

# CAP PROGRAM

# COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

**KELOWNA & DISTRICT SHARE SOCIETY** 



HOW CAN YOU ACCESS THIS PROGRAM?

- A client receiving social assistance can receive a referral to the program from the agency with which they are affiliated, e.g., Ministry of Social Development & Poverty Reduction
- Clients can also seek assistance through a partner agency, e.g., Central Okanagan Community Food Bank, Ki-Low-Na Friendship Society
- Low-income individuals may also apply directly to S.H.A.R.E Society for access to the program

S.H.A.R.E.'S COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (CAP) HAS SUPPORTED OVER 680 HOUSEHOLDS WITH MATERIAL GOODS THIS PAST YEAR. WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH OVER 30 SOCIAL AGENCIES TO ADDRESS THE MATERIAL NEEDS OF OUR COMMUNITY, THE PROGRAM DOES THE FOLLOWING:

Provides low-income clients with clothing, basic household goods and furniture free of charge.

Supplies agencies serving the homeless community with material goods such as sleeping bags, blankets, coats and other clothing necessities.

Supports all community partners with a variety of material donations upon request.

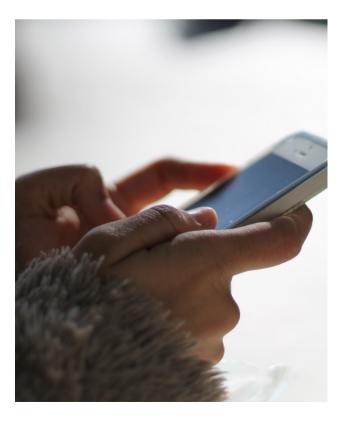


## ONCE AN APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE, EITHER DIRECTLY OR THROUGH A REFERRAL AGENCY;

### WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT?

- You will be required to contact the S.H.A.R.E. office to make an appointment - service will not be provided on a drop-in basis
- You will be asked to provide ID, as well as proof of income and residency for yourself and every member of your household
- Individuals without the required documentation must apply through a referring agency, who will attest to the client's eligibility
- Because there are restrictions, clients should not begin to shop before checking in at the S.H.A.R.E. community assistance program office - check the in-store map to find its location in the back building
- Once you have checked in, the program coordinator will guide you through the shopping process; although staff are willing to help as much as possible, should clients require additional assistance for their appointment, it is recommended that they make the necessary arrangements





### **QUESTIONS?**

### CALL 250-763-8117 OR EMAIL US AT PROGRAMS@KELOWNASHARESOCIETY.CA

