

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH - a New Program for KITSILANO

PUBLIC MEETING -- WEDNESDAY MAY 16 7:30 pm. -- KITSILANO UNITED CHURCH
2490 West Second Avenue

Slide Show on Existing Mental Health Facilities

Aims of the Community Mental Health Project -- Dr. Hugh Parfitt, Home Treatment Services

Mental Health Programs in Vancouver -- Barry Caull, Mental Patients' Association

Proposals for Citizen Involvement -- Joyce Marvin, Kits House.

INFORMATION * DISCUSSION * QUESTIONS * DEBATE * FEEDBACK

Community Mental Health Care has been proposed for Vancouver. It is to be implemented on a local area basis with Kitsilano as one of the focal points. This form of care can, to a great extent, do away with the present large hospital situation where people must leave their communities to get help if they need it.

COMMUNITY CARE REQUIRES THE SUPPORT AND INTEREST OF THE PEOPLE WITHIN EACH AREA. IT'S NO GOOD TO SIMPLY HAVE PROFESSIONALS COME IN AND RUN THE SHOW.