

VISION

Wesley Urban Ministries has a vision of community, where justice and compassion guide the way we live, where all members are treated with respect and dignity.

WESLEY OFFERS DAILY
SUPPORT TO
**CHILDREN, YOUTH, ADULTS
AND SENIORS** LIVING IN
POVERTY IN HAMILTON,
HALTON AND BRANT

MISSION

Decrease Barriers by developing and delivering programs that address the needs of people who are marginalized

Increase Opportunities by providing services that help individuals to achieve their full potential

Be a model and catalyst for social transformation



Support, every step of the way

Wesley's services are possible through generous and dedicated funders, partners, donors, volunteers and staff. We are always seeking new support for our programming and to launch innovative new ideas.

Please help us provide support, every step of the way, to children, youth, adults and seniors living in poverty in Hamilton.

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FOOD SERVICE TRAINING PROGRAM



Concept

The Wesley Food Service Training Program is graduated 3-Phase platform based around a meal preparation and catering social enterprise that provides employment training to vulnerable, marginalized and multi-barriered youth, adults and newcomers in Hamilton.

This project involves the development of a training platform that will foster independence, resilience, coping skills, decision-making, essential skills and employment preparedness.

The goal of the Wesley Food Service social enterprise is to enable participants to become active, engaged and employed members of the community.

Upon completion of each phase of training, participants will be awarded a stipend based on current minimum wage regulations.

Model

Phase 1 (2 weeks)

Pro-social skills training

During Phase 1, participants learn skills to build strong relationships and to help navigate social circumstances in a constructive manner.

Phase 2

Pre-employment & Technical Training

Phase 2 is designed to help participants plan and prepare for employment and training. This includes assessments and inventories related to skills and work interest, pre-requisites for kitchen work certification (food handling, first aid/CPR, WHMIS) and job search coaching.



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Phase 3

Practical Kitchen Training

Priorities for Phase 3 include food preparation (hot and cold meals with chef and team support), health and safety, food hygiene and kitchen organization.

By the end of this final phase, participants will have acquired the necessary skills to successfully transition into employment in the food service industry.

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