

# Getting along together is important.

## This is what Ontario is doing to help develop understanding between people.



As our society grows more diverse, community tensions may arise from time to time. Our responsibility is to help individuals, groups and communities resolve any difficulties that may occur, and reduce tension so that greater understanding and respect may be reached.

The Ontario Human Rights Code is designed to assure the rights and dignity of all persons without regard to race,

creed, colour, nationality, ancestry, place of origin, age (40-65), sex and marital status.

In addition to investigating and mediating complaints of discrimination in such areas as employment, housing, public services and facilities, job advertisements and the posting of signs and notices, the Ontario Human Rights Commission works for healthier relations between groups at the community level.

Community counselling is one of the major roles of your Ontario Human Rights Commission. We endeavour to break down communication barriers among groups by working together with agencies, institutions and the community itself. By explaining both the rights and responsibilities of all residents in this province, we believe that the aims and the objectives of the Code can be achieved.

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