



Nikkei Seniors  
Health Care &  
Housing Society

## Japanese Canadian Survivors Health & Wellness Fund

### Grant Information for Underserved Individuals

#### Who is eligible?

- Given current funding constraints, eligibility for the current round of funding is limited to Japanese Canadian **survivors** who are currently **underserved**
- We describe **survivors** as:
  - living people of Japanese descent who were directly impacted by BC Government actions between 1942 and April 1, 1949 and currently live in Canada.
  - This includes seniors who were not displaced, but were living in BC during this time, and who were born during this period to families who chose to leave BC as a result of government actions.
- We describe **underserved** as:
  - Currently being provided with inadequate health and wellness services for *any* of the following reasons:
    - frailty, including reduced health or requiring assistance with the activities of daily living (e.g. bathing, dressing, cooking/eating, managing medication, household chores, driving, shopping, etc.),
    - facing financial hardship,
    - lacking connections or no longer able to be involved with community organizations or small groups,
    - living in a geographical area that is remote, or
    - living in a geographical area that has very few survivors.
- At this time, underserved survivors or their representatives may apply for one grant per person, to a maximum of \$750, to help with their health and wellness needs.
- Depending on the number of applications and the funds available, your application may only receive partial funding—preference will be given to applicants who satisfy more *conditions* as stated in the underserved explanation above.
- In the application, you will be asked to list the locations of where you lived between 1942 and April 1, 1949 (e.g. Steveston, Kaslo, Midway, etc.)