

BC Epilepsy Society Statement on the COVID-19 Pandemic

During the time of the COVID-19 pandemic, all of us at the BC Epilepsy Society and the I AM A VOICE for Epilepsy Awareness™ campaign are making decisions that best support our health, the health of our members and constituents and the health of the communities in which we live and work.

The Public Health Agency of Canada has assessed the public health risk associated with COVID-19 in Canada as low, and, as such, our office in Burnaby currently remains open. For those of you who are choosing to spend less time out in public at this time, we are always available via phone at 604-875-6704, via email at info@bcepilepsy.com and online at www.bcepilepsy.com.

Based on the recommendation from health officials and all levels of the government of cancelling large gatherings to prevent spread of COVID-19, the decision has been made that the following events will be cancelled and will be postponed and rescheduled to a later date:

- 1. Victoria Screening of the What If ... Documentary Series™ on March 26th
- 2. Vancouver Premiere of the What If ... Documentary Series™ on March 28th

All tickets purchased to the above events will be refunded and we do apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. Regarding the rescheduled event, we will be providing further details to you later on and we hope that all of you will be able to make it to the rescheduled event.

In addition to the above events being cancelled, we have also cancelled all in-person support groups for the month of March.

The health and well-being of our staff, board, volunteers, members and constituents is and always will be our top priority. To get informed about COVID-19, please check out our blog post on the subject at http://bit.ly/38NagDf.

We sincerely appreciate your understanding and will continue to keep you appraised of all new developments to our programming in this ever-evolving situation.

Kind regards,

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