

Space Survey Results

Overview

- 22 questions asked where the Primary barrier was space availability
- 19 organizational responses
- 70% of respondents were non-profits
- Potential for 8,500+ individuals could be served
- Age-continuum would all receive more services

POPULATION SEGMENT	# OF RESPONSES (n=69)
Infants	8
Children	14
Youth	17
Families	12
Parents	10
Seniors	7
Other: Youth service providers, teachers etc.	1

Space needs and potential for new / more services

- 16 respondents selected 40 different areas of service if space was available
- Mental Health and Substance Abuse was most common (17.5%)
- Sport and Recreation (12.5%) was second highest
- Other services are stated in chart here
- Types of space question – most cited was office space and group space (multi-use)
- Others: smaller group spaces, meeting rooms, gym, shared work spaces
- 25% indicated a need for outdoor spaces
- Rankings for space provided for Langford, Colwood, Highlands, Sooke, Metchosin, View Royal, Port Renfrew
- Prevalent features were residential proximity and school proximity
- Majority looking for longer-term space access (12 months plus)
- Lots of great comments regarding needs in the communities in the report
- 11 of 13 respondents are interested in meeting now to discuss a plan

Services with 3 Responses Each	Services with 2 Responses Each	Services with 1 Response Each	Services with No Responses
Before/after school care	Arts & Culture	Childcare	Commerce/business (i.e., retail, restaurant)
Cultural activities	Clinical counselling	Community living support	Cultural centres
Social Services	Education Services (i.e., public, private, tutoring)	Newcomer & settlement services	Faith / religious group
	Employment services	Youth Justice	Post-Secondary Education
	Housing (including supportive housing)		Service Club
	Primary Health Care		
	Youth-serving Club (e.g., Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, Youth Centre)		

Next steps

- Coordinate a meeting of agencies and any key stakeholders
- Develop and action plan to address the immediate needs – find solutions