



# WALK for Community Social Services

**SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2009**

**Centennial Square, Victoria**

**Start Time: 11 am**

**Wrap up Bar-b-que: 12:30 pm**

## Why?

MARCH IS COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES AWARENESS MONTH. Join us for a 5 km walk – beginning and ending at Centennial Square – to raise awareness about the vital role these services play in our communities.

## Who?

EVERYONE IS WELCOME AND THERE IS NO COST TO PARTICIPATE. We encourage you to pre-register by calling 250-978-5475 and to take public transit, walk, bike, or have a friend drop you off.

### **COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES INCLUDE:**

Group homes and day programs for people with disabilities

Support services for families and youth in need

Child care programs

Services for victims of violence

Assistance for those with substance abuse issues

Counseling and support for immigrant families

Services for children with special needs

Support services for aboriginal people

Shelter and counseling support for women in abusive relationships

... and much more.