

# SPRING OPEN HOUSE

May 30, 2023

Welcome!





## **CDH Staff Overview**

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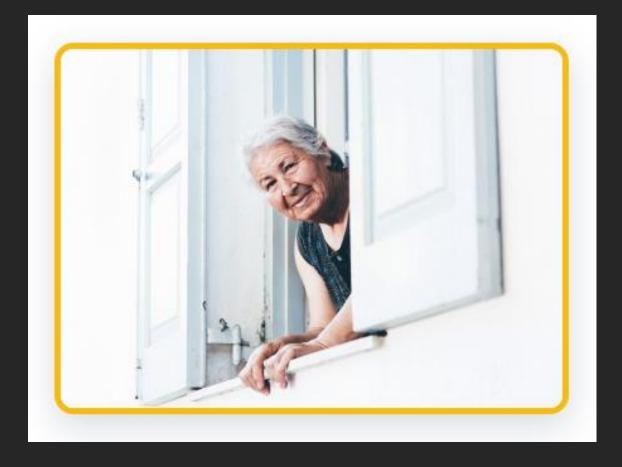






662 Guelph Line, Burlington

Tuesday and Thursday





**Connection in Action** supports adults aged 55+ who live in Halton by providing opportunities to increase social connections.

**Connection in Action** also supports communities across Halton by raising awareness about issues impacting older adults through capacity-building education sessions.

https://connectioninaction.ca/

Social Planning Our Halton Series 2023



Women

**Income Inequality and Poverty** 

Housing

**Diversity** 

Volunteerism

**Older Adults** 

Children and Youth

# Our Halton Community Dialogue Series



After each of the *Our Halton* issues is released there will be gathering (virtual or in person) to see a presentation of the data and then be part of a conversation to ask questions, talk about what the data might mean for you and your organization, and explore community ideas for collaboration.

### Community Conversations:

Halton Non-Profits in a Post Covid-19 Landscape: new ways of working and impacts on services and supports (July 27th)

Mapping for Citizen Action (August 17th)

Starting with what's strong in Halton, asset based community development and community building. (September)

What are you interested in talking with others about?

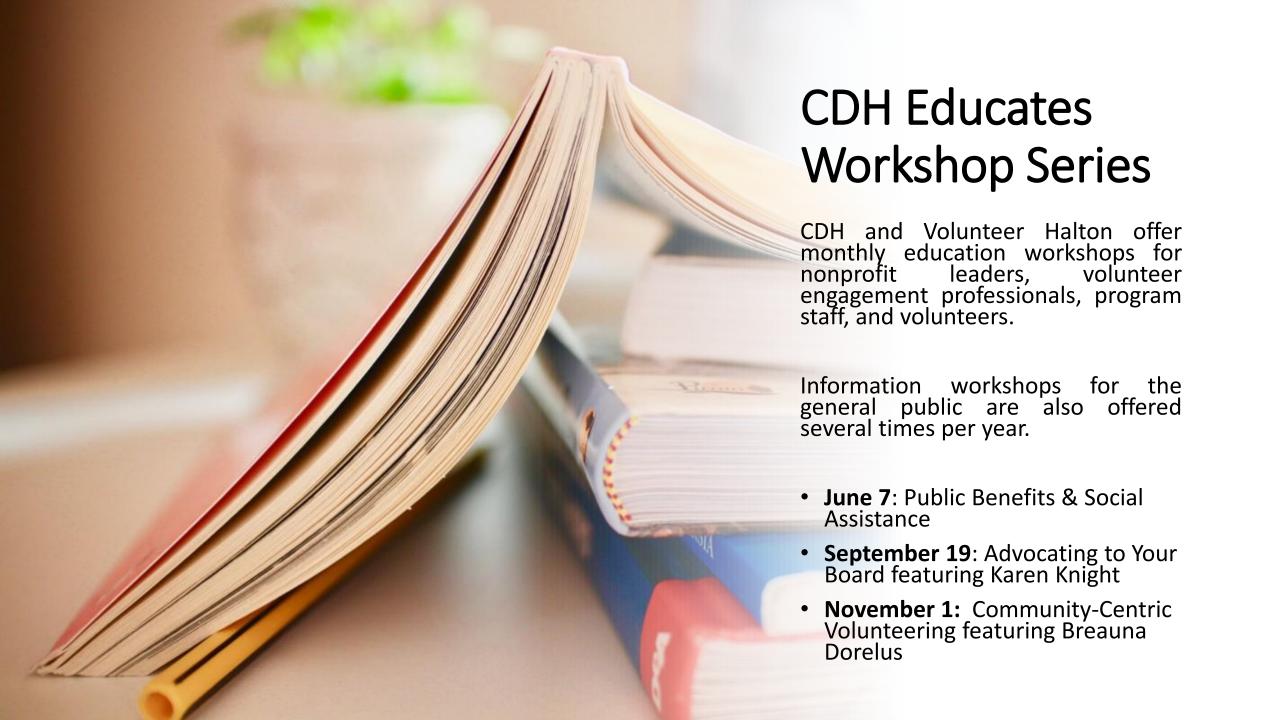




# CDH Quarterly Events

- Each quarter we will be popping up in one of the four municipalities for a Volunteer Fair and community event.
- We would love to be working alongside community partners to plan those events so that they meet the needs and tap into the strengths of each local community





## **VIEWPOINT**



V O L U N T E E R H A L T O N N E W S L E T T E R

DECEMBER 2022



#### **CDH EDUCATES WORKSHOP SERIES**

## Telling Better Stories Through Data

**December 7, 2022** 

Learn how to tell more compelling stories through data. Enhance the experience you offer volunteers and build your case for support using data that highlights your impact on program and organizational success

Registration now open at cdhalton.ca/events

#### IN NEED OF VOLUNTEER HELP THIS HOLIDAY SEASON?

The festive season is upon us, and our sector is gearing up for the season of giving. Submit your volunteer roles for posting to Volunteer Halton's posting and social media platforms.

CDH Member? Unlimited postings Non-member? Three postings (max)

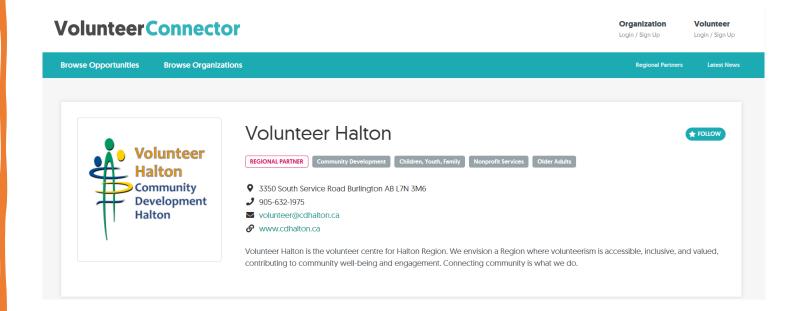
Contact Heather at <u>volunteer@cdhalton.ca</u> or call 905-632-1975 ex. 2 for more information



### **VIEWPOINT** Newsletter

- Monthly newsletter
- Up-coming workshops and events
- Curated "need to know" content

## Volunteer Connector



- Transitioning to new volunteer promotion platform over next 12 months
- Improved branding and reporting capabilities for member organizations









#### Cheers to Volunteers Award

elebrating National Volunteer Week

The Cheers to Volunteers award offers organizations an opportunity to recognize the important contributions volunteers make to their mission and vision. These awards are presented by Community Development Halton (CDH)/Volunteer Halton to selected volunteers during National Volunteer Week celebrations.

#### Eligibility and Criteria:

- Nominations are open to all nonprofits, charitable, voluntary, and grassroots organizations in Halton region. CDH membership is <u>not</u> required to submit a nomination.
- 2. There is no limit on the number of nominations an organization can submit.
- Only one nomination per volunteer will be considered
   Volunteers must have served the organization in 2022
- 5. Self-nominations are not accepted.
- 6. Each volunteer must be nominated separately

Three recipients from each of the local communities (Burlington, Oakville, Halton Hills, and Milton) will be selected via <u>random draw</u>. All twelve recipients will receive their award during National Volunteer Week, April 16 - 22, 2023.

Submit your nomination online at: <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/Mr2F8sBGBB">https://forms.office.com/r/Mr2F8sBGBB</a>



Deadline: Monday March 27, 2023 at 3:00pm

## Community Awards & NVW

- Offer three ways to recognize volunteers:
  - Cheers to Volunteers Award
  - Halton Volunteer Impact Award
  - The Heather Thompson
     Volunteer Excellence Award
     (new for 2024!)
- Host community celebrations during National Volunteer Week
  - April 21 27, 2024

## Senior Connectors

- Overseen by Volunteer Halton
- Dedicated team of volunteers providing information, resources, and support in community
- Senior Community Grant 2023-24 received to support program
  - More info to come!



# Volunteer Halton & CDH Membership Benefits

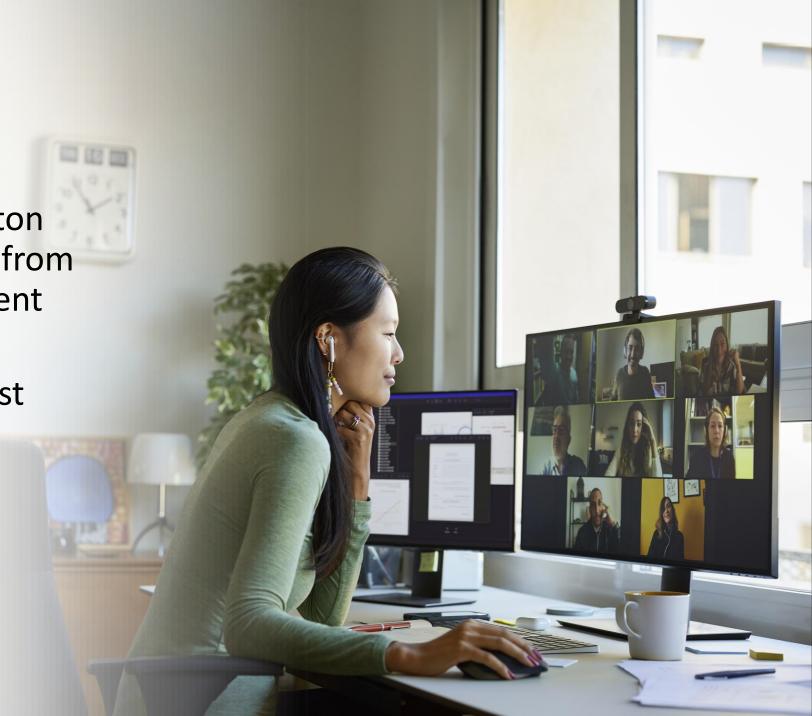
- Discounts on workshops and fee-forservice offerings
- Volunteer recruitment
  - On posting platform
  - Social media/website
- Consultation
  - Up to 3 hours with CDH staff
- Voting rights
  - 1 vote at AGM per organization
- Current and new/renewing members in 2023 receive 2 free workshops passes
   \*in lieu of access to boardroom



## **Small Groups**

 What do you think Halton needs as a community from Community Development Halton this year?

 In what way can we best support your work in community?





### How to reach us

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## Thank you for coming!