

Administrative Response to Equitable Recreation Programming Audit Council Report

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Audit Committee

Equitable Recreation Programming

CRC extensively supports, embraces and delivers equitable recreation programming

- The branch provides about 40 programs and services to increase equity and address barriers.



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Examples Include

- Leisure Access Program and discounted passes for youth and seniors
- Nikaniw program
- Newcomer programming
- Green Shack and Play Rangers programs
- Free access to 1500 different sports fields, 160 km of walking or biking paths and over 20 river valley parks
- Adapted swimming lessons, golf lessons and biking programs
- Wheelchair accessible playgrounds
- Accessible communication services



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Other providers

- Partner agencies
- Community Leagues
- Non profit organizations
- Cultural organizations



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Implementation

The Branch's implementation plan includes:

1. Development of a multi-disciplinary approach to improving how the Branch obtains information on recreation programming needs
2. Development of an Integrated Equity Plan that will demonstrate progress on the Branch's equity objectives and identify opportunities to improve upon them.
3. Development of equity objectives for each major programming area, including allocation models, to assess the performance of the programming
4. Development of documented guidance for staff to build a shared understanding of the Branch vision and goals established to support equitable programming.



Thank you

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