MEDIA ADVISORY

Getting to the Roots: Exploring Systemic Violence against Women in the Downtown Eastside of Vancouver

A coalition of women-serving organizations will hold a press conference to release their report on violence against women in Vancouver’s Downtown Eastside. The report “Getting to The Roots” is a result of participatory action research carried out by women of the community. Coalition members will speak to the findings and action items growing out of the research.

The coalition members are:

Aboriginal Front Door
Atira Women’s Resource Society
BCCDC Nursing Outreach
Battered Women’s Support Services
Carnegie Community Centre
Downtown Community Health Centre
Downtown Eastside Women’s Centre
February 14th Women’s Memorial March Committee

Inner City Women’s Resource Society
PACE Society,
Raincity Housing
The Bloom Group
Union Gospel Mission
Vancouver Native Health
WISH Drop-In Centre Society.

WHEN:       Friday, November 7, 2014 - 10:00 am
WHERE:      WISH Drop-In Centre Society
            334 Alexander Street Vancouver, BC

HOW:        For interviews or additional information please contact:

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