



## Give a gift today or Leave a Legacy of Love for tomorrow

The South Okanagan Women in Need Society (SOWINS) has been serving local women, youth, and children for more than 40 years.

As a registered charity, our programs and services provide shelter, safety, and support by helping individuals recognize, understand, and overcome the impacts of abuse. Our services are provided to individuals who have experienced or who are at risk of experiencing violence or abuse in the South Okanagan (from Summerland to Osoyoos and from Naramata to Keremeos and Princeton).

Our specialized programs include:

- Emergency Housing and 24-hour crisis line
- Counselling services for Youth and Children to help break the cycle of violence
- Counselling for women who have experienced violence and abuse
- The Explore program to help provide the tools women need to overcome the impact of abuse and prepare for employment
- Community Based Victim Services Program to

support those who are having to face their abuser in court. The team will be there every step of the way!

- Sexual Assault Services Program to work with survivors of sexual assault, including stranger attacks, date rape, or an incident from the past
- Mobile Outreach to support the marginalized population by providing warm clothing, snacks and water and harm reduction supplies

SOWINS continues to see an increase in referrals for our programs and services. We cannot keep up with the demand for services without financial support from our community. Your support will help us continue serving as many women, youth, and children in need in our community as possible!

Together, we can make a difference to those in need. Together, we can change lives!

Leaving a gift in your Will today will make a difference in the lives of local women, youth, and children tomorrow.

## Leave your Legacy of Love

Consider leaving a gift in your Will.  
Your gift will ensure the fight against abuse and violence in our community continues for years to come.

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