

NORTH SHORE FAMILY SERVICES (Christmas Bureau)

Year Founded: 1960

Website: <https://www.familyservices.bc.ca>

Financial Information

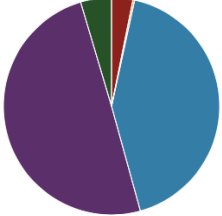
2023 Revenue: \$ 5,772,331

2023 Expenses: \$ 5,772,331

Assets: \$ 1,048,436

Sources of Funding: (approx % from each)

Revenue



- Receipted donations \$183,580.00 (3.18%)
- Non-receipted donations \$15,050.00 (0.26%)
- Gifts from other registered charities \$2,439,206.00 (42.26%)
- Government funding \$2,867,985.00 (49.69%)
- All other revenue \$266,510.00 (4.62%)

Total revenue: \$5,772,331.00

The Christmas Bureau budget itself is only \$60,000 and is funded solely from donations which go directly to the Holiday gift baskets for the families.

Served: (include # total and # on North Shore)
FSNS supports and serves over 10,000 North Shore residents, from a diverse array of cultural and economic backgrounds.

Last year the Christmas Bureau served 2775 individuals, which consisted of 308 families, 1000+ children and 300 seniors.



Committed to making a deep and lasting impact, Family Services of the North Shore is a non-profit community-based agency serving the North Shore for over 60 years. We offer counselling, support, education and volunteer engagement opportunities to help people reach their full potential throughout their lives. Our primary focus is to help support people when their challenges and struggles begin, knowing that at such times a little help can make an impactful difference. Our support is either free or provided on a sliding scale thanks to generous support from our partners and donors.

We offer a multitude of counselling/support programs from counselling youth, LGBTQ2S+, seniors, caregivers, end of life and grief, and gender-based violence/trauma/abuse. In addition, services such as the North Shore Christmas Bureau, and Community Outreach and Programs such as Thrive Family, Group, Eating Disorders Prevention, and Sexual Assault Response are all available to our community.

Programs

Our request for funding would be utilized through our FSNS Community Hub to support the North Shore Christmas Bureau to ensure our over 3000 North Shore families, individuals, and seniors, celebrate with a warm meal and are able to spend time with family over the holidays. The funding would help ensure each Christmas Bureau client and family will receive personalized presents and holiday gift baskets. Approximately 200 volunteers are dedicated to the Christmas Bureau and donate 6000 hours to make it possible.

