



EMPOWERMENT EXPO - NAVIGATING YOUR FUTURE WITH CSA SETTLEMENTS

12:30 pm - 7:00 pm on January 21, 2025 at 90 Sinclair Street

WERE YOU IN THE CARE OF CFS BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2005, AND MARCH 31, 2019? IF SO, YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE CSA SETTLEMENT!

A class action settlement has been reached for provincially funded, current and former children-in-care of Indigenous and non-Indigenous Child and Family Services (CFS) agencies. This settlement applies to individuals whose Children's Special Allowance (CSA) benefits were clawed back or withheld between January 1, 2005, and March 31, 2019. Class members will be able to submit claims starting January 6, 2025, during a two-year claim registration period.

JOIN US AT OUR DROP-IN EMPOWERMENT EXPO TO GAIN VALUABLE INFORMATION, CONNECT WITH OTHERS, AND ACCESS THE SUPPORT YOU NEED THROUGHOUT YOUR CSA PROCESS!

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

- Teachings from lived experts and fellow alumni of care
- Information about the Class Action Settlement
- How to handle sudden wealth and lump sum payments
- Ideas for investing in personal growth and wellness and preventing risks and vulnerabilities
- Q&A with the legal team handling the settlements

COMMUNITY RESOURCE FORUM

The event will also feature a community resource forum, bringing together organizations offering support in areas such as:

- Financial services
- Mental health
- Education, training, and employment opportunities

TO PARTICIPATE OR FOR MORE DETAILS

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Expo Agenda

Community Booths and Networking
12 pm - 7 pm

Session 1

Opening Prayer

Marian Bruyere

Keynote Address

1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Amanda Gauthier

followed by Exchange Group

SEED Workshop - Handling Sudden Wealth

2:15 PM - 3:45 PM

Session 2

Opening Prayer

Marian Bruyere

Keynote Address

4:00 PM - 5:10 PM

Amanda Gauthier

followed by Exchange Group

SEED Workshop - Handling Sudden Wealth

5:25 PM - 6:55 PM

Closing Prayer

7:00 PM

