

MEETING - COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM IN KITSILANO

Community Mental Health care has been proposed for the City of Vancouver. It is to be implemented on a local area basis with Kitsilano as one of the focal points. This form of care can, to a great extent, do away with the present large hospital situation where people must leave their communities to get help if they need it.

Community care requires the support and interest of the people within each area. It's no good to simply have professionals come in and run the show. To insure that the people of Kitsilano get the information they need, a meeting has been called and the following agenda proposed by a coalition of interested community groups from the Kitsilano area.

Agenda - Wednesday, May 16th, 7:30 p.m.

Kitsilano United Church, 2490 W. 2nd. Ave.

Chairman: Nathan Karmel, Kitsilano Information Centre.

1. Slide Show: Existing Mental Health Facilities.
2. Aims of Community Mental Health Project.

Dr. Hugh Parfitt, Home Treatment Services.

3. Administration of Mental Health Programs.

Barry Coull, Mental Patients Association.

4. Proposals for Citizen Involvement.

Joyce Marvin, Kitsilano House.

5. Discussion and proposals from the floor.

These issues concern you. See you at the meeting.