

# RE-IMAGINING HEALTH SERVICES

## Innovations in Community Health Conference

November 6–8, 2008 | Vancouver, BC



Canadians hear a lot about crisis in Canada's health care system – yet we rarely hear about solutions. Community health care takes pressure off hospitals and emergency services, is an important part of preventative health, and allows people to get the care they need close to home. Yet this part of our health care system needs more recognition.

### What innovations will:

- allow people with significant health challenges to remain in their homes and communities?
- improve funding and governance?
- address the socio-economic determinants of health?
- move us from small-scale experimentation to system-wide change?

### FREE OPENING PUBLIC EVENT

November 6, 2008 | 6:30 – 9:00pm  
Vancouver Central Public Library Downtown

Hear stories of local community health innovators and initiatives.

Free, but reservations are required (please contact [eloginy@policyalternatives.ca](mailto:eloginy@policyalternatives.ca)).

### TWO-DAY CONFERENCE

November 7 – 8, 2008  
UBC Graduate Student Society Building

Speakers and presenters with both research and practitioner backgrounds will share evidence and experience about what works in community health. Together, we will explore how we can achieve positive change in the community health sector.