

Community Connectors as a Channel to Equitable Integration

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Overview

About us:

- Alberta-wide, registered charity
- 147 ethnocultural community organizational members
- o 100 individual members
- Advocate of equitable engagement of racialized community in civic life so that people with barriers still are included and have a voice.

<u>Strategic goal:</u> By 2025, ActionDignity will advance transformational systems change and enhance the abilities and actions of 150,000 racialized Calgarians to address the effects and root causes of inequity.

Focus areas:

Gender Equity, Mental Health, Public Safety, Social Inclusion & Workers' Rights

Our Strategies:

- Community Connectors
- o GrOW Platform (Grassroot Organizational Empowerment)
- o Community-Based Participatory Action Research
- Systems Change and Policy Advocacy











Community Connectors







Community Conversation Circle



Natural Support



Training and Support to Ethnocultural Communities



Community Action Plan



Systems
Change and
Policy
Advocacy

Building Civic Infrastructure

Capacity Building

Intentional Collaboration



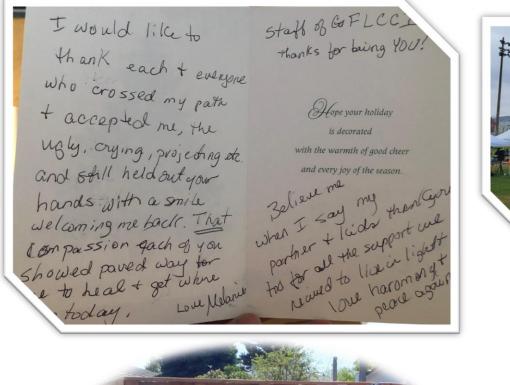








Community Connectors- Impact



















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2022-2023





Collective Impact



24,090 Calgarians

Impacted by ActionDignity's Work



119 Partnerships

Activated with community based organizations, non profits, service providers and government institutions



762 Community Leaders, **Natural Supports and Brokers**

Engaged in capacity building activities to deliver multiple community action plans



23,021 Racialized **Community Members**

Engaged in programs to promote active citizenship





















