

## Infant Development Program



The AiMHi Infant Development Program (IDP) provides support to children from birth to three years, who are at risk for, or who already have a delay in any developmental area. We are a home visiting program and anyone can make referrals to our program.

- IDP is for families looking for information and support about their child's development and behavior.
- For more information please contact [idp@aimhi.ca](mailto:idp@aimhi.ca).

## Children's LifeSkills

Children (age 0-18) who have special needs are referred by the Children and Youth with Special Needs (CYSN) Team.

To get a referral to this program, call CYSN at 250-565-4151 and speak to a Social Worker.

Parents then meet with the Lifeskills Instructor and sign a contract for their child. Contract goals for the child are defined by the parents and social worker.

These can include independent living skills, social skills, traffic safety, hygiene, transitioning to adulthood, etc.



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# Children's Programs at AiMHi

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## Children's Residential Services

We provide opportunities for children who have special needs to receive residential services in homes within the community. Each home is designed to support children and/or youth in the development of an appropriate repertoire of life skills that improves their immediate and future well-being. The homes are intended to be a child's home through their childhood and through transition to their adult life and meet any specialized needs they may have.

This service offers up to 24 hour support as required by skilled and experienced AiMHi employees. The homes offer the same features as any home where children live, such as indoor and outdoor play space, activities, a fenced back yard, common space and a room of your own!

## Children's Residence "A home away from home"

Children's Residence provides support and relief services for families of children who have a mental, physical or sensory disability, up to the age of 19.

The residence is staffed 24 hours a day by skilled and experienced AiMHi employees. The atmosphere resembles that of a home, including single and double bedrooms, a dining room, a large fenced yard, and ample space for play activities.

We welcome your children to stay during the following times:

- Parental relief
- Emergencies

For more information contact  
Children's Residence at  
(250) 563-2260

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## Skill Building Library

The Skill Building Library is a community library of toys and educational material for children, from birth to 19 years.

Located in the AiMHi building, it is open to the public during AiMHi office hours – Monday to Friday 8:30 to 5:00 PM.

## Family Support Services

### Accessing Services

*Available to all families through the Children and Youth with Special Needs Program.*

The Family Support Program is a community and home based service in which the parents are the chief decision makers.

Staff will be aware of and respect family lifestyle and culture.

Confidentiality will be respected in all matters.

Services are provided 7 days a week on a flexible schedule that meets the needs of the family.