



The  
Washington  
State

*Heart Gallery*

# Resource Fair

August 7, 2004, Saturday • Seattle Center • 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Learn how you can make a difference in the lives of others.

*Visit the Heart Gallery exhibit on the third floor balcony. See the compelling faces of those who need our help. Then talk to experts about opportunities to lend a hand.*



**FREE**

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Detailed information about how you can have a rewarding role in the lives of those who need encouragement, companionship and assistance is available at free 30-minute discussion sessions in the third floor balcony conference rooms.

### **Adoption and Foster Care Opportunities**

Northwest Adoption Exchange & World Association for Children & Parents staff  
CONFERENCE ROOM A: 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30

### **Mentor Program**

DSHS Juvenile Rehabilitation Administration staff  
CONFERENCE ROOM B: 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30

### **Scholarship Programs**

Washington Education Foundation staff  
CONFERENCE ROOM B: 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30

### **Respite & Child Foster Care for people with developmental disabilities**

DSHS Division of Developmental Disabilities staff  
CONFERENCE ROOM C: 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30

### **Volunteer Services for Seniors**

Catholic Community Services Volunteer Chore program staff  
CONFERENCE ROOM C: 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30

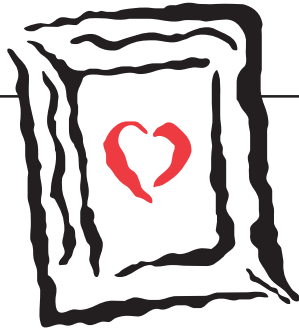
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### **Visit with social service experts available at clearly marked tables on the Center House main floor:**

- Juvenile Justice Mentoring Network
- Bethany Christian Services
- Catholic Community Services
- King County Metro Access
- YMCA of Greater Seattle
- Fremont Public Association
- World Association of Children & Parents
- Service Alternatives for Adults
- Adoption Advocates International
- Northwest Adoption Exchange
- Shield Health Care Centers
- Hopelink
- Building Strong Families

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# Washington State Heart Gallery Project



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*Opening hearts  
through the arts*

The Heart Gallery project is a visually stunning exhibit of portraits that capture the spirit of Washington residents of all ages who need our help and encouragement.

Nine of the Northwest's premiere photographers volunteered their expertise to create visual images of children, teens, adults, families and seniors supported by Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) programs.

The goal of the Heart Gallery is to elicit the public's willingness and desire to take roles in these and other individual's lives as friends, foster parents, adoptive parents, companions, mentors, employers and contributors.

DSHS is partnering with the art community, generous businesses and private social service agencies to bring this museum quality photography exhibit to King County venues.

Admission to the exhibit is free. Brochures will be available detailing "How to Help."

New Mexico created the Heart Gallery concept in 2001 to find adoptive homes for children. Washington is believed to be the first state to expand the project to include teens, families, adults and seniors.

Together we can make a difference in the lives of citizens in Washington State.

Visit the Heart Gallery Project Web site at  
<http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/heartgallery>