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The Alberta Mentoring Partnership's Mentoring Minute

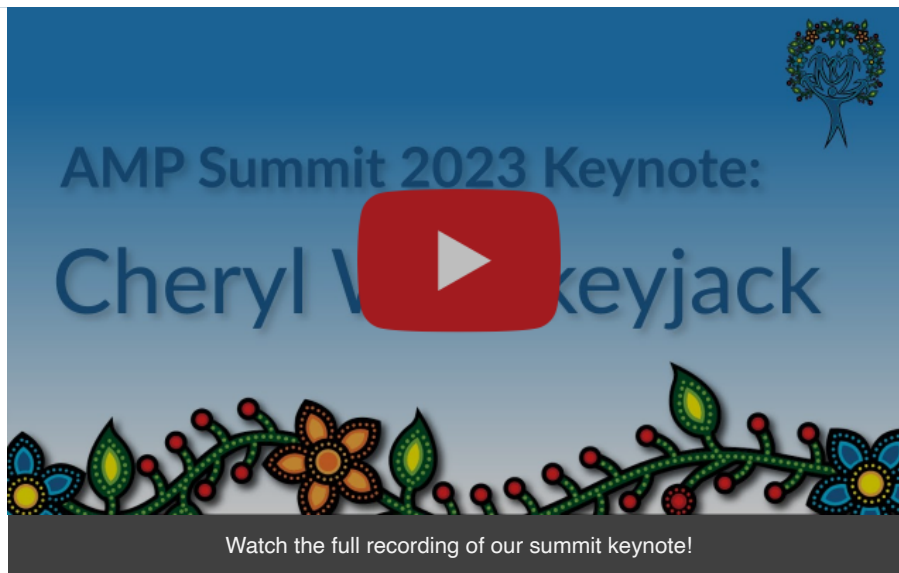


AMP Summit 2023



Giving Them Our Best: Mentoring Youth Through Natural Supports was a huge success! Our summit on October 19th brought in youth, educators, and agencies from around Alberta.

Thank you to everyone that made AMP's summit possible! We hope you learned and experienced how natural supports can complement your mentoring initiatives in schools, at work, and out in the community.



Cheryl Whiskeyjack shared about the responsibility we all have in mentoring youth, and the powerful ways mentorship can shape communities.

2SLGBTQ+ Inclusivity in Schools Webinar



Nov. 14, 2023
4:00PM - 5:00PM (MT)

Join us on November 14 for a webinar about 2SLGBTQ+ Inclusivity in Schools, featuring Dr. Kristopher Wells!

Dr. Kristopher Wells is an Associate Professor in the Department of Child and Youth Care, Faculty of Health and Community Studies, MacEwan University. He holds the Canada Research Chair (Tier II) for the Public Understanding of Sexual and Gender Minority Youth and serves as the founding Director for the MacEwan Centre for Sexual and Gender Diversity.

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How Can We Leverage Mentors to Build Student Resilience?



Voices from the Field

Although services from mental health professionals in schools are important, school environments should also promote and build long-term resilience in individuals to help them bounce back from adverse experiences and trauma.

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Evaluation Moment

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Monthly supports for using evaluation to enhance your programming

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Parts to Evaluation: Theory of Change and Logic Models

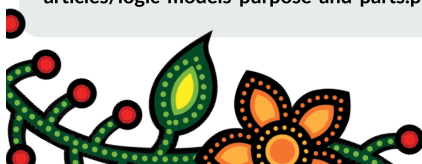
A theory of change is central to a program because it describes the program's activities and its expected outcomes based on those activities. With a theory of change, an evaluator can develop a visual map that helps to show the relationship between a program's activities and the intended outcomes! This map is called a logic model, and it is a dynamic model that shows program expectations and how to achieve them, rather than what actually happens!

References:

- Evaluation Capacity Network. (2023). E-Eval part 1, session 2. [PowerPoint slides].
- Theory of Change Examples: <https://www.theoryofchange.org/library/toc-examples/>
- Logic Model Help: <https://teaching.usask.ca/articles/logic-models-purpose-and-parts.php>

FUN FACT!

In a logic model, you want to identify the resources needed for activities, the activities themselves, the outputs from the activities, and the outcomes or changes that result from activity outputs. These can be short-term, immediate, or long-term changes.



Upcoming Events



AFRICA
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Unleashing Potential: **A BLACK ENTREPRENEURSHIP SUMMIT IN ALBERTA**

Networking | Keynote Speakers | Meals
Business Workshops | Evening Social

November 20-21, 2023
Hotel Arts, Calgary

Free to
attend



The summit will be the first-ever entrepreneurship capacity building summit for Black entrepreneurs in Alberta. It is intended to provide an empowering environment that fosters growth, success, and economic empowerment of Black entrepreneurs in Western Canada. Through a series of workshops, panel discussions, and keynote addresses, Black businesses will learn approaches to increasing and diversifying resources, strengthening leadership and governance sustaining their operations and building strong networks.

The purpose of this summit is to foster and support the growth of Black business owners in Western Canada. The summit will provide a platform for networking, learning, and collaboration among Black entrepreneurs, investors, industry experts, and other stakeholders.

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After School Drop In

Mondays – \$40/year
Fridays – \$40/year
October 2 – June 14
6 – 12 years

Mondays 3:30 – 6:00pm
Fridays 3:30 – 6:00pm (2:30
for CKCS students)

Unstructured play in our
games room, gym and
backyard in a fun and safe
environment. Snack provided.

Optional bus service from
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\$20 required.



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