

Join our Seniors Advisory Task Force – Reach Out to Seniors Facing Abuse

The BC Centre for Elder Advocacy and Support (BC CEAS) is seeking volunteers aged 55+ for our Seniors Advisory Task Force (SATF). SATF members will help develop and present a workshop about how to help a friend who is experiencing elder abuse.

The SATF will work together to:

- Suggest improvements to a Financial Literacy 101 workshop
- Develop a new workshop about how to help an older friend who is being abused
- Develop a training process for future volunteer facilitators
- Collect feedback from seniors through focus groups & pilot workshops
- Deliver workshops about elder abuse in the community

Commitment & Time Frame:

- Up to a two-year commitment (with the ability to terminate the volunteer agreement anytime during this period)
- Monthly meetings for up to two hours in Downtown Vancouver (last Tuesday of every month, 11:30 am – 1:00 pm)
- Additional time for leading focus groups and workshops

What We Are Seeking:

- Knowledge of elder abuse and/or a desire to learn more about this issue
- Spoken and written communication skills (including listening skills)
- Fluency in languages other than English (an asset!)
- Teamwork
- Presentation & public speaking skills
- Sensitivity to social issues

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What We Can Offer:

- Training on elder abuse and the resources available to BC seniors
- The chance to contribute to publications that will be launched throughout British Columbia
- Experience in committee work and facilitation
- Semi-annual training from a BC CEAS Legal Advocate
- Coffee and donuts
- Friendship, fun, and appreciation of your contribution

To apply or to learn more, please contact:

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