

Who We Are

Thrive is a team of social service professionals with a mission to support those we serve to live their best lives by providing high-quality services through various programs.

We are a CARF-accredited agency offering a broad range of child, youth, adult and family services throughout the greater Victoria area.

Our Values

We believe in honouring and recognizing the uniqueness of each individual we serve. We provide services that build skills, strengths and resourcefulness where needed.

We pride ourselves on being leaders in providing accessible and meaningful services to everyone we serve.



Family Development Program

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THRIVE

Bringing your potential to life.

| Family Development Program

The Family Development Program serves Victoria and the Westshore and provides protective family services to strengthen the personal resources and capacity of individuals and families to ensure safe living environments for children and youth.

The program offers the following:

- Family Preservation
- Supervised Access
- Foundations Parenting Program

WHAT TO EXPECT

Family Development Counsellors actively work with individuals and families to address MCFD concerns to reduce the risk to children and improve family functioning and parenting capacity in all areas of service.

HOW DO YOU GET INTO THIS PROGRAM?

All referrals are made through a referring MCFD Social Worker from either Victoria or the West Shore.

These programs are funded by MCFD and are offered at no cost to its participants.

For more information, please contact the Family Development Program Manager at 250-383-4821.

Program Hours

Family Development Counsellors' schedules vary between Monday to Friday and Tuesday to Saturday. they can generally be reached between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:30 pm.

| Foundations Parenting Program

The Foundations Program is a 10-week intensive parenting program provided in a group setting and in the family home. The program runs 3 times a year on Saturday mornings. For families with children ages 0-6.

Services Provided:

Services are designed to educate parents on:

- Meeting children's emotional, social, and physical needs as a priority
- Specific child development and age-appropriate child management skills
- Understanding causes of difficulties within the family
- Understanding the importance of attachment and attunement
- Enhancing communication skills for successful family relations

