

## **BC CENTRE FOR ABILITY FOUNDATION PURPOSE, MISSION, VISION, AND VALUES**

The BC Centre for Ability Foundation engages donors, businesses, organizations, government, local leaders, and passionate individuals in raising funds for grants and programs delivered by the Centre. All funds raised serve the BC Centre for Ability Association's mandate to provide community-based services for children, youth, and adults with diverse abilities and to foster greater equity and inclusion in society and within all aspects of their lives.

The Foundation harnesses energy, ideas, time, and money from a growing community of support to raise awareness of the Centre's essential mandate and to sustain its positive impacts in communities throughout the province of BC.

The Foundation acknowledges the intersectionality of the people served and ensures that the support provided by the Foundation attends to the needs of the community including but not limited to Indigenous peoples, people of colour, people of all gender identities and expressions, sexual orientation, and place of origin.

### **Our Purpose**

To champion the Centre's services that include people with diverse abilities in an increasingly equitable society, helping them to live, grow and thrive in their communities.

### **Our Mission**

To raise diversified, incremental financial resources and provide infrastructure to support and sustain the BC Centre for Ability.

### **Our Vision**

To expand the capacity for the BC Centre for Ability's delivery of excellence and innovation in the community.

### **Our Values**

**Philanthropy** – We promote a culture of community giving and integrity as the responsible stewards of gifts, assets and funds entrusted in our care.

**Equality** – We create resources with an intent of fair and sustainable access for diverse communities and all people.

**Partnership** – We establish collaborations of mutual value, supporting innovation and positive constructive change in the best interests of BC Centre for Ability.