

2025 Blueprint for Violence Prevention Grant Recipients

Edmonton

Name of Organization (incl. website address)	Project Name & Description	Funding Amount
BGC Big Brothers Big Sisters of Edmonton and Area	Change Through Challenge This program expands an intensive early intervention model for junior high youth by combining weekly one-on-one resilience sessions with weekly fitness challenges and monthly adventure-based activities.	\$257,036
Edmonton Newcomer Centre	C5 Level Up: Youth Empowerment Program This program interrupts risks by combining monthly Recreation Access Passes with a 6-module Livability Academy Workshop Series and case management.	\$143,941
Family Futures Resource Network Society	Mill Woods Collaborative Violence Prevention Model Project This program formalizes a collaboration between three agencies to provide youth mental health support, therapeutic counseling (healing circles), healthy relationship skill-building, and youth employment readiness programming.	\$217,303
Hope for Tomorrow's Shade Association Canada (HT-SACA)	Let's Face It: An Integrated Youth Gang Crime Prevention Program This program combines community research, youth mentorship, gang violence reduction workshops, life skills, and a Family-CONNECT forum.	\$230,917
YOU CAN Youth Services (Youth Canada Association)	Relentless Youth Outreach This program offers targeted, immediate intervention for highest-risk youth (identified via EPS). Activities include structured boxing sessions, music studio time, and outdoor recreation, linking youth to emotional regulation and violence interruption.	\$95,003
Youth Restorative Action Project (YRAP) LTD	Pathways to Prevention: Youth Mentorship, Drop-Ins & EYOC Continuum Project This program expands drop-in centers, mentorship, and Edmonton Young Offender Centre (EYOC) programming (tutoring, life skills, restorative circles) using trauma-informed approaches.	\$155,800