

# BATHURST-FINCH HUB DECEMBER 2020 NEWSLETTER

## Bathurst Finch Hub

During the COVID-19 pandemic, strict infection prevention and control measures are implemented to protect clients, staff and hub visitors. All clients, staff and visitors must be screened at the front entrance and wear a mask at all times. Please note, all community spaces (community rooms, kitchen and playroom) are closed during the pandemic. Opening hours: Monday to Friday, 9 am to 3 pm. Clients must book appointments with their workers before coming. No walk-ins.



## Unison Health and Community Services

All primary health care services (primary care, foot care, counselling and nutrition counselling) and diabetes education program are available. Clients are offered appointments with workers by phone first. If in-person visit is needed, clients will be booked for on-site appointments. Please call 647-436-8305 for appointment.

### Our Strong and Beautiful Bathurst-Finch (OSN)

OSN is a neighbourhood improvement program that aims to provide access to more healthy and affordable food to Bathurst-Finch communities. Currently, we support local resident leaders, Bathurst-Finch Food Coalition, Northview Community Garden, climate solutions initiatives, and are working towards creating a more caring community. If you would like to get involved in the neighborhood and connect with your fellow neighbours or to sign up to the mailing list, please email Community engagement Lead, Mandana Attarzadeh at [mandana.attarzadeh@unisonhcs.org](mailto:mandana.attarzadeh@unisonhcs.org).

## Family Service Toronto



Mehrangiz Pournaseh provides phone counseling for women who experience violence, and also virtual workshops and groups for Iranian women. Contact [mehrangizpo@familyserVICEToronto.org](mailto:mehrangizpo@familyserVICEToronto.org) Phone #647- 960- 0351

Navid Outadi provides zoom webinar workshops and support groups for Iranian youth and women newcomers. Contact [Navidou@familyserVICEToronto.org](mailto:Navidou@familyserVICEToronto.org). Phone #416-595-9230; Ext.249



JVS

Toronto is offering its Newcomer Youth Program with many FREE certificates over the holiday break. To register, please email [ella.wiseman@jvstoronto.org](mailto:ella.wiseman@jvstoronto.org).



## Downsview Community Legal Services (DCLS)

Due to the COVID-19 situation, DCLS is closed to all in person appointments and walk-ins, but remain open and continue to service the community via telephone or email. For legal assistance, contact office at 416-635-8388 or [downsviewlegalclinic@gmail.com](mailto:downsviewlegalclinic@gmail.com)



## KCWA Family and Social Services

KCWA is open for all services and programs only over the phone, by email and virtual platforms. KCWA appreciates your cooperation and look forward to serving you in person soon. Contact KCWA at [kcwa@kcwa.net](mailto:kcwa@kcwa.net) or 416-340-1234 or visit website at [www.kcwa.net](http://www.kcwa.net).

## North York Community House (NYCH)



All services will be provided virtually. Clients can connect with workers via emails or phone to make appointments. NYCH provides settlement services in different languages.

Marina Novinskaya (Russian and English): call 647-296-0960 or email [mnovinskaya@nych.ca](mailto:mnovinskaya@nych.ca). Minoo Shajareh (Farsi and English) Email [Mshajareh@nych.ca](mailto:Mshajareh@nych.ca) or call 416-268-2029. Ella Tan (Tagalog and English) Email [etan@nych.ca](mailto:etan@nych.ca) or call 647-208-9733.

*Employment Support Services* – Contact Srna Stambuk at [sstambuk@nych.ca](mailto:sstambuk@nych.ca) or Danilla Moshi at [dmoshi@nych.ca](mailto:dmoshi@nych.ca)

*Mentorship Program*: Contact Cheryl Lewis at [clewis@nych.ca](mailto:clewis@nych.ca)

*Canada Connects* – a new social mentorship program at NYCH. Contact Maria Antonietta Crupi at [mcrupi@nych.ca](mailto:mcrupi@nych.ca)



## CUIAS Immigrant Services

CUIAS provides settlement and adaptation services to newcomers in Canada, including, government and community services, benefits and supports for individuals and families. CUIAS also provides assistance with filling out government applications and forms such as Permanent Resident (PR) Card renewals, citizenship, OW, EI, subsidized housing, daycare, and pensions applications. Due to COVID -19, CUIAS are serving clients by appointment only. Services by phone and online Monday to Friday from 10am-2pm. To make an appointment, call 416-225-0511 or email [northyork@cuias.org](mailto:northyork@cuias.org)



## North York Harvest Food Bank

Bathurst Finch Community Food Space - 580 Finch Ave @ Herb Carnegie Arena. OPEN: Mondays 9am-2pm and Thursdays 9:30am - 4pm. -BY APPOINTMENT ONLY- To book an appointment, call 647-704-1111 or email [elis@northyorkharvest.com](mailto:elis@northyorkharvest.com).

Holiday Hours: Dec. 24th CLOSED, Dec. 31st CLOSED, Dec. 28th 10am-2pm, Jan. 4th 10am-2pm

