

# Supports for Success:

## A project of Wellesley Institute

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### MY LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Ability to apply principles of sustainability to urban health issues
2. Knowledge translation skills through the process of literature selection and report writing
3. Analyze and organize qualitative evidence to inform recommendations
4. Understand how research ideas can be translated into policy change
5. Gain a nuanced understanding of how health inequities appear in different cities and communities across Ontario

### SUPPORTS FOR SUCCESS

*Supports for Success (SFS)* aims to improve educational, economic, and social outcomes for marginalized children and youth in Ontario

SFS supports a collective impact approach that facilitates collaboration across different sectors towards achieving common goals. The project aims to drive coordination and action between local service providers, community members, and funders to improve inequities at each key life stage from birth to employment.

#### Main Responsibilities as a Research Intern:

- ❖ Qualitative Analysis using Nvivo software to code transcripts from 2/4 research sites
- ❖ Annotated bibliographies to define Supports for Success at each life stage
- ❖ Data entry of survey data

### SOME HIGHLIGHTS AT WELLESLEY:



Led A Wellesley Walk Wednesday



SFS Team In Action

#### SFS key messages – CIRCLE:

- Collective impact for healthy community development
- Indicators of success
- Redirecting the focus (upstream vs. remedial)
- Countering systemic inequities
- Local capacity building and engagement
- Evidence Based



Presented At A Research Meeting

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