

MISSION & OBJECTIVES

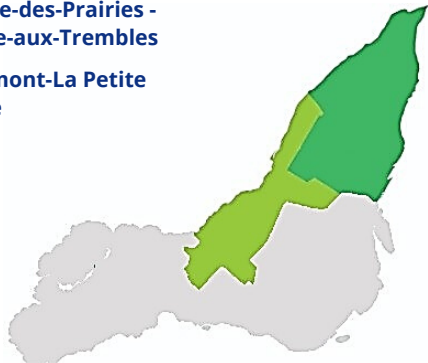
REISA is building a network of youth organizations servicing both English and French speaking youth (12-30) in Montreal's East and North island territories.

Who Can Join our Network?

- Organizations that are already working with English-speaking youth
- Organizations currently servicing French speaking youth who wish to adapt and extend their services in English

NETWORK TERRITORY

- Ahuntsic-Cartierville Saint-Laurent
- Anjou Saint-Leonard
- Mercier- Hochelaga St-Michel - Villeray -
Maisonneuve Parc Extension
- Rivière-des-Prairies -
Pointe-aux-Trembles
- Rosemont-La Petite
Patrie



Public Institutions



Schools



Youth Tables



Employability Organizations



Community Organizations



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WHAT WE CAN OFFER

PARTNERSHIP BUILDING

Initiating and building partnerships with English and French youth organizations



NETWORKING & KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE

Facilitating networking and best practices exchanges between English and French youth organizations



INTEGRATION & ADAPTATION OF EXISTING SERVICES

Facilitating the adaptation of existing French language services for English speaking youth



TRANSLATION SERVICES

French to English translation for community organizations



PILOT PROJECT OUTREACH

Researching funding opportunities for innovative pilot projects and outreach



34 035 Number of English-Speaking youth in the East + North of Montreal

6 English high schools in East + North of Montreal

+4800 English-speaking students

69% Total percentage of English-Speaking youth (15-29) with an income of \$20 000 or less

12% Total percentage of English-Speaking youth (15-29) who are unemployed

23% Total percentage of English-Speaking youth (15-29) living below the low-income cut-off

47% Percentage of English-Speakers in the East of Montreal who did not take part in any community activities for youth

39% Percentage of English-Speakers in the North of Montreal who did not take part in any community activities for youth

STATISTICS & ISSUES

REISA's **2019 Youth Network Stakeholder's Forum** identified recurring issues facing English speaking youth and French language organizations wishing to build bridges with the English speaking communities:

- 1 Distance and transportation
- 2 Lack of youth engagement in extracurricular activities
- 3 Visibility and awareness of English and French youth services
- 4 Questions relating to identity and culture
- 5 Employability 'soft' skills and lack of practical work experiences for youth



REISA: Part of Larger Networks

25 Quebec English-speaking minority communities benefit from organisational support teams such as REISA.

With support from the Government of Québec, the Community Health and Social Services Network (CHSSN) promotes community development and capacity-building

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