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Re: Clubhouse International - Victoria, BC

I attended an information session of this global organization in May of this year. I am aware that services are woefully inadequate and that mental health and addiction issues threaten lives, particularly among our youth. Ottawa has experienced first-hand recently how mental illness can ravage lives if left untreated and ignored.

I offer my full support to in the establishment of a Clubhouse International in Victoria, BC as soon as possible. This program will provide people with serious and persistent mental illness a place where they are welcomed, wanted, needed and expected each day. I wish you success in your quest to establish such a model in Victoria.

Thank you for helping to raise awareness of this extremely important issue. Rest assured that I will continue to advocate for improved mental health care.

Sincerely,

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