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We envision a caring and supportive community where all people are valued.

Serving Citizens with Developmental Disabilities since 2000

DESC Services Ltd.

Hours of Operation

Residential programs are staffed 24 hours per day, seven days per week.

Community Inclusion support hours vary depending on the need of the individual and can include days, evenings and weekends.

Head office is open 0800- 1600 Monday- Friday and is closed on statutory holidays

Opportunities

Are you passionate about supporting individuals with developmental disabilities and enjoy a challenging work environment with a progressive employer?

Send you resume and covering letter to [Deschr@shaw.ca](mailto:Deschr@shaw.ca)

What We Do

We provide services to adults and youth with developmental disabilities in the greater Vernon area. We specialize in supporting individuals who are diagnosed with Autism or FASD and who have concurrent mental health needs to lead healthy lives and to participate in their chosen community.

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Programs

Residential

We provide 24 hour staffed resources that can accommodate two individuals.

We assist individuals to find appropriate community housing providing independent living.

Community Inclusion

We provide 1-1 community Inclusion support to assist individuals to access their community, attend medical appointments, search for employment and volunteer opportunities, enhance life skills and expend their social network.

DESC Services is funded by Community Living British Columbia and is a CARF Accredited Agency



Our Mission

DESC Services provides residential programs, Community Inclusion Support and mental health outreach that optimize the potential of adults and youth with developmental disabilities and/or mental health issues.

**Our Values**

Every Person is entitled to respect and Dignity

Every person has something to contribute

We believe in a community where everyone belongs

Caring relationships enhance the quality of life

We encourage innovation and creativity

Diversity strengthens our communities and our workplaces

Intake Criteria

If you wish to receive services, please contact the Vernon CLBC office (250-549-5490) and request to talk to an Intake worker. DESC Services welcomes any individual who wishes to receive personalized supports in their chosen community.