

Creating a Crime Free Environment

- Attend the Crime Free Manager Workshop.
- Think and be proactive in your management.
- Clear communication of acceptable behaviour to residents. Be consistent.
- Document, document, document
- Be prepared to follow-through on RTA actions (warnings, breach letters, evictions).
- Take the time to screen residents; do not let standards slip on anyone, (ie friend or relative of long-time tenant requires same screening process).
- Recognize quickly if behaviour is not appropriate or a contract breach has occurred and act swiftly to address.
- Provide a safe environment by keeping up maintenance on property.
- If you don't have a Crime Free coordinator, attend the workshop and implement strategies regardless; write a letter to your Mayor & Police requesting they implement the program; contact the BC Crime Prevention Association to initiate one in your area.

Municipalities Currently Involved in CFMH:

- Abbotsford
- Burnaby
- Chilliwack & Hope
- Coquitlam, Port Coquitlam, Port Moody
- Langley
- Maple Ridge & Pitt Meadows
- New Westminster
- North Vancouver
- Surrey
- West Vancouver
- White Rock
- Vancouver
- Victoria
- Campbell River, Nanaimo
- Kelowna, Penticton, Vernon, Central Okanagan Regional District
- Prince George & Fort St. John
- Alberta & Ontario

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