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Sault Ste. Marie Safe Community Partnership



Name of the Community: Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario

Country: Canada

Number of inhabitants: 74 948 (Stats Can 2006)

Programme started year: 1999, incorporated 2000

International Safe Communities Network Membership: Yes

Designation year: 2003, 2009

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SAULT STE. MARIE ONTARIO SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENTS 2003-2009

"The strength of a community is dependent on the support and involvement from those within the community." Source Unknown

Since 1999, the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership has aligned with local businesses, social service organizations, and various government agencies, as well as the general public, to enhance and develop injury prevention programs. We are a not-for-profit organization with a vision for making the city of Sault Ste. Marie and area the safest place in the world in which to live, learn, work, and play.

The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership has, with the support of the community, enjoyed the following achievements:

Designations:

- International Safe Community by the World Health Organization - May 2003, June 2009
- National Safe Community by Safe Communities Foundation - 2000
- Umbrella organization for injury prevention - City Council Resolution November 2002

Awards:

- 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006 Safe Communities Foundation Award of Excellence
- 2004 Northern Ontario Business Awards - Judges Choice
- 2004 Chamber of Commerce Service Sector Award - nominated
- 2001- ongoing - Sponsor of the Chamber of Commerce "Safe Work Sound Business Award"

Our Focus is Highlighted By:

- Risk Watch - Delivering Fire Safety/Injury Prevention to all of our local elementary schools. Two separate "saves" initiated by students when a peer was choking, and in both incidents the students credited the Risk Watch program for their fast action.
- Algoma Council on Domestic Violence - Increases awareness of domestic violence and develops guidelines for addressing domestic violence with the ultimate goal of assisting victims to find appropriate resources and to help perpetrators in finding treatment programs.

- Elder Abuse Prevention Council - Goal is to provide identification and response to abuse and neglect of seniors through communication and cooperation between agencies.
- Kids Safe - Kids Safe Algoma is a partner of Safe Kids Canada, who promote childhood injury prevention through innovative educational tools and strategies by endorsing new technology and raising awareness through media.
- Safe Work, Sound Business - Develops programs designed to reduce the severity and frequency of work-related injuries.
- Slips Trips and Falls - Develops programs to reduce the number of fall related injuries among older adults.
- STARS (Sault Traffic and Road Safety) - Provides the community with information needed to implement preventative measures to reduce road traffic injuries and deaths.
- Youth - Develop initiatives to reduce/eliminate injuries among youth age 14-24 focusing on workplace injuries among young workers and Workplace Safety, Healthy Lifestyles, Violence and Bullying and Alcohol/Substance Abuse.
- Standardized Safety Orientation continues to be a viable a revenue stream with a steady flow of business volume throughout the year. Foremost, it an important program to heighten the awareness of workplace risks and the responsibility of both the worker and employer to reduce those risks.

DISBURSEMENT OF LOTTERY PROCEEDS

In 2005 and 2006 Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership conducted the Xtreme Home Improvement Raffle generating over \$30 000 in revenue. To date over \$27 000 has been disbursed to various community groups for several worthwhile injury prevention initiatives.

Kidz Summer Safety Festival

Another successful injury prevention initiative by Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership since our 2003 designation as an international safe community by the World Health Organization in 2003 is the annual Kidz Summer Safety Festival. This is a community event that engages organizations and the general public in a fun, interactive venue where children (and parents) can learn about injury prevention from a wide variety of organizations.

Name of the Community: Sault Ste. Marie

Country: Canada

Number of inhabitants: 74,566 (Statistics Canada, 2001)



naturally gifted



Programme started year: 1999

“WHO – designation” Year: 2003

Information address on www for the Programme: www.phs.ki.se/csp/safecom/saultste.marie.htm

Information address on www for the Programme: www.safesault.ca

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Sault Ste. Marie is a naturally gifted area strategically located at the heart of the Great Lakes, between Lake Superior and Lake Huron on the St. Mary's River. Steel, forestry and the waterways have been the basis for the City's development with the growth of tourism playing a major role.

The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership's geographical area of focus is the City of Sault Ste. Marie and district. Our main focus is on Sault Ste. Marie but we do service the outlying area. The intent is to service more of the area and district as the partnership grows stronger. We are situated in Northern Ontario with the closest large city (Toronto, Ontario) being 700 km east. The population covered in our plan, at present, is 74,566 (Statistics Canada, 2001).

1. An infrastructure on partnership and collaboration, governed by a cross-sectional group that is responsible for safety promotion in their community.

Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership is a voluntary group of concerned community members whose purpose is to prevent injuries through communication with our Safety Partners and the community. The goal of the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership is to make Sault Ste. Marie the safest place to live, learn, work, and play by bringing together all injury prevention organizations within the community. Community leaders from a variety of

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businesses, agencies, and concerned citizens have come together in support of the partnership. Sub-committees are working toward developing and implementing goals that support the overall objectives of the partnership. Members are dedicated to the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership. The members of the Steering Committee work toward meeting the goals and the objectives of the partnership. The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership strategic plan will provide an avenue for continued review of injury data, thereby ensuring delivery of prevention programs that meet the needs of our community. The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership is a progressive injury prevention program aimed at meeting the needs of our community. The partnership currently has 12 board members and 111 volunteers. Although the Partnership is actively participating in most of the programs listed, the list is not all-inclusive.

The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership consists of representatives from business, various levels of government, social agencies, safe workplace associations, emergency and medical professionals, educators, labour and concerned citizens. They volunteer their time and effort to the prevention of all accidents and injuries within our community. We are very proud of our partners and programs. We currently have seven sub-committees with numerous members (See Strategic Plan for list of Partners). We are constantly growing in numbers. The City of Sault Ste. Marie recognized, by resolution, the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership as the umbrella organization for all injury prevention within the community.

2. Long-term, sustainable program covering both genders, all ages, environments, and situations.

The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership has developed a Strategic Plan for 2002 through to 2004 (copy attached to our application). This plan addresses all injury prevention issues in our community, not covered by other organizations and is directed to both genders, all ages, environments and situations and how we plan to address those issues. The Strategic Plan is reviewed yearly with revisions and updates made accordingly. The Plan will be projected further into the future as we attain our current goals and objectives and as new initiatives are determined.

The programs listed below are community safety/injury prevention programs. Funding and direction come from many sources. Businesses, government agencies and funders recognize the importance of these programs and do their utmost to ensure their success.

“And When The Bough Breaks...Children and Trauma”
 “Please Help Me I’m Falling”
 “Youth At Home”
 12 Step Programs
 ABC’s For Living
 Aboriginal Alcohol /Drug Program
 Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program
 Aboriginal Nutrition/Prenatal Program
 Abuse Prevention Services
 Addictions Services
 Advanced First Aid
 Aids Awareness for Kids Program
 Alcohol Liability Presentations/Resources
 Algoma Crisis Pregnancy Centre
 All Terrain Vehicle Riders Course
 Alzheimer Wandering Registry
 Anger Management
 Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training
 Aquaquest
 Aquatots
 BABES (Beginning Alcohol & Addictions Basic Education Studies)

Baby Bathtub Program
 Babysitting Training
 Barrier Free Design Consultation Program
 BECOOL
 Bicycle Safety Rally
 Bicycle Scavenger Hunt
 Bike and Pedestrian Safety
 Child Car Seat Safety Check
 Child Care Algoma
 Child Care Program
 Children’s aid Society
 Children’s Rehabilitation Centre
 Children’s Services
 Childsafe Course
 City Emergency Plan
 College and University Residence Policy
 Comfort Kits
 Community Service Order
 Counseling and Aftercare/Brief Service
 Creating Lifelines by Confronting Suicide
 Creating Safer Homes
 Crime Prevention Program

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| Crime Prevention Workshops | Party Pact |
| Crimeproofing Checklist for Seniors | Passport Program |
| Crimeproofing Checklist for Women | People Savers |
| Crimeproofing Checklist for Children | Physical Disabilities Program |
| Crimeproofing Checklist for Motor Vehicle Owners | Playground Safety Checks |
| Crimestoppers | Poisoning Prevention |
| Crisis Support Services | Policy and Protocol Development |
| Dealing With Crisis | Pool Perfect Checklist |
| Drug Awareness Week | Preventing Suicide |
| Emergency Alarm Response System (EARS) | RIDE (Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere) Program |
| Emergency Housing | Red Ribbon Campaign |
| Emergency Preparedness Booklet | Risk Watch |
| Emergency Shelters | Road Safety Week |
| Falls Protection | Road Safety Challenge |
| Fire and Burn Prevention | Safe Arrival Program |
| Firearms Injury Prevention Program | Safe Grads Program |
| First Aid for Drivers | Safe Wheeling Program |
| First Aid/CPR | Safer Bars Workshop |
| Full Toddler & Preschool Program | Safety In The Home |
| Garden River Child Care Centre | Safety patrollers Program |
| Gymnastics Jamboree | SAYGO (Steady As You Go) |
| Halloween Safety Patrol Group | SCIP (Safe Communities Incentive Program) |
| Health Babies/Healthy Children | Seat Belt Challenge |
| Heads Up! The safe Cycling Magazine for Kids | Seat Belt Clinics |
| Helmet Check | Seniors Health & Wellness Day |
| Helping A Child Through Separation, Divorce, and Death | Seniors Medication Record |
| Helping Youth At Risk for Suicide | Seniors Passport To Safety |
| Heroes Program | Splashers & Bubbler |
| Home & Vehicle Modification Program | Slips, Trips, & Falls Sub-Committee |
| Immunization Program | Speed Vision Program |
| Infant Development Program | Stress Management |
| In-House Counseling | Suicide Fact Sheet |
| Injury Prevention Program for Seniors | Suicide Intervention Workshops |
| Just In Case Cards | Suicide Prevention Workshops |
| Keep Moving...Keep Healthy | Supervised Access Program |
| Kids Prints | SWAP (Safe Workplace Awareness Program) Training |
| Kids Against Violence | TAPP-C (The Arson Prevention Program for Children) |
| Kidsafe Algoma | Telephone Assurance |
| KidsHope Fun Activities | Telephone Crisis Line |
| Kindergym | The DesignAbility Program |
| Life Call | The Sault Rising Stars Acting Troupe |
| Love Me Buckle Me Day | Toddlers Gym & Swim |
| Low Risk Guidelines | Tom and Pam Program |
| Marion Robb Co-operative Children's Centre | VIP (Very Important Person) Program |
| Medication Misuse Awareness | Victim Impact |
| Men's Shelter | Victim Notification/Information Service |
| Mental Disabilities Program | Vids for Kids Program |
| Metis Family Resource Centre | Vital Link Program |
| Mobile Support Worker Program | Walk-In Crisis Service |
| Mock Snowmobile Crashes | Water safety Services |
| Mock Vehicle Crashes | Wee Watch Private Home Daycare |
| Moms' Take A Break | When A Young Person is Suicidal |
| Motivational Media | When Tragedy Strikes, How Can We Help? |
| Motor Vehicle Safety | WHMIS (Workplace Hazardous Materials Information Sheet) |
| Multi Media Campaign Committee | Wilderness First Aid |
| My Identification Card | Worksite Health Fairs |
| Native Foster Care | YMCA L'il Dippers |
| Native Inmate Liaison Program | You Booze You Loose |
| Neighbourhood Watch | Youth Passport To Safety Program |
| On Board Program | Youth Safety Performance |
| Parent-Child Information Centre | Youth Shelter |
| Parenting Classes | YWAP (Young Workers Awareness Program) |

3. Other programs that target high-risk groups and environments, and programs that promote safety for vulnerable groups.

Vulnerable groups and environments within the Sault Ste. Marie community are the Native community, persons with disabilities, traffic incidents, the elderly, and our youth. There are numerous programs available to those in need. There are programs available to our Native communities to aid all citizens from infants to seniors. Persons with Disabilities can access programs that will aid them with their medical needs and equipment. In Sault Ste. Marie we are fortunate to have many organizations that deal with persons with disabilities for example,

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the Canadian National Institute for the Blind. They are only one of many that will assist with the needs of the disabled citizen.

Programs that promote safety for the groups, such as abuse victims, homelessness, or those suffering from drug/alcohol abuse are easily accessible within the community and available to anyone who is in need. We are fortunate to have emergency housing for those leaving abusive relationships. There are also telephone crisis lines available twenty-four hours a day. Counseling is provided to those who request it. The Homelessness Initiative is considering implementing a shelter for our youth and a separate shelter for men in 2003 to assist citizens within our community with a safe place to stay. We offer programs to help those released from incarceration and also those who need help with alcohol and drug problems.

Emergency Management Ontario, in conjunction with communities having hazardous materials installations, implemented the Partnership Toward Safer Communities Initiative. The purpose is to develop a community/industry partnership to address emergency preparedness and response programs directed towards hazardous materials management. Sault Ste. Marie has a joint coordinating committee co-chaired by the Sault Ste. Marie Fire Chief and Industry representative.

In addition, the Sault Ste. Marie Emergency Plan is another long term, sustainable program that covers the needs of all citizens, environments, and situations. The Emergency Plan consists of procedures to cover all situations within our community. The Emergency Operations Control Team is comprised of the following persons: Mayor, Fire Chief, Police Chief, Medical Officer of Health, and Chief Administration Officer. The Team is responsible for taking the necessary actions to control the emergency or disaster.

Sault Ste. Marie Emergency Plan:

- **Major Emergency/Disaster Plan:**
- **Emergency Communication Contingency Plan:**
- **Evacuation Plan:**
- **Marine Contingency Plan for Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Waterfront:**
- **HAZMAT (Hazardous Materials) Contingency Plan:**
- **Co-operative Winter Emergency Policy:**
- **Emergency Operations Centre (E.O.C.):**
- **Sault Ste. Marie Police Service Major Emergency/Disaster Procedures:**
- **The Emergency Operations Control Team:**

The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership, through its sub-committees, address issues related to the elderly, youth, workplaces, and our roadways. Our Strategic Plan explains our programs in detail.

Aboriginal Alcohol/Drug Prevention
Aboriginal Family Support Program
Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program
Aboriginal Healthy Babies/Healthy Children
Abuse Prevention Services
Addictions Services
And When The Bough Breaks...Children and Trauma
Barrier Free Design Consultation Services
BECOL
Child & Youth Crisis Intervention Worker
Child Safety Program
Children's Aid Society of Algoma
Children's Services
Community Counseling
Community Service Order Program

Counseling & Aftercare/Brief Service Program
Creating Lifelines by Confronting Suicide
Crisis Support Service
Crimeproofing Checklist for Children
Crimeproofing Checklist for Seniors
Crimeproofing Checklist for Women
Dealing With Crisis
Detoxification Centre
Disabilities Access Programs
Emergency Housing
Emergency Shelters
Helping Youth at Risk for Suicide
Home and Vehicle Modification Program
In-House Counseling
Men's Shelter

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Mental Disabilities Program
Metis Family Resource Centre
Native Foster Care
Physical Disabilities Program
Preventing Suicide
Seminars on Child/Parent Issues (Health & Abuse)
Stress and Anger Management
Suicide Fact Sheet
Suicide Intervention Workshop
Suicide Prevention Workshop

Telephone Crisis Line
The DesignAbility Program
Victim Information Program
Victim Notification Program
When A Young Person Is Suicidal
When Tragedy Strikes, How Can We Help?
Women And Children Walk-In Service
Youth At Home
Youth Shelter
12 Steps Programs

4. Programs that document the frequency and cause of injury.

The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Data Collection Evaluation Sub-Committee gathers data on the type of injuries and their frequency. This is an ongoing project. This information is used to identify areas of high risk and identifies target groups for the Partnership.

Information is gathered from various sources. The data allows us to look at the injuries, location injury occurred, frequency and correlations.

Data Collection:

- **Northern Health Information Partnership (NHIP) Report:**
- **Ontario Trauma Registry:**
- * **Ministry of Labour:**
- * **WSIB (Workplace Safety and Insurance Board) Lost Time Injury Report:**
- * **Traffic and Firearms Year End Statistics:**
- * **Bicycle Report:**
- **Canadian Red Cross:**
- * **WSIB Allowed Compensation Claims By a Major Nature of Injury or Illness:**
- * **WSIB Allowed Compensation Claims By Major Part of the Body:**
- * **Lost Time Injuries in Sault Ste. Marie:**
- * **Group Health Centre**
- * **Sault Area Hospital**

* We have formed partnerships with these groups and are able to obtain statistical information pertinent to particular groups and situations.

5. Evaluation measures to assess their programs, processes and the effects of change.

The data collected through the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Evaluation/Data Collection Sub-Committee indicates the performance of our health and safety initiatives. Programs are assessed based on evaluation, participant evaluation, facilitator evaluation, general feedback, statistical information and knowledge.

We have reduced workplace injuries through the safety training provided by the Partnership. Our first year participating businesses received \$188,000 in rebates from the Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB).

The Sault Area Hospital has completed their first year of “E-Coding” all the emergency room visits. They are documenting the types of injuries they treat, where the injuries happen and the age of the patients. This information will be most useful in helping to identify our high-risk targets but also as a means of measuring the effectiveness of our programmes over time.

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Surveillance of Injuries:

The Sault Area Hospital is in the development stages for E-Coded emergency records. The information. In the early stages of data collection, the Evaluation/Data Collection committee used the Algoma Community Health Status Report established in 1996, (based on data from 1986 to 1992), to determine injury issues by age and gender. The committee also used the Northern Health Information Partnership (NHIP) report (1993 to 1997). The Algoma Health Unit is the leading public health organization for Sault Ste. Marie and the District of Algoma.

Emergency Room Statistics:

- Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Evaluation/Data Collection Sub-Committee is in the process of obtaining the data for this report.

We are able to request frequency, location of injury, and correlations.

6. Ongoing participation in national and international safe community networks.

County Louth, Ireland is presently in the process of securing funding to pursue the Safe Community Designation. The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership is working closely with Louth County to mentor them towards this designation as part of our international commitments. The Partnership traveled to Ireland and made a presentation to the Louth County Development Board on both the Safe Communities concept and the Risk Watch programmes. Both were well received and we were given a verbal commitment that Louth County would pursue the designation. We were also given assurances that the Risk Watch programme would be implemented. They are presently waiting on the approval of the second phase of their grant proposal. Talks and interaction continue between Louth County and Sault Ste. Marie.

Two members of the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership has attended the Rainy River Conference on Injury Prevention.

Members of the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership attended other International Injury Prevention Conferences in Fort Francis, Canada; Dundalk, Ireland; Peterborough, Canada; Montreal, Canada; and Toronto, Canada. We plan to continue to attend International Conference and to work with other groups within the Safe Communities Network.

Safe Communities Partnership has been chosen by the Safe Communities Foundation to pilot the Passport To Safety Program for our youth. This program will be officially launched in May during our Health & Safety Celebration. We are one of three communities chosen. The Foundation will use our program as a basis for the National Passport To Safety Program.

International Commitment:

County Louth, Ireland- In May 2002, Michael Gaudette had the opportunity to make a presentation on behalf of the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership to the County Louth Development Board. Mayor John Rowswell and Councilor Caicco were also present for the presentation on Safe Communities and the Risk Watch program. The County Louth Development Board showed interest in the Safe Communities and Risk Watch program by the questions and comments made after the presentation. The Louth County Development Board agreed to put a sub-committee together to look at the logistics of pursuing the Safe Community designation.

After the meeting, Mr. Gaudette had the opportunity to meet with Mr. Eamonn McGuire, Director of Services. Mr. McGuire assured Mr. Gaudette that their Fire Services were very much interested in the Risk Watch program. The Fire Services in the Republic of Ireland are currently in negotiations with their counterparts in the North to exchange/partner with them on injury prevention. Mr. McGuire felt that Risk Watch could be incorporated into the exchange. Mr. Gaudette and Mr. McGuire discussed/compared their school systems and logistics of introducing the Risk Watch program to the schools. County Louth does not have "School Boards" as we do.

Sault Ste. Marie- September 2002, eight delegates from Ireland came to the city to tour the city and various businesses. On their first day in Sault Ste. Marie the groups toured City Hall and were guests at the Official Reception event held at City Hall. The next day they toured Algoma Steel Inc., took an arts and culture walk down Queen Street, and visited Mayor John Rowswell's summer cottage for a barbecue dinner. Mr. Gaudette met with Mr. Ronan Dennedy, Chair County Louth Development Board. County Louth is interested in the Safe Communities and Risk Watch program and has applied for funding. Talks and interaction continue between Sault Ste. Marie and County Louth.

Participation in Conferences:

Fort Francis, Canada
Dundalk, Ireland
Rainy River, Canada
Peterborough, Canada
Montreal, Canada
Toronto, Canada

Hosting Safe Community Conferences:

Health & Safety Celebration 2003, May 2003
Superior Health & Safety Conference & Trade Show

Study Visits:

Presented County Louth, Ireland with information on Safe Communities and the Risk Watch program in May 2002. Host to 8 Irish delegates in September 2002 to mentor County Louth with the establishment of Safe Communities and Risk Watch Program within their community.

The programme covers the following safety promotion activities:

Children 0-5 years:

Home:

Creating Safer Homes
Kids Prints
Healthy Babies/Healthy Children
Supervised Access Program
The Arson Prevention Program for Children (TAPP-C)
The Pool Perfect Checklist
Parent-Child Information Centre

Children's Aid Society of Algoma
Home Visiting Program
Babysitter' Fire Safety Tips
Teaching Fire Safety To Children
Fire Safety for Preschoolers
- The New Adventures of Sparky the Fire Dog Book
Baby Bathtub Program
Moms Take A Break
Kidshope's Fun & Safety Activities
"And When The Bough Breaks" ... Children and Trauma
Abuse Prevention Services (APS)
Children's Rehabilitation Centre-Algoma
Children's Services
Child Care Program
Crimeproofing Checklist for Children
Risk Watch
Safety in the Home
When Tragedy Strikes, How Can We Help
Helmet Promotion/Education
-Heds Up The Safety Cycling Activity Magazine for Kids
Child Safe Course
Crimestoppers
Play Ground Safety Checks

Traffic

"Love Me, Buckle Me Day"
Child Car Seat Safety Checks
Helmet Promotion & Education
- Heads Up! The Safety Cycling Activity Magazine for Kids
Halloween Safety Patrol Group
Kidsafe Algoma
Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Sault Traffic & Road Safety Sub-Committee
Road Safety Week
Seat Belt Safety Challenge

School

Child Care Program
Child Care Algoma
ABC's For Living
Waterfront Child Development Centre Inc.
Garden River Child Care Centre
Wee Watch Private Home Daycare (Age 6 weeks to 10 years)
Kiwani's YMCA Childcare
Marion Robb Co-operative Children's Centre
Children's Rehabilitation Centre-Algoma
Sault College Daycare
Children's Aid Society of Algoma
Full Toddler & Preschool Program
Home Visiting Program
Kidsafe Algoma
Kidshope's Fun & Safety Activities
Playground Safety Check

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Risk Watch



Soapbox Derby, Sault Ste. Marie
Having fun! Wearing the Gear!

Recreational

Aquatots

Aquaquest

YMCA L'il Dippers (Age 3-5 Years)

Splashers and Bubblers (Age 9 months – 36 months)

Kindergym (4-6 years)

Gymnastics Jamboree (4-6 years)

Toddler's Gym and Swim (Walking – 2 years)

Helmet Promotion & Education

- Heads Up! The Safe Cycling Activity Magazine for Kids

Kidsafe Algoma

Safe Wheeling Program

Water Safety Services

Bike Rodeo/Bicycles

Boating Safety

Aboriginal Community

Aboriginal Healthy Babies Healthy Children

Native Foster Care

Metis Family Resource Centre

Abuse Prevention Services

Crimeproofing Checklist for Children

Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program

Stress and Anger Management

Aboriginal Alcohol / Drug Prevention

Aboriginal Family Support Program

Child & Youth Crisis Intervention Worker

Child Safety Program

Seminars on Child/Parent Issues (Health & Abuse)

Emergency/Crisis

Emergency Housing

Women and Children Walk-In Crisis Service

Children's Services

Crimeproofing Checklist for Children

Abuse Prevention Services

And When The Bough Breaks...Children and Trauma

Programs aimed at Persons with Disabilities

Home and Vehicle Modification Program

Barrier Free Design Consultation Services

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The DesignAbility Program

Women & Children

Abuse Prevention Services
Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program
Children's Services
Crimeproofing Checklist for Children
Emergency Housing



Children 5 – 14 years:

Home

Babysitting Training
People Savers
Family Life Theatre
Child & Youth Crisis Intervention Worker
Child Safety Program
Telephone Crisis Line
Children's Services
Crimeproofing Checklist for Children
Kids Prints
Supervised Access Program
Kidsafe Algoma
Child Care Program
Child Care Algoma
Children's Aid Society of Algoma
Home Visiting
Children's Rehabilitation Centre-Algoma
Babysitter' Fire Safety Tips
Teaching Fire Safety To Children
Fire Safety for Preschoolers
 -The New Adventures of Sparky the Fire Dog Book
Helmet Promotion/Education
 -Heads Up The Safety Cycling Activity Magazine for Kids
Risk Watch
Basic Certification 1 & 2
People Savers
Child Safety Program

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Crimestoppers
Abuse Prevention Services
Safety in the Home
Creating Safer Homes
Heroes Program

Traffic

Halloween Safety Patrol Group
Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Sault Traffic & Road Safety Sub-Committee
Road Safety Week
Seat Belt Safety Challenge
Tom & Pam Program
Mock Snowmobile Crashes
Mock Vehicle Crashes
“Love Me, Buckle Me Day”
Motivational Media
School Zone
Victim Impact
Road Safety Challenge
Child Car Seat Safety Checks

School

Risk Watch
Safe Arrival Program
Tom & Pam Program
Very Important Person (V.I.P.) Program
BABES Program (Grade 1-3) (Beginning Alcohol & Addictions Basic Education Studies)
Vids for Kids Program (Grade 3-5)
Kids Against Violence (Grade 4)
ABC's For Living Program (Kindergarten, & Child Care Centres)
Aids Awareness for Kids Program (Grade 5)
Just In Case Cards (Grade 1-5)
The Arson Prevention Program for Children (TAPP-C)
BECOOL
Fire Safety In School

Recreational

Helmet Promotion/Education
-Heads Up! The Safety Cycling Activity Magazine for Kids
Safe Wheeling Program
Wilderness First Aid
Water Safety Services
On Board Program
All Terrain Vehicle Riders Course
Bike Rodeo/Bicycles

Aboriginal Community

Aboriginal Healthy Babies Healthy Children
Native Foster Care
Metis Family Resource Centre
12 Step Programs
Abuse Prevention Services (APS)

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Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program
Stress and Anger Management
Aboriginal Alcohol / Drug Prevention
Child & Youth Crisis Intervention Worker
Child Safety Program
Seminars on Child/Parent Issues (Health & Abuse)

Emergency/Crisis

Emergency Housing
Telephone Crisis Line
Women and Children Walk-In Crisis Service
In-House Counseling
Children's Services
Community Counseling
Crimeproofing Checklist for Women
Crimeproofing Checklist for Children
Victim Notification Program
Victim Information Program
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Programs aimed at Persons with Disabilities

Home and Vehicle Modification Program
Barrier Free Design Consultation Services
The DesignAbility Program
BECOOOL

Women & Children

Moms Take A Break
Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program

Homelessness

Emergency Shelters
Children's Aid Society of Algoma
Women in Crisis
Phoenix Rising



The Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership's Risk Watch in Action team

Youth 14-24 years:

Home

Child Safe Course
Crime Prevention Workshops

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The Arson Prevention Program for Children (TAPP-C)

Wilderness First Aid

Abuse Prevention Services (APS)

Stress and Anger Management

Healthy Babies/Healthy Children Program

Community Service Order Program

Supervised Access Program

Children's Rehabilitation Centre-Algoma

Children's Aid Society of Algoma

Home Visiting

Babysitter' Fire Safety Tips

Teaching Fire Safety To Children

12 Step Programs

Youth at Home

Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program

Advanced First Aid

Risk Watch

Party Pact

Basic Certification 1 & 2

People Savers

Child Safety Program

Crimestoppers

Safety in the Home

Emergency Preparedness Booklet

Traffic

First Aid for Drivers

Motivational Media

Seatbelt Safety Challenge

Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere (R.I.D.E.) Program

Speed Vision Program

Mock Snowmobile Crashes

Mock Vehicle Crashes

You Booze, You Loose

Helmet Promotion/Education

-Heads Up! The Safe Cycling Magazine for Kids

Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Sault Traffic & Road Safety Sub-Committee

Road Safety Week

Seat Belt Safety Challenge

Tom & Pam Program

"Love Me, Buckle Me Day"

Crimeproofing Checklist for Motor Vehicle Owners

School Zone

Victim Impact

Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere (R.I.D.E) Assist:

Red Ribbon Campaign

Road Safety Challenge

Child Car Seat Safety Checks

School

Abuse Prevention Services (APS)

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Safe Arrival Program
Safe Grads Program
Safety patrollers Program
Very Important Person Program (V.I.P.)
Helmet Promotion/Education
 -Heads Up! The Safe Cycling Magazine for Kids
Fire Safety In School

Occupational

Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)
Young Worker Awareness Program (YWAP)
Passport to Safety Program

Recreational

Tom & Pam Program
Helmet Promotion/Education
 -Heads Up! The Safe Cycling Magazine for Kids
On Board Program
Safe Wheeling Program
Water Safety Services
Wilderness First aid
Advanced First Aid
All Terrain Vehicle Riders Course
Bike Rodeo/Bicycles
LifeGuard Training

Aboriginal Community

Stress and Anger Management
Aboriginal Alcohol / Drug Prevention
Native Foster Care
Metis Family Resource Centre
12 Step Programs
Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program
Addictions Services
Child & Youth Crisis Intervention Worker
Aboriginal Healthy Babies/Healthy Children Program
Child Safety Program
Seminars on Child/Parent Issues (Health & Abuse)

Emergency/Crisis

Emergency Housing
Telephone Crisis Line
Women and Children Walk-In Crisis Service
In-House Counseling
Children's Services
Community Counseling
Crimeproofing Checklist for Women
Crimeproofing Checklist for Children
Victim Notification Program
Victim Information Program
Abuse Prevention Services

Emergency Preparedness Booklet
Suicide Prevention Workshop
Helping Youth At Risk for Suicide
And When the Bough Breaks...Children and Trauma
Suicide Intervention Workshop
Creating Lifelines by Confronting Suicide
When Tragedy Strikes, How Can We Help
Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training
Crisis Support Service
Preventing Suicide
Suicide Fact Sheet
When A Young Person is Suicidal
Dealing With Crisis

Women & Children

Abuse Prevention Services (APS)
Telephone Crisis Line
Community Counseling
Crimeproofing Checklist for Women

Persons with a Disability

Abuse Prevention Services (APS)
Home and Vehicle Modification Program
Barrier Free Design Consultation Services

Homelessness:

Abuse Prevention Services (APS)
Youth Shelter
Men's Shelter
Emergency Shelters
Women in Crisis
Phoenix Rising

Adult Care & Education

12 Step Programs
Community Education Program
Counseling & Aftercare/Brief Service Program
Community Service Order Program
Abuse Prevention Services (APS)
Detoxification Centre



Superior Health & Safety Conference and Trade Show organizers. Conference to take place May 7,8, 2003.

Adults 25-64 years:

Home

Abuse Prevention Services(APS)
Neighbourhood Watch
Vital Link Program
My Identification Cards (Parents)
Stress and Anger Management
Healthy Babies/Healthy Children Program
Supervised Access Program
Children's Rehabilitation Centre-Algoma
Children's Aid Society of Algoma
Home Visiting Program
Babysitter' Fire Safety Tips
Teaching Fire Safety To Children
Fire Safety for Preschoolers
 -The New Adventures of Sparky the Fire Dog Book
Party Pact
Basic Certification 1 & 2
People Savers
Child Safety Program
Crimestoppers
Safety in the Home
Emergency Response System (EARS)

Traffic

Seatbelt Safety Challenge
Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere (R.I.D.E) Program
Speed Vision Program
First Aid for Drivers
Mock Snowmobile Crashes
Mock Vehicle Crashes
You Booze, You Loose
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Road Safety Week
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Crimeproofing Checklist for Motor Vehicle Owners
School Zone
Victim Impact
Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere (R.I.D.E) Assist:
Red Ribbon Campaign
Road Safety Challenge
Child Car Seat Safety Checks

Occupational

Safe Community Incentive Program (SCIP)
Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)
Passport to Safety Program
Young Worker Awareness Program

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Basic Certification 1 & 2

Recreational

Water Safety Services
On Board Program
All Terrain Vehicle Riders Course
Safe Wheeling Program
Bike Rodeo/Bicycles

Aboriginal Community

Abuse Prevention Services (APS)
Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program
Aboriginal Alcohol/Drug Prevention
Aboriginal Family Support Program
Native Foster Care
Metis Family Resource Centre
Stress and Anger Management
Child & Youth Crisis Intervention Worker
Aboriginal Healthy Babies/Healthy Children Program
Child Safety Program
Seminars on Child/Parent Issues (Health & Abuse)

Emergency/Crisis

Emergency Alarm Response System (EARS)
Emergency Housing
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In-House Counseling
Children's Services
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Crimeproofing Checklist for Children
Victim Notification Program
Victim Information Program
Abuse Prevention Services (APS)
Emergency Preparedness Booklet
Dealing with Crisis
Suicide Prevention Workshop
Suicide Intervention Workshop
When Tragedy Strikes, How Can We Help
Helping Youth At Risk for Suicide
Creating Lifelines by Confronting Suicide
Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST)
Crisis Support Service

Women and Children

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Victim Information Program
Women in Crisis
Phoenix Rising

Persons With a Disability

Abuse Prevention Services(APS)
Home and Vehicle Modification Program
Barrier Free Design Consultation Services

Adult Care and Education

Abuse Prevention Services(APS)
Counseling & Aftercare/Brief Service Program
Community Service Order Program
Detoxification Centre
Ken Brown Recovery Home
Breton House

Homelessness

Abuse Prevention Services(APS)
Men's' Shelter
Emergency Shelters



Elderly 65+ years:

Home

Senior's Passport to Safety
"The Sault Rising Stars" Acting Troupe
- "Please Help Me I'm Falling"
Crime Proofing Checklist for Seniors
Seniors Medication Record
Life Call
Telephone Assurance
Abuse Prevention Services (APS)
Policy & Protocol Development
Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Slips, Trips, & Falls Sub-Committee
Community Counseling
Crimeproofing Checklist for Seniors
Basic Certification 1 & 2

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People Savers
Child Safety Program
Crimestoppers
Safety in the Home
Multi Media Campaign Committee

Traffic

Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Sault Traffic & Road Safety Sub-Committee
Road Safety Week
Seat Belt Challenge
Tom & Pam Program
Mock Snowmobile Crashes
Mock Vehicle Crashes
Speed Vision Program
“Love Me, Buckle Me Day”
First Aid for Drivers
Crimeproofing Checklist for Motor Vehicle Owners
School Zone
Victim Impact
Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere (R.I.D.E) Assist:
Red Ribbon Campaign
Road Safety Challenge

Recreational

Steady As You Go (SAYGO)
Water Safety Services
On Board Program
Safe Wheeling Program

Aboriginal Community

Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program
Stress and Anger Management
Aboriginal Alcohol / Drug Prevention

Persons with a Disability

Home and Vehicle Modification Program
Disabilities Access Programs
Telephone Crisis Line
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Pat Coursey, President and Paul Kells, Founder, Safe Communities Foundation present Donna Boston-McLean, Coordinator Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership the 2002 Award of Excellence for the work on falls prevention accomplished by the Slips, Trips & Falls committee.

Awards:

Safe Communities Foundation 2001 Award of Excellence

Safe Communities Partnership was recognized for their Falls Prevention for Seniors program. A strategic plan was designed to build momentum for the committee and to increase community awareness about fall-related injuries among seniors.

Publications/Produced information material, pamphlets:

- Risk Assessment Checklist
- Keep Moving...Keep Healthy
- Your Passport to Safety Checklist
- Risk Watch Safety Video
- Bicycle Helmet Commercial
- Senior's Fall Prevention Commercial

Staff:

The Partnership consists of two full time employees, 12 Board Members, and 111 volunteers. The volunteers are representatives from business, government, social agencies, safe workplace associations, emergency and medical professionals, educators, labour, and concerned citizens. It is through these partners that Sault Ste. Marie citizens receive information and programs concerning safety.

Recently the Sault Ste. Marie City Council passed a resolution (See Attachment A) to recognize Safe Communities Partnership as the umbrella organization for the promotion of injury prevention. The City Council also agreed to aid the Partnership by having one Council Member appointed to the Board of Directors and two Council Members join the World Health Organization International Designation Sub-Committee.

Detailed Alphabetical Listing of All Programs:

A

12 Step Programs: There are various programs within the community that fall under this category. The purpose of the 12 Step Programs is to help those individuals and their families deal with their addictions. There are alcohol, drug, eating disorders, gambling, and many other issues dealt with in these groups.

ABC's For Living: Thirty, age appropriate, life skills stories for children ages 3-6 emphasizing social behaviours, values and attitudes.

Aboriginal Alcohol / Drug Prevention: This program delivers various services that promote a drug/alcohol free lifestyle.

Aboriginal Healthy Babies Healthy Children: Aboriginal Healthy Babies Healthy Children program serves people in Ontario in a culturally appropriate manner. Their aim is to ensure that children and families at risk have access to services and supports.

Aquatots: Aquatots introduces infants and toddlers to the joys of water activity while developing basic skills, and teaches parents/caregivers how to ensure safety at all times.

Aquaquest: This program features water safety and swimming skills for ages three and up. It is based around three themes: prepare, stay safe, and survive.

Aids Awareness for Kids Program (Grade 5): An Aids awareness, for students age 10, focusing on the understanding and prevention of Aids.

“And When The Bough Breaks” ... Children and Trauma: This two day workshop integrates years of clinical experience and the latest research in helping children adjust to traumatic experiences. Objectives of the workshop include loss and grief; recognizing and differentiating stress, chronic stress and trauma; child/adolescent development and the impact of traumatic events/circumstances; review of biological, psychological and the social impact of trauma on the children and their systems; developing clinical strategies; and developing community strategies.

Abuse Prevention Services (APS): APS programs provide prevention education addressing issues surrounding emotional, physical and sexual abuse, neglect and relationship violence. APS Programs are delivered to youth & community members.

Aboriginal Health & Wellness Program: AHWS utilizes the holistic approach in providing services; the program achieves a healthy balance by taking into consideration all aspects of wellness, physical, mental, emotional, spiritual, and cultural needs of the individual.

Aboriginal Family Support Program: This program is aimed to improve the physical, mental, emotional, social, and spiritual well being of urban Aboriginal families.

All Terrain Vehicle Riders Course: This course teaches safe operations of all terrain vehicles.

Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST): ASIST provides practical help for caregivers seeking to prevent the immediate risk of suicide. The interactive program includes teaching, discussion, videos and skills practice.

Advanced First Aid: This program is designed for people such as firefighters, police, lifeguards, ski patrollers, and other professional rescuers as it enhances on the skills that they already have on rescue.

Addictions Services:

B

Babysitter' Fire Safety Tips: This brochure is distributed through the Sault Ste. Marie Fire Services and informs the babysitter of what to do in case of a fire while babysitting children.

Baby Bathtub Program: This program is offered to young pregnant women who are having their first child. The client completes six workbooks and attends a session on “bathing your baby”. After completion the mom-to-be receives a bathtub filled with baby items.

Babysitting Training: This program helps young people build knowledge and awareness about the responsibility of being a babysitter. They learn infant and child care skills, gain confidence when dealing with children, and learn basic first aid skills. This course is available to young people 10 years and older.

BABES (Grade 1-3) (Beginning Alcohol & Addictions Basic Education Studies): With the use of puppets, the program teaches the children self-image and feelings, peer pressure, decision making, coping skills, substance abuse, child abuse, and how and where to get help.

BECOOL: This is an anger management program for children in grades 4-6 with learning disabilities.

Barrier Free Design Consultation Services: These services provide design expertise in the development or redesign of commercial, public, and residential buildings to accommodate the needs of persons with a wide range of disabilities.

Bike Rodeo/Bicycles: This program provides a media campaign annually on bicycle safety and also gives out handouts to everyone who registers their bicycle. Citizens bring their bicycles and helmets to one location. The bicycles are checked for defects and citizens are taught how to wear their helmets properly. Bike safety tips are taught.

Bicycle Report: This report from the Sault Ste. Marie Police Service includes gender, age, type of charges laid, and if the bicycle or vehicle was at fault.

Boating Safety:

Basic Certification 1 & 2: This program educated persons on how to respond to an emergency - infants, children, and adult first aid and CPR.

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Breton House: Breton House offers young women a safe, alcohol and drug free place to stay while they are dealing with their addictions with counseling and other services offered in-home.

C

Canadian Red Cross: This includes the Summary of Water-Related Injury Fatalities by Province and Territory.

Child Care Program: The Child Care Program will provide an environment which promotes optimum development at a period when a child's growth is rapid. This program is directed to children that require extra care.

Child Care Algoma: Services in this organization include mobile family resource program, toy and equipment lending, parenting groups and prenatal nutrition support. Life skills are taught to encourage safe, healthy development.

Children's Rehabilitation Centre-Algoma: This facility is dedicated to working with families in enabling children and youth with special needs to develop their potential and to contribute as valued members of the community. Programs and services are available for children and young people (0-18 years) with long-term disabilities.

Children's Aid Society of Algoma: The purpose of the Children's Aid society of Algoma is to protect the children of Algoma and promote their well-being in a manner that reflects community standards and the spirit of related legislation, while making the most efficient use of community and society resources. Children are removed from unsafe homes and relocated to foster homes until the home is deemed safe for their return.

Child & Youth Crisis Intervention Worker: The goal of this program is to ensure the healing and wellness needs of the children and youth of the community are addressed; to reduce family violence; and promote healthy and safe lifestyles through culturally based programs.

Child Safety Program: This program teaches parents and children about preventing abduction and exploitation; how to detect sexual exploitation, child and youth self-esteem; helping a child through separation, divorce or death; and guideline for parents of missing or runaway children.

Children's Services: Residential Childcare Workers provide individual intervention, group activities, referrals, parenting skills and parental support to help prevent domestic abuse before it starts.

Crimeproofing Checklist for Children: This checklist provides information on teaching a child safety according to their age. It teaches protection abductions, preventing runaways, and advising children about how to protect themselves.

Child Safe Course: Child Safe is a dynamic eight hour workshop that teaches how to make your home a safer place, and help you handle childhood emergencies with confidence. The course also includes basic first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).

Crime Prevention Workshops: This is a one-day seminar held in November each year and deals with the most prominent crime at the time.

Community Counseling: Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Counselors provide longer-term counseling to any woman in the community.

Creating Safer Homes: The Algoma Health Unit will be providing families with children (0-6years) who have linked to the Healthy Babies/Healthy Children program with free safety devices (safety gates, outlet covers, window guards, smoke alarms, cabinet locks), installation, and education to improve in-home safety.

Crimeproofing Checklist for Women: Checklist for women to prevent robbery, assault, and rape.

Crisis Support Service: This service provides emotional and practical assistance to resolve the immediate crisis. The program coordinates with and facilitates referrals to community agencies and medical services.

Community Service Order Program: This program brings the community and the offender together by involving the community in the criminal justice system. Offenders pay back the community by performing unpaid work for non-profit community organizations as part of a sentence.

Community Education Program: Speakers present information on crime prevention through social development, criminal justice issues, offender treatment, and social issues.

Co-operative Winter Emergency Policy: The purpose of this policy is to coordinate the City of Sault Ste. Marie/Boards of Education/Day Care Centres/Nurseries and other Municipal Departments for the purpose of ensuring the safety and well being of students and citizens of the community during severe weather conditions.

Counseling & Aftercare/Brief Service Program: This program is offered for those in custody. The program helps with institutional adjustment and pre-release planning. For those re-entering the community after release the program offers a short-term counseling and information on housing, clothing, finances and other services to the individual.

Crime Proofing Checklist for Seniors: A checklist for seniors to help avoid robbery, frauds, and assault.

Crimestoppers: This program involves the community as a whole. Basically, when there is a crime witnessed a call is placed into Crimestoppers. The person is given a number and when the arrest is made the person is eligible to receive a cash reward. All calls are confidential.

Crimeproofing Checklist for Motor Vehicle Owners: Provides information on reducing the risk of theft or vandalism. This also states ways of protecting yourself on purchasing an automobile.

Child Car Seat Safety Checks: This program is offered throughout the year to ensure the safety of the children offering assistance with proper installation and use of the car seats.

College/University Residence Policy: Residents review and revise the policy to ensure safety among the residents of the local College and University.

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Creating Lifelines by Confronting Suicide: This comprehensive two-day workshop is based on the manual Northern Lifelines: A Suicide Information and Resource Manual. The basis for this workshop rests in the belief that addressing the problem of suicide for individuals, families and communities begins with understanding loss and grief issues.

D

Dealing with Crisis: With this program there is immediate emotional support and practical assistance offered to help victims cope with a crisis more effectively.

Detoxification Centre: The Detoxification Centre is available to those men who require assistance with addictions. They offer counseling, and care. They also offer free food and clothing to those who require assistance. It is also used as an emergency shelter throughout the year.

E

Emergency Housing: Safe emergency accommodation is accessible 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. The shelter provides 10 bedrooms accommodating up to 24 women and children. The shelter provides common areas, meals, basic needs, and is wheelchair accessible.

Emergency Shelters: There are at least two emergency shelters within the city. Some are only for men and others are only for women and children. Two of the emergency shelters are funded through Ontario Works and the others are privately funded.

Emergency Preparedness Booklet: This booklet lets citizens know that they should be prepared to do in case of an emergency or disaster.

Emergency Alarm Response System (EARS): E.A.R.S. is an emergency response system designed to provide some piece of mind to citizens of our community who are at risk, while also providing a rapid response from the Sault Ste. Marie Police Service.

Emergency Communication Contingency Plan: The purpose of the plan is to establish radio communications throughout the city when telephone and electrical services are not available.

Evacuation Plan: The Sault Ste. Marie Evacuation Plan provides an effective response mechanism for the safe evacuation of persons within the city and supplements the Major Emergency/Disaster Plan for the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Emergency Operations Control Team: The team is responsible for taking the necessary actions to control the Major Emergency/Disaster and will normally assemble at the Sault Ste. Marie Police Service Building or if circumstances dictate, at an alternate site, and will be comprised of the following persons: Mayor, Fire Chief, Police Chief, Medical Officer of Health, and Chief Administrative Officer.

Emergency Operations Centre (E.O.C.): The purpose of the Sault Ste. Marie Emergency Operations Centre is to provide the medium wherein a Major Emergency incident can be coordinated in conjunction with On-Scene Coordinators. In consideration of where to set up an E.O.C., careful consideration must be given to the location proximity to the Emergency Scene, capacity for those involved, facilities such as washrooms, meeting room, waiting area, kitchen facilities, communications (telephone and radio) availability and access. The purpose of the E.O.C. is to have the most senior available person from each involved agency and/or City Departments together to provide resources, expertise, support and advice to the On-Scene Coordinator

F

Full Toddler & Preschool Program: This program offers a safe, nurturing and dependable environment for children.

Fire Safety for Preschoolers: Teaching young children at risk, how to plan an escape plan, and what to do In the event of a fire.

Family Life Theatre: This program is currently developing a body image play on eating disorders. It currently takes the theatre into the local schools with focus on substance abuse related plays and discussions.

First Aid for Drivers: This course is offered to teach the participants what to do in an emergency; how to communicate with the emergency services; safety at the scene; how to perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR); first aid for the unconscious casualty, and first aid for the wounded or bleeding.

Fire Safety in Schools: Community Firemen attend each class in every school teaching fire safety tips.

G

Gymnastics Jamboree (4-6 years): This class will help promote flexibility, balance and overall body coordination encouraging safe and healthy lifestyles.

Garden River Child Care Centre: The Centre offers day care services for children aged 6 months to 6 years in a community-based setting reflecting the values and traditions of our first nation community.

H

HAZMAT (Hazardous Materials) Contingency Plan: The plan provides a response mechanism for spills of oil and other hazardous materials within the City of Sault Ste. Marie that may require action to be taken by responding forces to protect lives and property. This plan supplements the Emergency Plan and contingency plans of industries located within the

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city, as well as the Province of Ontario contingency plan for spills of oil or other hazardous materials.

Healthy Babies/Healthy Children: This program provides support services to new mothers and families. Services include teaching infant care, parents groups, links to other child and parent services and home visits.

Home Visiting Program: Children's Aid Society of Algoma provides home visits for families with child protection issues, or through voluntary involvement, and are clients of the Children's aid Society.

Helmet Promotion/Education: Heads Up! The Safety Cycling Activity Magazine for Kids: The magazine includes fun games and puzzles, colouring pages, bike safety tips and fun facts about your brain.

Halloween Safety Patrol Group: Sault Ste. Marie Police Service along with the Sault Radio Club drive throughout the city to ensure the safety of the children during Halloween.

Helping Youth At Risk for Suicide: This two hour workshop is meant for the general public and makes a good evening presentation for schools, social clubs, service groups and agencies. It addresses warning signs, symptoms, and how to help and support the youth at risk.

Home and Vehicle Modification Program: This program provides funding for home and vehicle modifications to adults with physical disabilities in Ontario.

Heroes Program: The Heroes Program was founded by Smart Risk. The program introduces youth to the concept of smart risk behavior and provides them with the simple strategies they can incorporate into their lives to substantially lower their risk of injury. Heroes are brought to our community on a regular basis.

I

Infant Development Program: This program supports families with children 0-3 years of age who may be at risk for or have delays in their development.

In-House Counseling: Supportive counseling is provided to women staying at the shelter; options and alternatives are explored to help the residents make choices about their situation.

J

Just In Case Cards (Grade 1-5): A small card/booklet available for children ages 6-10 to keep emergency and important phone numbers in their hands.

K

Kids Prints: This is a free, child safety and fingerprinting program offered by the Ontario Provincial Police (Sault Detachment); Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Sault Ste. Marie Police Services, Canada Customs and Canada Immigration. The program is very unique in Canada as all of the Police Agencies are involved.

Kidshope's Fun & Safety Activities: This group provides activities for children ages 3-10 at community events throughout the year such as, car seat checks.

Kindergym (4-6 years): Kindergym is based on a weekly theme and includes gym time, art and a play swim, building confidence, developing gross and fine motor skills, enhancing creativity and encouraging healthy, safe and positive social skills are emphasized in this program.

Kidsafe Algoma: This organization is a non profit coalition of volunteers and agencies who are working to create a safer community for our children through awareness and education programs such as, playground safety checks, car seat safety programs, and bicycle safety programs.

Kiwanis YMCA Childcare: A licensed, quality childcare in a safe, nurturing environment that fosters independence and a positive attitude toward health, safety and life skills development.

Kids Against Violence (Grade 4): A two lesson teaching presentation on violence and anger management for children age 9.

Ken Brown Recovery Home: This centre offers a safe, alcohol and drug free home for men who are dealing with their addictions.

L

Life Call: This is a simple communication device to ensure a client has 24 hour service in the event of an emergency.

Lost Time Injuries in Sault Ste. Marie: The data collected in this report comes from the Ministry of Labour and Workplace Safety and Insurance Board. The report includes the year and nature of the injury along with the industry.

“Love Me, Buckle Me Day”: This program is to promote child car seat clinics and public education as part of the provinces Seat Belt Campaign. The community is encouraged to attend the clinic and have their car seats inspected free of charge. Parents are also shown how to install their car seats properly.

Life Guard Training:

M

Major Emergency/Disaster Plan: Whenever a major emergency/disaster occurs which affects the lives and property of citizens, the initial and prime responsibility for providing immediate assistance rests with the local Municipal Government. This plan is designed to ensure the

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effective coordination of Municipal, District, Community, and volunteer services in a major emergency/disaster to normalise the situation and bring it under control as quickly as possible.

Marine Contingency Plan for Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Waterfront: The objective of the Marine Contingency Plan is to ensure the effective utilisation of all available resources in times of Emergency. The Emergency Marine Headquarters will be the Ministry of Natural Resources Waterfront location, if deemed necessary, or on any vessel that is deemed satisfactory by all parties concerned.

Marion Robb Co-operative Children's Centre: This is a 39-space licensed childcare, including 6 spaces for special need kids.

Metis Family Resource Centre: The purpose of the resource centre is to improve the emotional, physical, social, and spiritual well-being of Metis people, especially children at risk and persons with disabilities and/or chronic illness, and to ensure that all Metis people reach their full potential.

Ministry of Labour: The WSIB provides information on lost time injuries in Sault Ste. Marie.

Moms Take A Break: This group has been designed to provide moms with a relaxed, safe place to meet other moms in similar life circumstances, while children are taken care of in a supervised child care room.

Motivational Media: This is a company based out of Alberta that provides motivational presentations to groups all over the country on issues facing our youth. The message revolves around impaired issues and life choices for students. It uses current issues and occurrences to teach our children how to make the right choices. This has been very well received and each year we bring it to both the school boards in our community.

Mock Snowmobile Crashes: Snowmobile crashes are set up in an appropriate area within the city. One vehicle usually involves a drunk driver. This method is used to remind drivers of the dangers of impaired driving.

Mock Vehicle Crashes: Vehicle crashes are set up in appropriate areas within the city, usually involving a drunk driver. This method is used to remind drivers of the dangers of impaired driving.

My Identification Cards (Parents): A card for each child in the family 16 and under to keep an up-to-date record for emergencies and other situations.

Men's' Shelter: The men's shelter will be available for men aged 20 years and up. Their length of stay is yet to be determined. The shelter will be available to all men including men released from incarceration and also abuse victims.

Multi Media Campaign Committee: This committee is responsible for developing and implementing a district wide multi media campaign aimed at increasing awareness of the risks of falls and strategies to prevent them. Target audience is older adults, caregivers and veterans. Intermediaries (physicians and pharmacists) are also included.

N

Native Foster Care: Foster Parents provide a safe and nurturing environment for the child after being removed from an unsafe home environment while the child remains connected to his/her kin and receives spiritual and cultural guidance.

Neighbourhood Watch: This program is aimed at reducing crime within the community. Good neighbours working together; alert to the potential of crime and willing to look out for one another's interests.

Northern Health Information Partnership (NHIP) Report: This report includes information on the leading cause of death by gender for Algoma, death by cause of injury by percentage for Algoma, potential years of life lost – North-eastern Ontario, potential years of life lost by injury category – North-eastern Ontario, Algoma District ICD Chapters, potential years of life lost by injury category – Algoma District.

O

Ontario Trauma Registry: This registry includes injury from falls in the elderly.

Orientation and Mobility Training: The Orientation and Mobility Training program is available to help individuals acquire the confidence they need to develop independent travel skills and white cane techniques.

On Board Program: The Canadian Red Cross teaches the program to help boaters understand the legal responsibilities of boating, how to best operate and maintain the boat, and how to save lives if there is a boating mishap.

P

Parent-Child Information Centre: Public Health Nurses and mothers with young children meet to discuss prenatal health, breastfeeding, infant nutrition, immunization, play and safety, speech and language, and parenting concerns.

Preventing Shaken Baby Syndrome: this handout with useful facts for preventing the injury to the child is delivered through a local pregnancy center to all parents and caregivers.

People Savers: People Savers is a basic first aid course for children aged 6 –12 years. This program offers continuous and consistent reinforcement of injury prevention and emergency action throughout the childhood years. Children learn how to check for safety, to call for help, and how to care for an injured person.

Passport to Safety Program: The program is brought to the community through the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Youth Sub-Committee. This program was designed to heighten the awareness of young workers about safety issues in the workplace. It is an initiative to register all health and safety courses taken by young people in one central system. Once a Passport to Safety is awarded, each holder is able to add electronic “stamps” to their core Passport. The program will link the students to thousands of other programs offered by

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hundreds of organizations. The Passport Program is a training program to broaden the scope of safety awareness for young workers.

“Please Help Me I’m Falling”: This is a theatre performance from “The Sault Rising Stars” seniors group. This performance of falls prevention is very well received throughout the District of Algoma.

Policy & Protocol Development: This sub-committee goal is to develop a standardized falls risk assessment tool for the community. They have been trained to implement the InterRai Risk Assessment tool and are associated with a local research project.

Party Pact: This program gives the Police Service authorization to enter a home where a teen party is out of control.

Playground Safety Checks: Materials have been developed and made available to the general public to ensure safety in the playground for children.

Preventing Suicide: This pamphlet lists who are at risk of suicide and what the danger signs are. It also talks about ways to prevent suicide, what to do following a suicide attempt and what you can do if you are feeling suicidal.

Phoenix Rising Women’s Centre: The Centre offers a comfortable, safe environment for women and their children. It is a friendly place to give and receive support and have an opportunity to share experiences and to work toward making changes for themselves.

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Risk Watch: The Risk Watch program is delivered to children through the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Risk Watch Sub-Committee. This program was created to help children (Junior Kindergarten to Grade 8) promote, practice, and apply learned skills to make safe choices. The program includes fire and burn prevention; choking, suffocation and strangulation prevention; falls prevention; poisoning prevention; and bicycle and pedestrian safety, water safety, motor vehicle safety, fire arms safety, winter safety, and train and rail safety.

Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere (R.I.D.E) Program: The Sault Ste. Marie Police Service and Ontario Provincial Police set up stops throughout the city and exits out of town, stopping drivers to check for intoxicated drivers. This is executed heavily during the holiday season.

Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere (R.I.D.E) Assist: A volunteer accompanies Police Services on a R.I.D.E. program to reach the public directly and reward sober drivers.

Red Ribbon Campaign: This is a five-week campaign that is run at Christmas time to promote sober driving during the holidays.

Road Safety Challenge: This is a province wide campaign to reduce road-related injuries. Statistics are gathered and compared to previous years and awards are issued to the safest communities. There are also awards for unique events promoting safety.

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Sault Ste. Marie Police Service Major Emergency/Disaster Procedures: This is a checklist for First Officer on scene, First Supervisor on scene, On Duty Staff Sergeant, Senior Officers, On-Scene Commander, and C.E.R.B. Operators. The checklist provides measures to be taken when assessing the scene with caution.

Supervised Access Program: This program was developed for parents to have court-ordered access to their child(ren) to ensure the safety of the children. The program is child centered and has a collection of age appropriate art and craft supplies, toys, games and books.

Splashers and Bubblers (Age 9 months – 36 months): This program is geared to help children learn skills such as water entry, bubble blowing, front and back kicking, floating, underwater exploration and much more.

Sault College Daycare: Daycare services are provided to students for their children aged 18 months to 5 years. The Centre is staffed by qualified Child Development Educators who are assisted by students. The centre provides care and education for young children through a program designed to nurture their potential, curiosity, interest and encouraging/teaching safety and life skills.

Safe Arrival Program: This program is for all elementary school students and their families. If the student is going to be late or absent, the school asks to be notified. Ensured that when a student is absent or late if the school receives no call then the school places a call home and will notify the police if necessary. This program is to ensure the safety of our children.

Stress and Anger Management: This program teaches how to identify triggers, how to avoid the triggers, and also the different types of abuse; why people abuse others; neglect; and information on where to go and who to call.

Suicide Fact Sheet: This fact sheet list reasons why people take their own lives, what the danger signs are, what you can do to prevent suicide, and what you can do if you are feeling suicidal.

Suicide Prevention Workshop: This workshop provides an opportunity to examine personal response to loss; study normal and complicated grief; be aware of how an understanding of normal grief can be applied to special grief situations such as suicide; develop grief facilitation skills; and recognize and practice self-care.

Seatbelt Safety Challenge: This is an annual event that takes place at different main thoroughways in the city. Volunteers stand at the side and collect statistics on seat belt usage on the road. Current statistics show that 88% of drivers wear their seatbelts in our community.

Speed Vision Program: Speed Vision uses the Portable Speed Awareness Radar Unit that operates all year long. The unit is used for education, awareness and occasionally

enforcement. It is also used to assist in the collection of statistics for both Police Services within the city.

Seminars on Child/Parent Issues (Health & Abuse): The Metis Nation of Ontario holds seminars for diabetes, Aids/HIV, healthy babies, gambling, substance abuse, and parenting.

Suicide Intervention Workshop: This workshop is a two day intensive, participatory course designed to help caregivers recognize and assess persons at risk, and master a model for effective suicide intervention.

Steady As You Go (SAYGO): An exercise program for seniors. The goal of the program is to keep seniors flexible and healthy and teach them the steps to preventing falls.

Senior's Passport to Safety: This is a booklet given to the seniors that includes checklists for all parts of their home, including their garage and outside. This checklist helps them to recognize and repair all potential hazards in their homes.

Seniors Medication Record: This is a booklet given to the seniors to mark down their medication, the date, instructions, and why they need to take the medication. The booklet also includes personal information along with their blood type and medical history. It is an excellent resource for doctors.

Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Slips, Trips, & Falls Sub-Committee: The goal of the committee is to reduce the occurrence of falls leading to hospitalization, injury or death in older adults. This committee and it's sub-committees oversee and or implement the activities of the Health Canada/Veterans affairs project "Falls Prevention Initiative Phase II".

Safety in the Home: Materials have been developed and made available to the general public to promote safety in the home for children.

Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Sault Traffic & Road Safety Sub-Committee Road Safety Week: This is an annual event that has taken place for the past six years. Each year it is comprised of a variety of activities, which also includes the annual Road Safety Challenge. Some of the activities that make up the week include: road safety rally, bicycle scavenger hunt, car seat safety clinics, bicycle rodeos, presentations, mock crashes, driving clinics, truck safety events among others. Each year the activities revolve around current driving issues as identified throughout the year.

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School Zone: Speed limits are decreased in school zones and at different times of the school year, fines are doubled in all school zones. This is to increase awareness for safety for our children and youth.

Safe Community Incentive Program (SCIP): The SCIP program is brought to the community through the Sault Ste. Marie Safe Communities Partnership Safe Work, Sound Business Sub-Committee. The SCIP program promotes safety in the workplace. Participating firms gain access to health and safety training programs, resources, and health and safety

experts to assist them in creating a safer workplace. There are two categories covered in the training: Safe Workplace Awareness Program (SWAP) and Tier 2 Training.

Safety Patrollers Program: This program teaches road crossing and bus patrolling safety to all elementary schools and adult crossing guards.

Safe Grads Program: This program involves a member of FOCUS Anti-Drug Coalition to host a high school graduates media contest focusing on Safe Grads messages.

Safe Wheeling Program: Safe Wheeling is an educational program designed for bicycles, skateboards, and in-line skates. There are three programs geared to different age groups, all promoting safety to children and presented to all the area schools.

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The Arson Prevention Program for Children (TAPP-C): This program is offered for children (2-17). The Sault Ste. Marie Fire Department and various service groups throughout the city present this course to children and adults. The Fire Department administers the educational component of the program and the mental health professionals assess and treat the offenders. The purpose of the program is to educate children and their family about fire and how to develop fire safety practices.

The Pool Perfect Checklist: This checklist is available for all pool owners. It provides safety issues and helpful advice on how to make your pool “Pool Perfect” to prevent injuries and drowning with children and adults.

Toddler’s Gym and Swim (Walking – 2 years): This program is designed to boost independence and confidence while developing the child’s gross and fine motor skills.

Teaching Fire Safety To Children: This brochure is distributed by the Sault Ste. Marie Fire Services and includes tips for adults about teaching fire safety to their children.

The New Adventures of Sparky the Fire Dog Book: This comic book is delivered by the Sault Ste. Marie Fire Services to the children within the community. Sparky delivers the messages of fire safety for children throughout the comic book.

Tom & Pam Program: The Sault Ste. Marie program has received the highest honor for a Safety Program in North America. Every Fall during school bus safety week all partners involved patrol the school zone. They stop traffic and hand out to each motorist an envelope containing a safety message from the children in the district. The message is to watch out for the big yellow school bus. Unfortunately, shortly after the award to the program the provincial government cancelled all funding for the program. We are currently looking for a way to keep this program funded.

Telephone Crisis Line: Crisis workers are available to respond to crisis calls 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

The DesignAbility Program: The DesignAbility Program matches volunteers with backgrounds in engineering and design with people with physical disabilities who require devices that are not available on the open market.

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“The Sault’s Rising Stars” Acting Troupe: This group of seniors performs lighthearted safety focused vignettes to seniors and adults throughout the District of Algoma. Their performances have been enthusiastically received as far north as Wawa, to the east in Elliot Lake and at multiple venues in Sault Ste. Marie. The troupe’s unique method of delivering safety messages via their performance and personal stories have established them as a sought after entertainers.

Telephone Assurance: This is a free program that Red Cross volunteers provide by having telephone contact, on days when letter carriers are not making their normal deliveries, such as on weekends and holidays to ensure their safety.

Traffic and Firearms Year End Statistics: This report from the Sault Ste. Marie Police Service includes motor vehicle collisions-collisions investigated, motor vehicle collision enforcement, R.I.D.E. program.

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Very Important Person (V.I.P.) Program: This program is offered by the Sault Ste. Marie Police Service and is taught in the schools. The program teaches the children how to deal with peer pressure, drug & alcohol abuse, and to learn how to build self-esteem and personal safety.

Vids for Kids Program (Grade 3-5): Teaches kids (with videos) about body wellness, feelings and emotions, building self-esteem, personal safety and well being, values and attitudes, developing caring relationships, multi-culturalism, choices and consequences, coping and alternative solutions and leisure time.

Vital Link Program: Red Cross teaches citizens of the community how to respond to an emergency.

Victim Notification Program: This program provides information to anyone affected by a crime in the Province of Ontario. The information can be about general criminal justice, information about victim services, or case specific/offender information.

Victim Information Program: This program provides information to victims, their families, and/or representatives on Federal Offenders.

Victim Impact: This is a court assigned program where convicted drivers have to attend a three-hour session on the impact of drunk driving.

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Waterfront Child Development Centre Inc.: This is a non-profit, licensed day nursery that is staffed by Early Childhood Educators. The Centre strives to provide a safe, secure, and

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stimulating environment for children that encourages development of self-confidence, self-esteem and feelings of self-worth. The Centre provides activities that meet the developmental needs of all children, including their physical, intellectual, creative, emotional and social needs.

Wee Watch Private Home Daycare (Age 6 weeks to 10 years): This agency offers private in home daycare at locations throughout Sault Ste. Marie. Wee Watchers caters to growth, development and well-being of the children, by designing enjoyable and stimulating daily programmes in a nurturing and safe home environment.

When a Young Person is Suicidal: This pamphlet tells the reader what the signs are and what they can do to prevent the young person from committing suicide.

Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS): This program offers hazard specific WHMIS training for those who may be exposed or using hazardous materials.

Wilderness First Aid: This course is available to individuals 16 years of age and older. It covers the skills taught in the standard first aid course but teaches the course from the aspect of being injured in remote areas that have no medical assistance.

Women and Children Walk-In Crisis Service: Crisis workers are at the shelter and available to help at any time.

When Tragedy Strikes, How Can We Help: This two hour workshop is developed for the general public. Participants gain knowledge in areas such as loss and grief, trauma and importantly strategies for supporting those who are impacted by traumatic loss using the SPEND model (Safety, Physical, Emotional, Needs, Direction).

Water Safety Services: Public information and instruction in all aspects of water safety are provided through this program. The intent is to help people of all ages and abilities gain the knowledge and skills necessary to be safe in, on or around the water.

WSIB (Workplace Safety and Insurance Board) Lost Time Injury Report: the Ministry of Labour and Industrial Accident Prevention Association obtained The report. The report includes claims of length of service, claims by age, WSIB allowed compensation claims by major nature of injury or illness, WSIB allowed compensation claims by major part of body, WSIB allowed compensation claims by major source of injury or illness, and WSIB allowed compensation claims by major event of injury or illness.

WSIB Allowed Compensation Claims By a Major Nature of Injury or Illness: Industrial Accident and Prevention Association provide This data. The data includes a description of the injury with the amount of claims, costs, and days lost including averages.

WSIB Allowed Compensation Claims By Major Part of the Body: Industrial Accident and Prevention Association provides this data. It includes a description of the injury with the amount of claims, costs, and days lost with averages.

Women In Crisis: Women In Crisis is a safe emergency shelter for women with or without children to stay when they have no where else to go and are in a crisis situation.

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YMCA L'il Dippers (Age 3-5 Years): This program orientates the young child to movement in a water environment, assist him/her to experience the buoyant qualities of water, introduce elementary movement skills, develop comfort and confidence in the water and to expose the child to water safety knowledge.

Young Worker Awareness Program (YWAP): Delivered using videos and other materials, trained instructors will go to any Ontario High School and give students the information they need to protect their health and safety on the job.

Youth Shelter: The need for a youth shelter was identified in the Community Plan for the homelessness initiative in the city. The Social Services Solution Council is looking to implement the shelter in 2003. The shelter will house both male and female youths aged 16-19 years old. The duration of stay is yet to be determined. All youth orientated agencies will be involved in the admittance of any youth.

You Booze, You Loose: Alcohol liability support manual for teens and other holding alcohol-related events.

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