

Dear Friend,

Thank you for everything you've done to support PHS Community Services Society. You've been crucial in our mission to bring supportive housing, shelter, health care, and harm reduction to thousands of profoundly vulnerable individuals every day in Vancouver and Victoria.

This holiday season, PHS has launched its largest fundraising campaign with a goal to raise \$100,000 by the end of 2024. With the Canada Post strike affecting the delivery of your donation letter; we need your help more than ever to reach this critical target.

We are proud of our 30-year history of relentless commitment and innovation in the work of helping to transform lives. And it has been exciting for us to have some of the story of this work wonderfully conveyed by individuals like Dr. Gabor Maté and Guy Felicella. This year, Guy met with us to create a holiday season donation ask that [you can watch here](#).

Dr. Maté, globally renowned expert in addiction and mental health, credits the foundational work of PHS for shaping his understanding of addiction as a complex and deeply human experience. Guy Felicella is a powerful advocate for harm reduction, who survived overdoses thanks to our Insite program, and is publicly sharing his journey from addiction to recovery. Their experiences resonate with countless others who have benefited from PHS's comprehensive approach to care and community.

Most of our funding comes by way of government contracts for services, but our innovations and many unique programs have funding gaps not covered by government funds. This is where we rely on donors like you to help PHS continue creating and expanding programs, ensuring that individuals have access to urgently needed resources. This includes housing, genuinely accessible recovery options, low-to-no cost dentistry, low barrier banking, and of course, harm reduction initiatives that are saving lives every day.

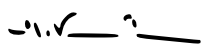
The goal for our holiday season campaign is to raise \$100,000. If you are able to provide a year-end donation, you will help us to help the people most in need of a dignified approach to care and community?

To donate, kindly visit [www.phs.ca/donate](http://www.phs.ca/donate), or scan the QR code below.

Thank you for being a vital lifeline for PHS and our community members.

Wishing you and your family a wonderful holiday season.

With gratitude,



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