

# ConnecTra's Abilities Expo

Curiosity. Creativity.  
Community.

Sponsor  
&  
Vendor  
Application

**Application Due:**

March 31st, 2024

**Submit Application to:**

[echambers@connectra.org](mailto:echambers@connectra.org)

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## What is Abilities Expo?

ConnecTra Society is hosting their 13th exhibition event connecting people with disabilities with service providers & opportunities. Read more about it below.

Since 2010, ConnecTra's Abilities Expo has been an opportunity for people with disabilities, their families, caregivers, seniors, and healthcare professionals to learn about local resources and connect with others in the community. The event brings together like-minded organizations and resources that can help inform and enrich health and well-being. The event is about introducing opportunities and discovering what is possible for us all.

The theme for this year's Abilities Expo is **Curiosity. Creativity. Community**. With COVID-19 taking a particularly large toll on people with disabilities, this long-standing opportunity for social engagement and education is imperative to the health of the community, now more than ever. **Curiosity. Creativity. Community** is focused on showcasing resources in our community to help us all satiate our curiosities with creativity and choose the path we want for our lives.

The Expo features inspirational and informative talks, relevant services/products, interactive activities for kids and adults alike, and employers who promote diversity and inclusion. \*Last year's attendance was approximately 400 people.

**ConnecTra's Abilities Expo: Curiosity. Creativity. Community** will take place on **Wednesday, May 22nd from 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM at Roundhouse Community Centre, in Vancouver**. If you have expertise, products or equipment that support people with disabilities, come join us!

**Please complete the application and email it to: [echambers@connectra.org](mailto:echambers@connectra.org)**

*For additional questions or for a printable version of this form, feel free to contact the ConnecTra Program Coordinator, Emily Chambers, at [echambers@connectra.org](mailto:echambers@connectra.org).*

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All levels include a booth at the event, if you would prefer to be strictly a financial partner, please call or email Emily Chambers, event organizer. (778) 945-8829 or echambers@connectra.org

Level	Qualifying Amount	Benefits
<b>Diamond</b> <i>(2 sponsorship opportunities available)</i>	\$5,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Named Partner for the event</b></li> <li>• <b>First choice booth assignment</b></li> <li>• <b>Mentioned in all press and social media releases</b></li> <li>• <b>Highlighted as a partner on all promotional materials</b></li> <li>• <b>Opportunity for ten-minute presentation at event</b></li> <li>• <b>Opportunity to place ¼ page advertisement in Discover Newsletter circulated to over 4,500 readers</b></li> <li>• <b>Opportunity to place business banner at entrance of the venue</b></li> <li>• <b>Thank you acknowledgement at intermissions and personal introduction of your company/organization</b></li> <li>• <b>Opportunity to advertise on ConnecTogether Programming for 3 months</b></li> <li>• <b>Opportunity to connect with approximately 350+ attendees*</b></li> </ul>
<b>Platinum</b> <i>(3 sponsorship opportunities)</i>	\$3,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Opportunity for five-minute presentation at event</b></li> <li>• <b>Thank you acknowledgement at intermissions</b></li> <li>• <b>Opportunity to advertise on ConnecTogether Programming for 3 months</b></li> <li>• <b>Company name and logo listed in Discover Newsletter circulated to over 4,500 readers</b></li> <li>• <b>Prominent company recognition on promotional materials</b></li> <li>• <b>A priority placed booth/table</b></li> <li>• <b>Opportunity to connect with approximately 350+ attendees*</b></li> </ul>



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Level	Qualifying Amount	Benefits
<b>Gold</b> <i>(4 sponsorship opportunities)</i>	\$1,200	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Opportunity to advertise on ConnecTogether Programming for 3 months</b></li> <li>• Company name and logo listed in Discover Newsletter circulated to over 4,500 readers</li> <li>• Company recognition <b>prominently</b> placed on promotional materials</li> <li>• A <b>priority placed</b> booth/table</li> <li>• Opportunity to connect with approximately <b>350+ attendees*</b></li> </ul>
<b>Silver</b> <i>(5 sponsorship opportunities)</i>	\$600	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Company name and logo listed in Discover Newsletter circulated to over 4,500 readers</b></li> <li>• Company recognition on promotional materials</li> <li>• A booth/table</li> <li>• Opportunity to connect with approximately <b>350+ attendees*</b></li> </ul>
<b>Bronze</b>	\$300	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Company recognition on promotional materials</b></li> <li>• A booth/table</li> <li>• Opportunity to connect with approximately <b>350+ attendees*</b></li> </ul>
<b>Non-profit</b>	\$75	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A booth/table</li> <li>• Opportunity to connect with approximately <b>350+ attendees*</b></li> </ul>



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Company/Organization Name:

Company/Organization Address:

Company/Organization Website:

Contact Name & Position

Contact Phone Number:

Contact Email Address:

Company/Organization Description:

Diamond(\$5,000)

Platinum(\$3,000)

Gold(\$1,200)

Silver(\$600)

Bronze(\$300)

Non-Profit(\$75)

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### COVID-19 PROTOCOLS:

To protect all attendees, we expect our clients and partners to **comply with COVID-19 health and safety regulations**. All company or organization representatives must agree to follow BC COVID-19 protocols to attend and work at the **Abilities Expo 2024: Curiosity. Creativity. Community**.

### PAYMENT DETAILS:

Full payment due at the time of completing this agreement. Cheques are due no later than March 31st, 2024, and can be mailed with applications to:

*ConnecTra Society*

*110-2285 Clark Drive, Vancouver, BC V5N 3G9*

### CANCELLATION:

In the event that you seek to cancel this agreement, you must provide **30 days written notice** in order to receive a full refund. All cancellations less than 30 days from the conference will not be refunded. Vendor acknowledges that vendor's failure to appear at the conference does not release the vendor from responsibility for payment of the full cost of the vendor table.

**Abilities Expo 2024: Curiosity. Creativity. Community** will be held **in person** at the Roundhouse Community Centre. In the event that COVID-19 restrictions strengthen and prevent the Expo from occurring, vendors will receive a full refund of their payment.

**Print Name:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**