

Youth Recovery Homes

THE PROJECT

Streetohome and Pacific Community Resources Society are providing two five-bedroom substance-free recovery homes for youth struggling with substance use issues and mental health challenges. One home is for youth between the ages of 16 and 18, and the other for young adults between 19 and 25.

WHY YOUTH SUPPORT RECOVERY HOMES?

Youth with complex and persistent substance use issues, have a unique set of challenges and require intensive support, which may include individual/family clinical counselling, group work, and linkages to medical services, community supports and employment training. If youth can address their substance use challenges – in a safe and supportive home environment – the likelihood of a successful transition to independent living and longer-term housing increases.

Streetohome
has committed
\$100,000

Help us fund it!



YOUTH SUPPORT RECOVERY HOMES:

- **2 homes located in the City of Vancouver** with 5 bedrooms each, which will offer a respite and a safe place for 10 youth to seek treatment and support for up to six months.
- One home for youth between the ages of **16 and 18**; second home for young adults between **19 and 25** transitioning into the community.
- Three staff members, or **“houseparents”** will reside in each home. This model provides 24-hour support and reduces operational costs.
- **Collaboration with Vancouver Coastal Health** clinical counsellors and addiction specialists to create a comprehensive addiction treatment plan, including after-care.
- **Connections to PCRS Broadway Youth Resource Centre** and longer-term housing, health, education and employment services and supports

Streethome Foundation is working to leverage pathways out of homelessness in Vancouver. By the end of 2016, our funding has directly helped more than 2,600 vulnerable people through new supportive housing and homelessness prevention programs.



The PCRS Broadway Youth Resource Centre is a multi-service and multi-agency hub with a range of services for youth all under one roof.