

* Ann Davis has been conducting supervised access visits for 15 years.

* This program is not funded so the visiting parent must pay for service.

* An agreement laying out the ground rules is signed with the agency and both parents.

* Visits can take place at the office, the visiting parent's home, or as agreed by the parents.

* Visits can take place in Chilliwack or Abbotsford.

Supervised access visits...

are about the child's relationship with the parent (s)he sees less often, not about the difficulties the adults experienced as a couple.

For more information
please call 604-792-2760

Ann Davis Transition Society started in 1980. The organization is operated by a dedicated staff, committed volunteers and a Board of Directors.

What began as the provision of a safe place for abused women and their children has grown to include counselling,

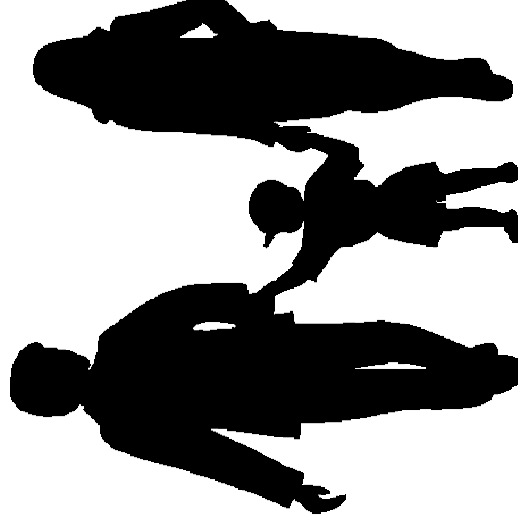
information, advocacy and community education. As our knowledge increases, we revise programs and develop new ones to help people address the issue of abuse.

The Society is a non-profit organization.

Many of our programs including Family Therapy, Youth Mentor and, Men's Group rely entirely on community donations.

You can say "No" to violence by sending a tax deductible donation to the Society .

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Our Purpose...

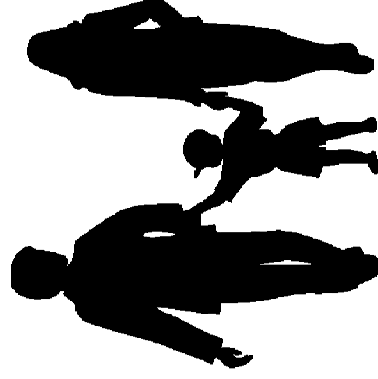
Is to be a support for the child, ensuring comfort and safety. We are objective observers who will comment on what we see and what we hear. We will gladly offer parenting suggestions and information to make the visits as easy on the child(ren) as possible. At some point supervision ends and we hope the child and both mom and dad are more comfortable in their co-parenting role.

We will...

Write a brief overview of the visits for court but please do not call us as witnesses as that further fractures relationships and places us in the middle. If you do you will be expected to pay \$150., in advance, for our time. By signing our Agreement you commit to that.

If you would like us to supervise visits you must:

1. Read our Agreement and this brochure and inform the other parent to do the same.
2. Both parents agree to two possible visit times, days and location (the first and second choice you have both agreed to.) If you have no contact orders you might use a lawyer or get the court to vary the order so a third party can negotiate access. Unless you are willing to pay for our time, Ann Davis cannot do this.
3. Parents should agree to the visit rules (p.2 of the Agreement) and make any changes. Tell us of allergies, toileting concerns, safety issues, unallowed activities.
4. When you have done this call Bobbi and make separate appointments to come in.



5. At that appointment each parent pays a non-refundable \$30.00 admin fee, (cash only). This covers setting up the visits, phone calls, faxes and paying the supervisor if one parent comes for a visit and the other does not and has not cancelled. **Each parent pays his/her own admin fee** as it is unfair for one parent to pay both and lose it if the other parent does not attend. If the court has ordered one parent to pay both fees you will have to work out a way of satisfying our rule.
6. The cost of visits is \$20.00 an hour. If the supervisor has to travel out of Chwk/Sardis to meet, or if her vehicle is used for activities, mileage will be charged. Normally pick-up and drop-off are at our Young Rd. office and the visiting parent's vehicle is used for activities. Visits can take place in our building if you wish.
7. Visits must be paid for in cash 48 hrs ahead of time.
8. It could take 5 days to organize a visit once all the above is done. Weekends are very popular so not always available. We can conduct visits from 9 am to 7pm , 7 days a week.