

DRAKE MEDOX NEWS

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COMMUNITY SUPPORT WORKERS ARE IN DEMAND!!!

Do you aspire to make a difference, not just a living?

If so, you may want to take some time to learn more about a rewarding career as a Community Support Worker!

Community Support Workers provide essential services to members of our society including:

- ✓ Assisting individuals living with special circumstances including homelessness, substance abuse, and developmental disabilities
- ✓ Teaching and mentoring life skills
- ✓ Supporting clients in accessing appropriate social service programs and community resources
- ✓ Working alongside other healthcare and social services professionals to provide comprehensive and personalized care for individuals served.

To learn more about our 6-month blended learning program, and the wide variety of employment opportunities awaiting you, please reach out to one of our Educational Advisors. We also invite you to sit in on one of our classes to meet our instructors and other students to better assess if this is the right career for you!

FREE LAPTOP

CALL TO LEARN MORE
VANCOUVER: 604-629-0196
SURREY: 604-495-4208

Free Laptop With Registration**

- Vancouver: September 12th
- Surrey: November 10th

**Offer available starting August 12th

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

We love to hear from our alumni, and wanted to share this message we received recently from one of our Health Care Assistant graduates **Cristina Gapusan.**



Hello DMC staff,

Firstly, I thank God for leading me to DMC. To our teacher Ms. Rona thank you for inspiring us! It has been a year since I graduated, and I'm so blessed to have a full-time job. Thank you also to Ms. Myrine for not giving up on me. It took her 5 years to convince me to take this course, and yes HCA is such a rewarding and fulfilling job!

I will be forever grateful, and I hope to inspire others to study.

Be safe and God bless 🙏

NEW SURREY CAMPUS GRAND OPENING

Not many people know that Drake Medox College first started in 2001 as a very small Training department within our Vancouver Drake Medox Health Services Division. At that time, we were primarily focused on upgrading our own Community Health Workers (formerly Home Support Workers) to meet the increasing demands of the government-funded community-based home support services.

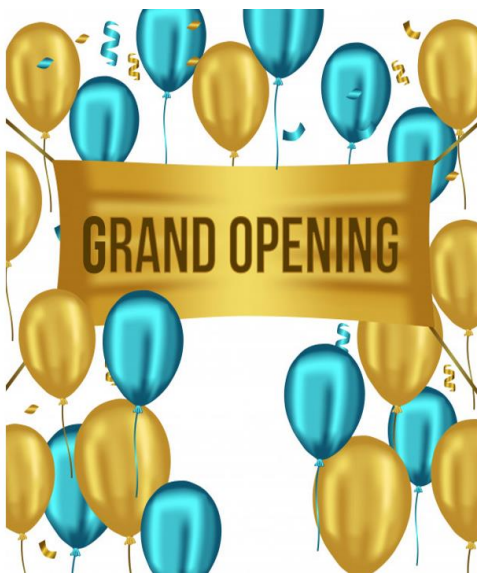
Fast forward to 2020 and Drake Medox is recognized as one of the leading Healthcare colleges in BC, graduating over 650 Health Care Assistants, Community Support Workers and Activity Assistants last year.

As demand for staff in these careers increases, so does demand for our programs, and after many unexpected delays we are thrilled to **FINALLY** be able to open the doors to our **NEW SURREY CAMPUS** in September.

A special thanks goes out to all the **AMAZING AMBASSADORS** and Community Partners who have always supported our college and referred so many students to study with us over the years!!

Due to COVID, we have decided to host a **VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE on FACEBOOK** and hope that you will all join us for a tour and some special giveaways and guest speakers.

No RSVP required, just check out our page on Facebook between **3:00-7:00 on September 11th** to join in our celebration!!



YOU ARE INVITED...

VIRTUAL GRAND OPENING EVENT

DRAKE MEDOX COLLEGE

NEW SURREY CAMPUS

Friday, September 11th
3:00 – 7:00PM

Join us on Facebook

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Your Future Looks Bright!

GET TO KNOW JASTIN

You may have noticed this new face around campus recently.....



JASTIN LOZANO joined our Student Services team in July, and with the help of her peers is quickly learning how to support our students at each stage of their educational journey.

Justin possesses a master's degree in Business Administration and brings experience as a trained nurse to her role.

WE ASKED JASTIN....

What do you enjoy doing in your spare time? "I spend most of my time off in the outdoors hiking and enjoying nature."

What is your greatest accomplishment thus far? "Immigrating to Canada and establishing an independent life for myself. And of course, achieving my master's degree!"

What do you like most about your new job @ Drake Medox College? "Learning new things and helping students with their graduation documents. Sharing in others success is always rewarding."