

Justice Report, April 2021

Staffing update

Family development team being assigned individual clients to case manage and support

Family law support is available again, criminal law

Collaborations

- 1) Agassiz RCMP collaboration to notify justice lead for mental health calls
- 2) Agassiz RCMP notify Health Director of actions that impact our community
- 3) Agassiz RCMP submitted a proposal to provide education and a safe room for disclosure of violence/sexualized violence
- 4) Quiquelstom partnership unfolding
- 5) Monthly community justice table that include probation and parole, crown counsel, native court worker, quiquelstom, RCMP and Indigenous policing

New initiatives

- Situational tables with RCMP and other stakeholders proposal for funding submitted and accepted. These tables provide interdisciplinary dialogue to help address ongoing and complex offenders.
- New funding from Civil Forfeitures to develop and run a one year pilot project to help offenders heal, rehabilitate, and integrate back into community. The plan is to use circle methodology to work with men individually, in groups, with their families, and with their community. Under development
- Proposal for women's shelter (fleeing from violence) submitted
- Public awareness campaign to raise awareness about violence in our community and create safe spaces for dialogue is planned for late spring/summer.
- Sexualized violence in Fraser East Advisory committee established and chaired by our program manager.