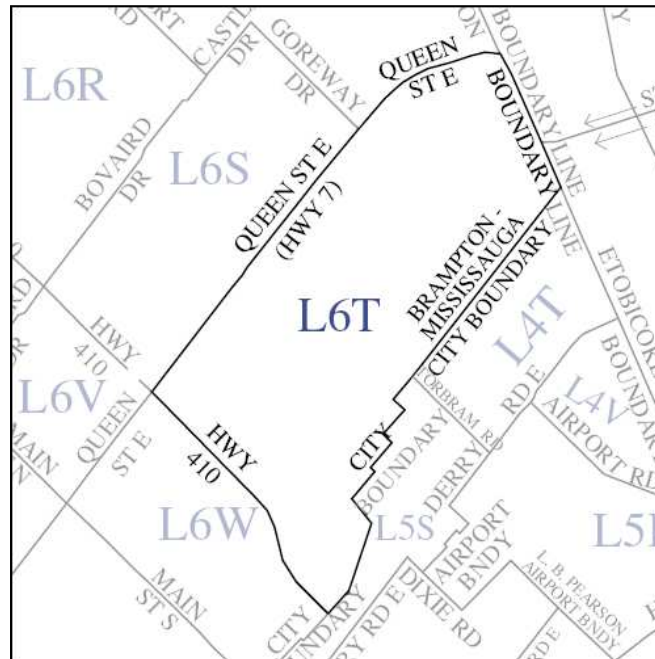


## L6T (Bramalea, Brampton)



Variables	#	%
Total population	36,495	
Total immigrant population	17,660	48.8% *
Total recent immigrants (2001-2006)	5,870	33.2% **
Total agencies serving immigrants in Brampton	48	
Agencies in L6T serving immigrants	10	20.8%

\* % of Total Population by Immigration Status

\*\* % of Immigrant Population

AGENCY	TELEPHONE
Brampton Library	905-793-4636
Brampton Multicultural Centre	(905) 790-8482
Community Environment Alliance of Peel/CEA	905-463-9941
Muslim Community Services	905-790-1910
Myanmar Cultural Association of Brampton	905-799-5739
Ontario Early Years Centre	905-791-9650
Peel Health Services Department (e.g. Pregnancy Programs, Adult Programs)	905-799-7700
Senior Coordinate Services	905-458-3295
South Asian Welcome Centre	905-790-0676
Sunshine Senior Citizen Association	905-458-9721

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## L6T 2006 (Overview)

<b>Population</b>			<b>Marital Status</b>		
Male:	18,030	49.4%	Single:	9,185	31.8%
Female:	18,465	50.6%	Married:	14,695	50.9%
Total Population:	36,495		Widowed:	1,520	5.3%
Population Growth 2001 to 2006:		-10.7%	Divorced or Separated:	3,480	12.0%
<b>Age Groups</b>			<b>Families</b>		
0 - 4 years:	2,500	6.9%	Couple Families:	7,995	77.5%
5 - 9 years:	2,525	6.9%	Lone-Parent Families:	2,315	22.5%
10 - 14 years:	2,575	7.1%	<b>Population Living Alone</b>		
15 - 24 years:	4,800	13.2%	Individuals Living Alone:	2,330	6.4%
25 - 44 years:	11,515	31.6%	Seniors Living Alone:	705	17.5%
45 - 64 years:	8,470	23.2%	<b>Home Ownership</b>		
65+ years:	4,110	11.3%	Owned Dwellings:	7,730	62.0%
<b>Immigrants</b>			Rented Dwellings:	4,700	37.7%
Total Immigrant Population:	17,660	48.8%*	<b>Type of Housing</b>		
By Place of Birth (Top 3)			Single Detached:	2,700	21.7%
1. Southern Asia	6,565	37.2%	Apartments 5+ Storeys:	5,475	43.3%
2. Caribbean and Bermuda	2,190	12.4%	Other:	4,290	34.4%
3. South American	1,660	9.4%	<b>Education</b>		
<b>Visible Minorities</b>			Total population 15 years+	28,640	100.0%
Total Visible Minorities	19,005	52.5%*	No Certificate or Diploma	6,955	24.3%
By Visible Minority Group (Top 3)			High School Certificate	8,720	30.4%
1. South Asian	9,575	26.4%	Trades with Cert/Diploma	2,435	8.5%
2. Black	4,090	11.3%	Community College	4,575	16.0%
3. Latin American	1,245	3.4%	University:		
<b>Language (Mother Tongue)</b>			Without degree	1,465	5.1%
Total Population	36,220	100.0%	Bachelor degree or higher	4,485	15.7%
By Mother Tongue:	36,220	100.0%	<b>Employment (Population 15 years+)</b>		
Multiple Responses	975	2.7%	Participation Rate:	68.1%	(19,505)
Single Responses:	35,250	97.3%	Unemployment Rate:	6.7%	(1,300)
English:	21,385	59.0%	<b>Income &amp; Poverty in 2005</b>		
French:	315	0.9%	Average Family income**	\$69,371	
Non-Official Languages	13,550	37.4%	Median Family income	\$61,751	
Punjabi	2,330	6.4%	% in low income Families before tax	16.3%	
Urdu	2,165	6.0%	% in low income Families after tax	11.9%	
Spanish	1,320	3.6%	<b>Neighbourhood Postal Code</b>		
Gujarati	965	2.7%	L6T		
Hindi	595	1.6%			
Other languages	6,175	17.0%			

\* % of total L6T population

\*\* Income includes employment income, government transfers (OAS, EI), pensions, etc.

Source: The Social Planning Council of Peel, September, 2008 (based on Statistics Canada, Census of Canada, 2006).

Note: Totals may not exactly equal the sum of their components due to rounding.

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### Agency Description

Name	<b>Brampton Library – Chinguacousy Branch</b>
Address	150 Central Park Dr., Brampton, ON L6T 2T9
Telephone	905-793-4636
Fax	905-793-0506
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:info@bramlib.on.ca">info@bramlib.on.ca</a>
Website	<a href="http://www.bramptonlibrary.ca">www.bramptonlibrary.ca</a>
Executive Director	Adele Kostiak, CEO
Date of Charitable Status	1/1/1976
Description	Brampton Library has 6 locations: four are permanent branches and 2 are interim sites. The Library offers a wide variety of programs and services
Programs & Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adults</li> <li>• Seniors</li> <li>• Multicultural and business communities</li> <li>• Teens and children</li> </ul>
Funding	Local Government
Map	<a href="#">View Google Map</a>

Name	<b>Brampton Multicultural Centre</b>
Address	Bramalea Civic Centre, 150 Central Park Drive, Ste 107, Brampton, ON L6T 2T9
Telephone	(905) 790-8482
Fax	(905) 790-8488
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:services@bmccentre.org">services@bmccentre.org</a>
Website	<a href="http://www.bmccentre.org">www.bmccentre.org</a>
Executive Director	Ahmed Iqbal
Date of Establishment	4/1/1987
Date of Charitable Status	4/1/1993
Description	Offers immigrant settlement & adaptation program (ISAP) to new immigrants within their first year of arrival in Canada. Have a special focus on immigrants speaking African
Programs & Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assist immigrants to settle effectively in Canada</li> <li>• Offer orientation and information sessions</li> <li>• Provide interpretation &amp; translations</li> <li>• Offer employment related support</li> <li>• Conduct initial needs assessment</li> <li>• Offer referrals to appropriate services</li> <li>• Provide solution-focused counseling</li> <li>• Offer service bridging in both official languages</li> </ul>
Funding	Regional / Municipal - Region of Peel; Provincial - Ontario. Ministry of Citizenship & Immigration; Federal - Citizenship and Immigration Canada; Fundraising; Donations; United Way
Map	<a href="#">View Google Map</a>

## L6T (Bramalea, Brampton)

Name	<b>Community Environment Alliance of Peel/CEA</b>
Address	222 Advance Blvd, Unit 7, Brampton, ON L6T 4Y7
Telephone	905-463-9941
Fax	905-463-9942
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:info@communityenvironment.org">info@communityenvironment.org</a>
Website	<a href="http://www.communityenvironment.org">www.communityenvironment.org</a>
Executive Director	Ranjana Mitra
Description	Community Environment Alliance of Peel (CEA) is a registered, non-profit, community based organization dedicated to promoting sustainability through education and empowerment at the grassroots level.
Programs & Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share IT: Computers for Community - provides refurbished computers and peripherals to families and students in need</li> <li>• Act-Heal: Active Healthy Living</li> </ul>
Funding	Regional / Municipal - Region of Peel; Federal - HRSDC; Environment Canada; Grants - Trillium Foundation; Private - Shell Environmental Fund; United Nations Environment Program (UNEP)
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Name	<b>Muslim Community Services</b>
Address	150 Central Park Dr, Ste 304, Brampton, ON L6T 2T9,
Telephone	905-790-1910
Fax	905-790-3866
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:info@muslimcommunity.org">info@muslimcommunity.org</a>
Website	<a href="http://www.muslimcommunity.org">www.muslimcommunity.org</a>
Executive Director	Ahmed Iqbal
Date of Establishment	1987
Description	Muslim Community Services (MCS) is a not-for-profit multi-service agency, managed by a volunteer Board of Directors, focusing on the needs of immigrants, newcomers, refugees and other community members.
Programs & Services	Language Instruction to Newcomers to Canada (LINC)
Funding	Regional / Municipal; Provincial; Federal; Foundation - Ontario Trillium Foundation; New Horizon
Map	<a href="#">View Google Map</a>

## L6T (Bramalea, Brampton)

Name	<b>Myanmar Cultural Association of Brampton</b>
Address	C/o Bessie Terzi, 7 Caledon Crt, Brampton, ON L6T 1Z6
Phone	905-799-5739
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:info@mcab.ca">info@mcab.ca</a>
Other Contact	Bessie Terzi, Secretary
Date of Establishment	2005
Description	Non Profit, Multicultural group dedicated to preserving, developing and promoting Myanmar culture in Canada through performing arts
Programs and Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provides educational and instructional programs</li> <li>• Sponsors literary, musical and other cultural events to increase public awareness of Myanmar culture (Myanmar previously known as Burma)</li> </ul>

Name	<b>Ontario Early Years Centre</b>
Address	Bramalea Civic Centre, 150 Central Park Dr., Unit 101, Brampton, ON, L6T 2T9
Telephone	905-791-9650
Fax	905-791-5318
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:oeycmns@mnsinfo.org">oeycmns@mnsinfo.org</a>
Website	<a href="http://www.ontarioearlyyears.ca">www.ontarioearlyyears.ca</a>
Description	Offers a range of free educational and parenting services for all parents/caregivers with children, newborn to 6 years old
Programs & Services	<p>Programs such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infant Mother Goose (Newborn – 18 months)</li> <li>• Babies in Playland (Newborn – 18 months)</li> <li>• Toddler Mother Goose (18 months – 3 years)</li> <li>• Shake Rattle &amp; Roll (18 months – 3 years)</li> <li>• Tot Stop (18 months – 3 years)</li> <li>• Learning Lab (4 – 6 years)</li> <li>• School Here I Come (4 – 6 years)</li> <li>• Lets Create (All ages)</li> </ul>
Funding	Provincial
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Name	<b>Peel Health Services Department (e.g. Pregnancy Programs, Adult Programs)</b>
Address	44 Peel Centre Dr, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor, Brampton, ON L6T 4B5
Telephone	Health Line Peel 905-799-7700
Fax	905-789-6853
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:Janice.Creelman@peelregion.on.ca">Janice.Creelman@peelregion.on.ca</a>
Website	<a href="http://www.peelregion.ca">www.peelregion.ca</a>
Contact	Janice Creelman, Prenatal Clerk
Description	Peel Public Health offers a variety of free prenatal classes to meet the needs of the residents of Peel. A Public Health Nurse facilitates all classes.
Programs & Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pregnancy to Parenting Early Series (weekend series)</li> <li>• An in-depth look at the entire prenatal period (including a post-delivery reunion);</li> <li>• Fathering class</li> </ul>
Funding	Regional / Municipal

Name	<b>Senior Coordinate Services</b>
Address	C/o Gimna Ramirez, 5 Kingcross Rd, Apt 809, Brampton, ON L6T 3X6
Telephone	905-458-3295
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:senior_coordinate_services@hotmail.com">senior_coordinate_services@hotmail.com</a>
Website	<a href="http://torontohispano.com">torontohispano.com</a>
Other Contact	Gimna Ramirez, <a href="mailto:gimnaramirez@msn.com">Email: gimnaramirez@msn.com</a>
Date of Establishment	2002
Description	Senior Coordinate Services (SCS) is a non-profit group offering social and cultural activities to promote and enhance healthy life style for Hispanic seniors
Programs and Services	<p>Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support groups for mental health issues</li> <li>• Seniors visits in home, nursing homes, hospitals, for Hispanic seniors only</li> <li>• Information Referral</li> <li>• ESL and offers the following services:</li> </ul>

Name	<b>South Asian Welcome Centre</b>
Address	30 Intermodal Dr, Unit 201, Brampton, ON L6T 5K1
Telephone	905-790-0676
Fax	905-790-8586
E-Mail	<a href="mailto:sawcentre@bellnet.ca">sawcentre@bellnet.ca</a>
Executive Director	William D. Virgin

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Other Contact	Sushil David, Administrative Assistant
Date of Establishment	2002
Description	Non Profit, South Asian centre provides counselling with cultural awareness to the South Asian population
Programs and Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Individual, group, marital, addiction, anger-management, children and family counseling</li> <li>• Works with Peel Children's Aid Society to provide counseling to children and families through referrals (offered at office and in home setting)</li> <li>• Offers basic computer classes</li> <li>• Assists with settlement issues, either at office or through</li> <li>• A referral system</li> <li>• Educates the community about South Asian culture at fairs or through seminars and workshops</li> </ul>
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Name	<b>Sunshine Senior Citizen Association</b>
Address	Bramalea Civic Centre, Music Room, 150 City Centre Dr., Brampton, ON L6T 2T9
Telephone	905-458-9721
Other Contact	Gurbachan Singh Sooch, President
Description	Non-Profit
Programs and Services	Seniors group – meets for social activities