



Buying or selling a home? Planning your next move? Take some of the stress out of moving

(NC)—According to 2006 Canada Census information, 41% of all Canadians aged five and over have moved in the last five years, with 16% to 18% of Canadians moving every year.

With all that practice, you'd think that moving would be easy. Yet, no matter how many times we do it, buying a home and moving is a major undertaking.

With this in mind, RBC recently launched two new websites that help make the entire process of moving and settling in easier and more rewarding. www.findingyourhome.ca provides advice, tips, and checklists to take you through the moving process step-by-step, with information on everything from how to prepare your house for selling to finding a doctor or dentist in the new community.

Finding the ideal community

Any time someone thinks of moving - to a new town, a new part of town, or to Canada for the first time – one of the big questions is, which neighbourhood is right for my family? Of course, “the right place” means different things to different people. www.communitycorner.ca goes a long way towards helping people locate their ideal community. It provides details on the demographic and cultural makeup of 95% of all communities in Canada, from Antigonish to Ucluelet. The site lets you compare neighbourhoods including home values or find child care services, parks and fire stations to grocery stores, libraries and movie theatres. It identifies neighbourhoods that are closest to the things individuals want to be near, whether it's their new workplace or a specific cultural community.

For moving tips visit www.communitycorner.ca and www.communitycorner.ca.

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