Maison d'accueil et d'hébergement La Chambrée 418-547-7283

### Manicouagan

Baie-Comeau La Maison des Femmes de Baie-Comeau 418-296-4733  
Forestville Maison L'Amie d'Elle 418-587-2533

### Gaspésie

Gaspé Maison L'Aid'Elle 418-368-6883  
Listuguj Haven House Women's Shelter 418-778-5544

## Nova Scotia

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### Northern

Amherst Autumn House 902-667-1344  
902-667-1200

### Western

Yarmouth Juniper House 902-742-8689,  
1-800-266-4087

### Halifax

Halifax Bryony House 902-422-7650  
Transition House Association of Nova Scotia 902-429-7287,  
1-855-225-0220

### Eastern

New Glasgow Tearmann House 902-752-0132,  
1-888-831-0330

## Cape Breton

Port Hawkesbury  
Waycobah

Leeside Transition House  
Mi'kmaq Family Healing Centres

902-625-1990  
902-756-3440

## Prince Edward Island

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Summerside

East Prince Family Violence Prevention

902-436-0517

## Newfoundland and Labrador

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Corner Brook  
Labrador City  
Sheshatshiu  
Happy Valley-Goose Bay

Corner Brook Transition House  
Hope Haven Transition House  
Nukum Munik Shelter  
Libra House Inc.

709-634-4199  
709-944-6900  
709-497-8869  
709-896-3014

## New Brunswick

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Campbellton  
Saint John  
St. Stephen  
Fredericton

Maison Notre Dame House  
Hestia House Inc.  
Fundy Region Transition House Inc.  
Women in Transition House Inc.  
Liberty Lane Inc.

Sussex  
Woodstock  
Kent Country

Sussex Vale Transition House  
Woodstock Sanctuary House  
Serenity House

506-753-4703  
506-634-7571  
506-466-4485  
506-459-2300  
506-451-2120  
506-433-1649  
506-325-9452  
506-743-1530

## Northwest Territories

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Fort Smith

Sutherland House Women's Shelter

867-872-5925

## Nunavut

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Cambridge Bay

St. Michaels' Women's Crisis Shelter

867-983-4670

## Yukon

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Watson Lake  
Whitehorse

Help & Hope for Families Society  
Kaushee's Place - Yukon Women's Transition Home

867-536-7233  
867-633-7720