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\*\*The complimentary memberships must be assigned to designated persons. Professional membership fees are now discontinued. Please make all corporate donations out to the B.I.A.P.H. directly.

## BRAIN INJURY HURTS...FOREVER Peer Support Mentoring Program

In partnership with OBIA this program connects individuals living with the effects of ABI with a partner who is trying to cope with a similar ABI-related situation and is in need of support from a peer. The program is available to survivors, family members or unpaid providers of care.

Mentor/Partner matches are based on similar experiences, demographics and personal interest. The program is offered through local brain injury associations (such as B.I.A.P.H.) all over Ontario, making it possible for people to participate wherever they live.

*As a MENTOR you can help by sharing your experiences.*

Mentors provide support and share information and resources with Partners who are coping with a similar ABI-related situation. Mentoring offers an excellent opportunity to help others during their recovery while learning new skills and making new acquaintances. All MENTORS are trained before being matched with a PARTNER.

*As a PARTNER, you can learn from someone who has been there.*

Help is available at every step of your journey on the road to recovery. Whether you're a survivor or a family member, you can be matched with a MENTOR at any time after injury. Your MENTOR can even help with situations that may arise many years after injury.

The Ontario Neurotrauma Foundation is in place to develop and oversee the program and the program's evaluation.

Through the generous support of the programs development sponsors (Gluckstein & Assoc., Henderson Structured Settlements and Sibley & Assoc.), training materials have been developed.

To participate, contact B.I.A.P.H.

## B.I.A.P.H. NEEDS YOU!

The Volunteer Program is an opportunity for people to become involved in our organization through the Board of Directors, organizational sub-committees, event crew, office assistance and more. For more information please contact the B.I.A.P.H. office.

If you have any further questions or wish to contact B.I.A.P.H. regarding how you can help us to make a difference in your community please call today!

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# BIAPH



Brain Injury Association of Peel and Halton



## A Community Resource for Survivors of Acquired Brain Injury (ABI), Their Families, Advocates and Caregivers

B.I.A.P.H. is affiliated with the Ontario Brain Injury  
Association (OBIA)

[www.biaph.com](http://www.biaph.com)

## ABOUT B.I.A.P.H.:

B.I.A.P.H. offers assistance and information to survivors of ABI, their families and support network.

We are a community group of professionals and caring volunteers that helps to:

- Promote the Prevention of Acquired Brain Injury.
- Improve Quality of Care/Life.
- Provide Community Education.
- Conduct Resource Searches on behalf of our members.

## B.I.A.P.H. PROVIDES:

- Educational and supportive meetings between individuals with an acquired brain injury, their families, other support service workers and professionals.
- Social and recreational activities for individuals with a brain injury and their families.
- Financial assistance for respite care by fundraising via fundraiser events, corporate funding and membership dues.

## B.I.A.P.H. STRIVES TO:

- Establish and maintain relationships with other non-profit groups and service providers.
- Gather, disseminate and ensure that information on brain injury and its effects is accessible.

## YURI MUTIGER MEMORIAL RESPITE CARE PROGRAM

Yuri sustained a severe head injury in July 2000 as a result of a motor vehicle accident. At the time of his accident, he was a vibrant 20 year old man with a large circle of friends and family. Yuri passed away in May 2003 after a difficult struggle trying to come to terms with the devastating effects of his brain injury.

Today B.I.A.P.H.'s respite care program is funded through the YURI MUTIGER MEMORIAL RESPITE CARE FUND. Yuri's family and friends realized a need in the community for people with acquired brain injuries (ABI) and with initial funds coming from the annual GOLF4YURI Tournament they made a difference. Currently the program brings services to families who are primary caregivers to individuals with an ABI. Families are able to apply for limited respite care hours to be supported through this fund.

## WHAT THE PROGRAM OFFERS

The Respite Care Program offered by the Brain Injury Association of Peel and Halton focuses on providing relief to primary caregivers of individuals with acquired brain injuries. In this manner, we offer a variety of services across varying time periods.

Services offered for short or long periods include:

- Nursing
- Community Support Worker
- Homecare
- Health Care Aid

## CRITERIA FOR THE PROGRAM

Individuals receiving Respite Care from B.I.A.P.H.:

- are caring for an individual with an acquired brain injury,
- are providing continuous care, or
- are experiencing the critical care stages of a loved one with an acquired brain injury.

Contact B.I.A.P.H. to apply or ask for more information.

## CSN DUAL MEMBERSHIP



The Ontario Brain Injury Association (OBIA) and participating community brain injury associations, including B.I.A.P.H., have formally linked their organizations to become the

## COMMUNITY SUPPORT NETWORK.

This arrangement will provide a stronger voice for people living with Acquired Brain Injury (ABI) as well as develop and produce supportive province-wide programs.

## BELONG TO BOTH ASSOCIATIONS FOR ONE LOW FEE!

- Membership in both the OBIA and B.I.A.P.H. shall entitle individuals to one vote at both B.I.A.P.H. and OBIA's Annual General Meeting. Family members shall be entitled to no more than two at both Meetings.
- Membership in Community Support Network/Reseau De Soutien Communautaire (CSN/RSC) is available to individuals and families who support the aims and objectives of participating community associations and OBIA. Corporations, associations, partnerships or other types of organizations are welcome to support participating community associations and OBIA by listing or advertising in the online ABI Directory of Services, but may not hold CSN/RSC membership.
- Members will receive a one-year subscription to OBIA Review.
- Members will be kept informed of all events hosted by B.I.A.P.H and our Monthly Support Groups.
- Members may participate in the Peer Support Mentoring Program for People Living with ABI.
- Members will have free access to OBIA's resource library and be eligible for a \$25.00 discount on most of OBIA's training programs.

## CSN DUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES:

Individual	\$30.00
Family (2 or more people living at the same address)	\$50.00
Subsidized (where applicable)	\$5.00

All membership fees are equally divided between OBIA and B.I.A.P.H.

## MEMBERSHIP ISN'T THE ONLY WAY TO SUPPORT B.I.A.P.H.

### Personal Donation Form

Please accept my support of the Brain Injury Association of Peel and Halton (B.I.A.P.H.).

Enclosed is my/our donation for:

\_\_\_\_\_ \$500.00      \_\_\_\_\_ \$100.00  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$75.00      \_\_\_\_\_ \$50.00  
or other amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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