RESOURCES FOR WOMEN AND FAMILIES

with mental health and/or substance use challenges in pregnancy and with babies up to 2 years of age

SUPPORT FOR ABORIGINAL/INDIGENOUS FAMILIES ABORIGINAL EARLY YEARS (DROP IN PLAY GROUP)

T: 250 465 9944

Tuesdays & Wednesdays 9am to 11.45am at Courtenay Elementary

T: 250 339 4545

K'OMOKS FIRST NATION PRECIOUS BEGINNINGS

Provides programs and supports in pregnancy and up to 2 years post natal.

UPPER ISLAND WOMEN OF NATIVE ANCESTRY (UIWONA) T: 250 334 9591

Programs and services.

HUMMINGBIRDS

Games, toys, snacks and story-telling by Aboriginal Elders. Open to all families and caregivers.

ABUSE AND VIOLENCE

TRANSITION SOCIETY Counselling, Group Housing (Lilli House & Amethyst House).

> **RECLAIMING OUR LIVES** Free drop in program

ANXIETY AND DEPRESSION

COMOX VALLEY MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE

Drop in intake.

PUBLIC HEALTH Daily intake 8.30am to 4.30pm, 7 days a week

PACIFIC POSTPARTUM SOCIETY

Telephone coaching for women and partners

CLINICAL COUNSELLORS

Private pay and Employee Assistance Program

T: 250 338 7793 Monday mornings 10am Wachiay Friendship Centre 1625 McPhee Ave, Courtenay

T: 250 897 0511

T: 250 897 0511 Wednesdays 9am to 10.30am 625 England Ave, Courtenay

T: 250 331 8524 Monday to Friday 9am to 12pm and 1pm to 3pm (Wednesdays from 1pm to 2pm) 441C England Ave, Courtenay

T: 250 331 8520 Call for a same day appointment 961 England Ave, Courtenay

www.postpartum.org TF: 1 885 255 7999

For a list of clinical counsellors www.bc-counsellors.org

EATING DISORDERS

NORTH ISLAND REGIONAL EATING DISORDER PROGRAM Comox Valley Hospital Adult patients can call program therapist at **T: 250 331 5900 ext 65325**

T: 250 331 8520

961 England Ave, Courtenay

FEEDING

GRIEF AND LOSS

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING Breastfeeding drop in 10am - 12pm Thursdays Call to make same day appointment

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GRACE BABY LOSS GROUP T: 250 334 7252 Individual or group peer support amanda@gracesupportgroup.com www.facebook.com/ groups/960142050713265/ **COMOX VALLEY HOSPICE SOCIETY** T: 250 339 5533 Free counselling for loss and grief **MOTHERING YOUR HEART** www.facebook.com/ Facebook page motheringyourheart/ HOUSING WACHIAY FRIENDSHIP CENTRE T: 250 338 7793 **INCOME RELATED FORMS DISABILITY ALLIANCE BC** T: 1800 663 1278 Advocacy Access Program WACHIAY FRIENDSHIP CENTRE T: 250 338 7793

NURSE NIGHTINGALE CONSULTINGT: 250 339 3035Maggie St Aubrey RN, private pay

FAMILY CARE & SUPPORT

COMOX VALLEY FAMILY SERVICES - HEALTHY FAMILIES PROGRAM Support for women and families from pregnancy to 6 years	T: 250 338 7575
COMOX VALLEY CHILD DEVELOPMENT AGENCY	T: 250 338 4288
MINISTRY OF CHILD AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT	T: 250 334 5820
VALLEY CHILD guide to events and services for kids under 6 in the Comox Valley	www.child.ca

NUTRITION

THE COMOX VALLEY FOOD BANK	T: 250 338 0615
WOMEN'S DROP IN LUNCH At the Transition Society	T: 250 871 7577 Tuesdays 11.30am to 1.30pm. 625 England Ave
PARENTING SUPPORTS	
PEER PARENTING SUPPORT FORCE: Society for Kids Mental Health	T:855 887 8004
PARENTING COURSES	
Comox Valley Transition Society	T: 250 871 7577
Triple P Parenting Program at CVCDA	T: 250 338 4288
Nobody's Perfect at Comox Valley Family Services	T: 250 338 7575
YOUNG PARENTS PROGRAM Today N' Tomorrow Learning Society Accessible to families completing high school or college	T: 250 338 8445
GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN	T: 250 338 4288 Mondays 10 to 11:30 am. Comox Valley Transition Society
	625 England Ave, Courtenay
COMOX VALLEY DOULAS Provide labour support before, during and immediately after the birth of a baby.	www.comoxvalleydoulas.com
SUBSTANCE USE	
COMOX VALLEY MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE Withdrawal management program, addiction services EARLY RECOVERY PROGRAM Referral (walk in, phone). No wait list. Monday to Friday. Must be 24 hours sober.	T: 250 331 8524 Monday to Friday 9am to 12pm and 1pm to 3pm (Wednesdays from 1pm to 2pm) 441C England Ave, Courtenay
HEALTH CONNECTIONS CLINIC	T: 250 331 8502
@ the Nursing Centre	To make an appointment
Includes Opioid Agonist Therapy (OAT) methadone, suboxone	with a nurse. Drop in Monday, Wednesday, Friday 1 to 4pm
TRANSITION SOCIETY	T: 250 897 0511
STEPPING STONES RECOVERY HOUSE FOR WOMEN	T: 250 897 0360
VANCOUVER ISLAND NORTH NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS	T: 1 844 484 6772
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS	T: 250 331 8524

SLEEPING

PUBLIC HEALTH Daily intake 7 days a week 8.30am to 4.30pm 7 days a week

CARING FOR KIDS

CANADIAN PEDIATRIAC SOCIETY

T: 250 331 8520 Call to make a same day appointment

www.caringforkids.cps.ca

ONLINE TOOLS AND RESOURCES

REPRODUCTIVE MENTAL HEALTH Fact Sheets on reproductive phases and mental health Self care modules

PACIFIC POST PARTUM SUPPORT SOCIETY

Telephone and group support for women and partners

ANXIETY CANADA

Resources and self help

OPEN MIND BC

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www.reproductivementalhealth.ca

www.postpartum.org

www.anxietycanada.com

www.openmindbc.ca

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