**Scarborough Community Safety week 2022**

***September 26, 2022 to October 08, 2022***

**Call for Participation**

**Scarborough Community Safety Week** is a community wide initiative led by the Toronto East Quadrant Local Immigration Partnership (TEQ LIP) in collaboration with Toronto Police 42 Division and other stakeholders. The initiative was launched in 2013, to create opportunities for service providers, newcomers, and communities to work together to address safety issues and improve neighbourhood safety measures for diverse immigrant resident groups within Scarborough.

**Target Audience:**

Scarborough Community Safety Week aims to reach Scarborough newcomer/immigrant residents, newcomer civic leaders and newcomer service providers in Scarborough.

**Major Themes of Safety Week:**

The Safety Week initiative covers five major themes namely Community Safety, Family Safety, Financial Safety, Road Safety and Youth Safety.

**Format of Events**

**September 26, 2022,** at **10:00 am** – The Launch Event will be held at Toronto Police 42 Division, 242, Milner Ave, Scarborough, ON, M1S 4K4. Following the Launch event, the Mini-Road safety event will take place at the Toronto Police 42 division parking lot

**Sep 26 – Oct 08, 2022**: Workshops, seminars and information sessions on Financial Safety, Youth Safety, Community Safety, Road Safety and Family Safety will be held at multiple locations across Scarborough. The planning committee would like to request organizations in Scarborough to participate in this initiative by organizing workshops and information sessions during this period on selected safety topics for your clients and frontline staff.

**How can you participate?**

There are many ways to participate in the safety week by:

* Organizing a workshop or information session for your staff or clients.
* Promote workshops happening in the community and invite clients to join the workshop.
* Facilitate a workshop during safety week if you have a resource person in-house.

\*Workshops, seminars, and information sessions can be organized at local venues such as the workplace, libraries, schools, agencies, community centers, Community Hubs, faith-based organizations, etc.

If you are interested in organizing a workshop, please complete the attached form and submit it to teqlip@gmail.com.

**Support from the Planning Committee**

The planning committee has complied a comprehensive list of resource persons to select a topic or facilitate a workshop you are planning to organize during safety week.

If an organization is unable to contact a resource person, the planning committee will assist in finding the appropriate resource person to facilitate the workshop.

If you are interested in organizing workshops for your client groups or staff, please feel free to contact Mani Mahadeva at mmani@agincourtcommunityservices.com or teqip@gmail.com or 416 292 6912 x331

**Confirmation of Participation**

*(Name of Business/Organization)* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ will be participating in “Scarborough Community Safety Week” which will take place from **Monday, September 26, 2022 to Friday, October 08, 2022.**

Contact name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please check the relevant boxes below indicating how you/your agency will participate in Scarborough Community Safety Week.**

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|  | Invite clients to join on-site activities related to Safety Week.  |
|  | Promote Safety Week through the agency website and/or other promotional tools (i.e. social media, newsletters, etc.). |
|  | Host workshops and presentations for clients/community (i.e. onsite or offsite) |
|  | Host workshops and presentations for service providers/ agency staff about the range of support currently available for newcomers’ safety |
|  | Other(s) |
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**Below list the event(s) your organization will host. Please note this information will be added to the Safety Week Event Calendar and posted on the TEQ LIP website.**

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| **Date** | **Location** | **Time** | **Topic and Activity** |
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**Please provide a brief description of the event(s) and the format.**

**Formats: Presentation (P), Workshop (W), Arts/Culture (A), Group Discussion (G), Others**

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 ***Remarks: (Resource Persons, other agency involved, etc.) …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….…………………………………………………………………………..……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..............................***

***Please submit the scanned/e-version of this form is to*** ***teqlip@gmail.com*** ***by Sep 16, 2022***