



Learning & Networking Meeting

- Date & Time:** Tuesday May 16, 2017
9:00 to 11:30 AM
- Location:** HOME Society
31581 S Fraser Way
Abbotsford, BC
- 9:00 – 9:15** **Introductions, update** on what's happening in the community and with partnering agencies.
- 9:15 – 9:30** **Debby Simcoe** from **familyWORKS** will tell us about their network.
- 9:30 – 10:00** **Kristin Bower** from **Vancity** will share about their success in hiring people with disabilities.
- 10:00 – 10:30** **Susanne Eddy** from the **Ministry of Social Development & Social Innovation** will highlight common challenges in successful outcomes for PWD and PPMB Applications, and how to strengthen applications.
- 10:30 – 10:45** **REFRESHMENT BREAK**
- 10:45 – 11:15** **Kevin Koopmans**, local Economic Developer, will talk about how to add value when presenting your job seeker and agency to businesses.
- 11:15 – 11:30** **Wrap Up**

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