



Musqueam Community Newsletter

Friday December 9, 2022

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Musqueam Indian Band

Special Purpose Meeting

Consolidated Financial Statements Audit Presentation by MNP

Attention to all Musqueam band members the consolidated statements for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2022 will be presented to the Musqueam membership, this is an important meeting that you are encouraged to attend.

What: Special Purpose Meeting - Presentation of the March 31, 2022 M.I.B Consolidated Statements by MNP

When: Wednesday December 14, 2022 (5:30pm dinner 6:00pm meeting called to order)

Where: Musqueam Gymnasium 6777 Salish Drive, Vancouver, BC V6N 4C4

If you have any questions please contact the Musqueam Finance Department at 604 263-3261.

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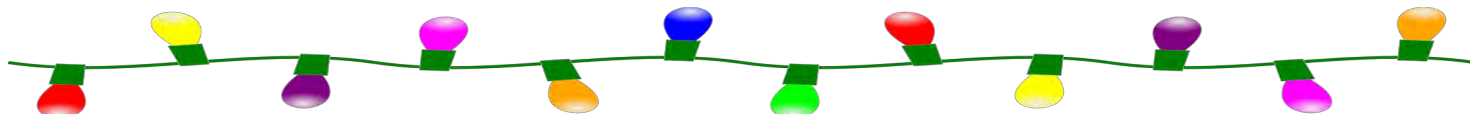
Please come and join us for Mass at

St. Michael's Church
Every Sunday @ 1:00 pm.

Thank you, Jeannie Campbell—

604-781-5641

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MUSQUEAM CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY

*Please we are urging guests who are sick to not attend the party, you can arrange for someone else to pick up your children's present if you registered them.

There will be stations for everyone to visit (visit them all or only visit the ones you are comfortable with).

*Animal Petting Zoo (outside community centre)

*Face painting, balloon twisters, photo booth, cookie decorating, Santa and friends, presents, breakfast and treats (all inside gymnasium)

Date: Saturday December 10th, 2022

Time: 10:30 am

Location: Musqueam Community Centre 6777 Salish Drive

If you have any questions please call 604 263-3261



Share your thoughts and contribute to Musqueam's voice in planning the future of UBC's campus.

NEW DATE: Join us for dinner on *December 13, 2022, from 5:30 - 8:30 pm.*

This community dinner will be an informal space to share stories, ideas, and feedback with UBC. Your contributions are important input to Musqueam's voice in UBC's Campus Vision 2050 Plan, which will shape how the physical campus changes and grows over the next 30 years.



Date: December 13, 2022

Time: 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Location: Musqueam Cultural Centre

Registration is not required.

- This event is for Musqueam community members only.
- Dinner served by Salishan Catering at 5:30 pm, presentation begins at 6:00 pm.
- Activities available for children at this event.
- Financial assistance for travel is available for those who live off-reserve (contact Aviva Savelson for details).

Five \$100 Visa gift cards available to be won through a prize draw for those who participate!

If you have questions or are not able to attend and want to learn more, please contact:

Aviva Savelson (UBC) at aviva.savelson@ubc.ca / 604-822-0273 or

Tecla Van Bussel (MIB) at tvambussel@musqueam.bc.ca / 604-263-3261.

Alternatively, you can share your thoughts through an online survey until December 14 at:

www.campusvision2050.ubc.ca/musqueam-engagement

**This dinner was originally scheduled for November 29 but was postponed due to weather.*



THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
Campus + Community Planning

UBC
campus
vision
2050



Coping Through The Holidays

**Coping strategies
& resources**

**For those who have
suffered the death of a
loved one**

**No charge to
participate**

The holidays can prove to be a difficult time of year for anyone grieving. This gathering will be a supportive community event focused on providing coping strategies, resources as well as discussing ways to navigate the holiday season alone or with loved ones. There will be a candle lighting ceremony, and a brief memorial for those grieving the death of a loved one.

The event is facilitated by the Vancouver Hospice Bereavement Counselling Team and is open to Vancouver residents.

Where: Celebration Hall - 5445 Fraser Street, Vancouver

When: December 2nd - 7:00pm - 9:00pm

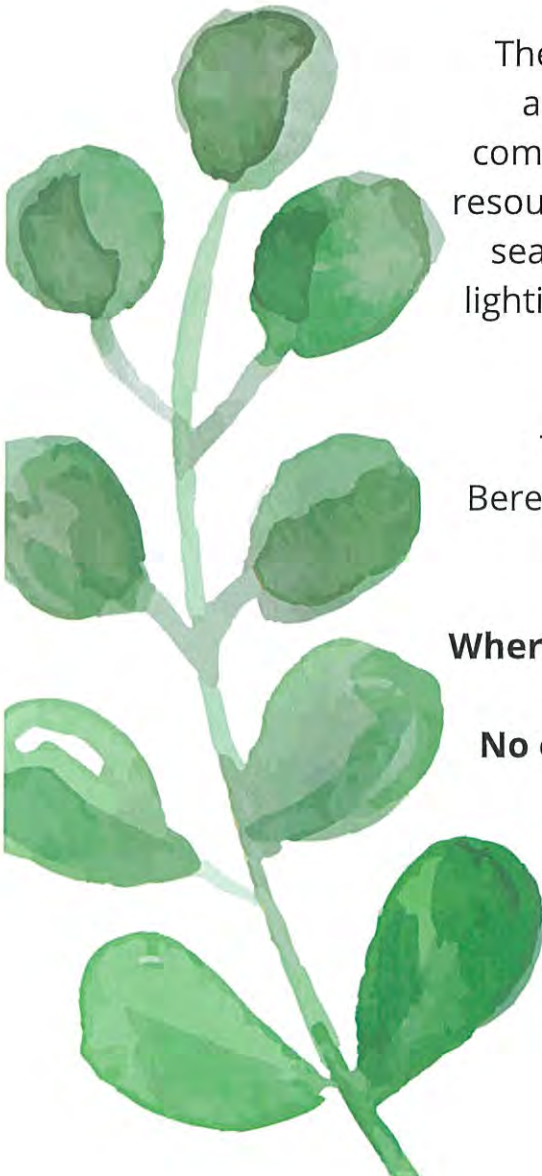
No charge to participate - *Registration is required*

To register, please email:

alison@vancouverhospice.org

For more information, please contact:

phone: **604-737-7305 ext 216**



ANNUAL VANCOUVER
CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT
SATURDAY DECEMBER 17, 2022



8AM TO 4PM - RAIN OR SHINE

*Are you interested in Birds &
Nature? Come join us in our quest to
count all the birds in the Musqueam
area on December 17.*

Contact Donna or Alan McKenzie at

604-261-1929

or admckenzie@shaw.ca for further
information.

No experience or equipment is needed. Pre-registration is required as group sizes are limited. Participants under 16 must be accompanied.

This Count is organized by Nature Vancouver, as part of an annual international citizen science volunteer effort to document bird populations and status. The counts have been running annually for over 120 years.



Museum of Anthropology News

The Museum of Anthropology (MOA) will have to close temporarily to the public starting on January 16th 2023. While this was a very difficult decision to make, it was absolutely necessary in order to move the building project forward towards our desired completion date of November of 2023.

MOA is working to continue as many programs as possible during the closure and prioritizing our work with Indigenous communities. Information on a number of our programs follows:

1. The Native Youth Program – will continue to operate as it has done over the past 43 years in the summer of 2023. Instead of providing tours at MOA, youth will work with MOA and Emily Carr on art education initiatives.
2. The Indigenous Internship Program – will continue to operate with two cohorts. One starting in May of 2023 and one in October of 2023. We may have to modify some of the activities of these groups depending on the construction schedule.
3. The Collections Access Program – this program provides access to belongings and treasures at MOA for community members. This program will continue to operate, however, there may be several black-out periods when we will be unable to offer visits for larger groups. We will work to keep these periods as short as possible.

SMOKESHOP HOLIDAY HOURS 2022

MONDAY DEC 19TH – CLOSED

TUESDAY DEC 20TH – CLOSED

WEDNESDAY DEC 21ST 1PM–4:45PM

THURSDAY DEC 22ND 1PM–4:45PM

FRIDAY DEC 23RD – CLOSED

MONDAY DEC 26TH – CLOSED

TUESDAY DEC 27TH – CLOSED

WEDNESDAY DEC 28TH – CLOSED

THURSDAY DEC 29TH – CLOSED

FRIDAY DEC 30TH 1PM–4:45PM



BRIDGE WATCH RATING PROGRAM

NEXT COHORTS: FEBRUARY 6, 2023 AND MARCH 6, 2023

LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE - FIRST COME FIRST SERVE!

Steps:

1. PIF for MIB E&T Department
2. Application form to obtain CDN – this is a required document for your Medical Examination required to enter the program
3. Once form is completed, it is returned to the Transport Canada and you are given a CDN for your medical exam
4. Medical exam
5. High school transcripts to meet BCIT entrance requirements or write and intake assessment – to get your transcripts, you will need to know your Personal Education Number (PEN)
6. Create a myBCIT account



We are here to help in any way we can, please reach out if you have any questions or concerns:

Krista Brisk, Program Coordinator

kbrisk@musqueam.bc.ca | 604-269-3461

Angela Nahanee, Job Coach

anahanee@musqueam.bc.ca | 604-269-3316

Alicea Bradley, Data & Communications Officer

abradley@musqueam.bc.ca | 604-269-3355



INDIGENOUS TRADES

CAREER INFO SESSION ONLINE



DECEMBER 12, 2022
5:30PM-6:30PM



WHAT YOU'LL LEARN:

Warrior Plumbing is hosting a **LIVE online info session** for local **Indigenous and non-Indigenous Youth** to explore a career working with Warrior Plumbing in Metro Vancouver's rapidly growing Indigenous real estate development market.

There are numerous developments across the lower mainland that require talented journeymen and journeywomens' help to build beautiful and sustainable residential housing. Join us with your questions!

THE SPEAKERS



Curt Thomas
Owner &
President



Dave Thomas
Foreman



Michael Lumberjack
ACCESS Training and
Employment Coach



SIGN UP NOW!

<https://bit.ly/3sU6557>

More information

604-687-2004
@warriorplumbing



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SERVICE

**WE'RE
HIRING**

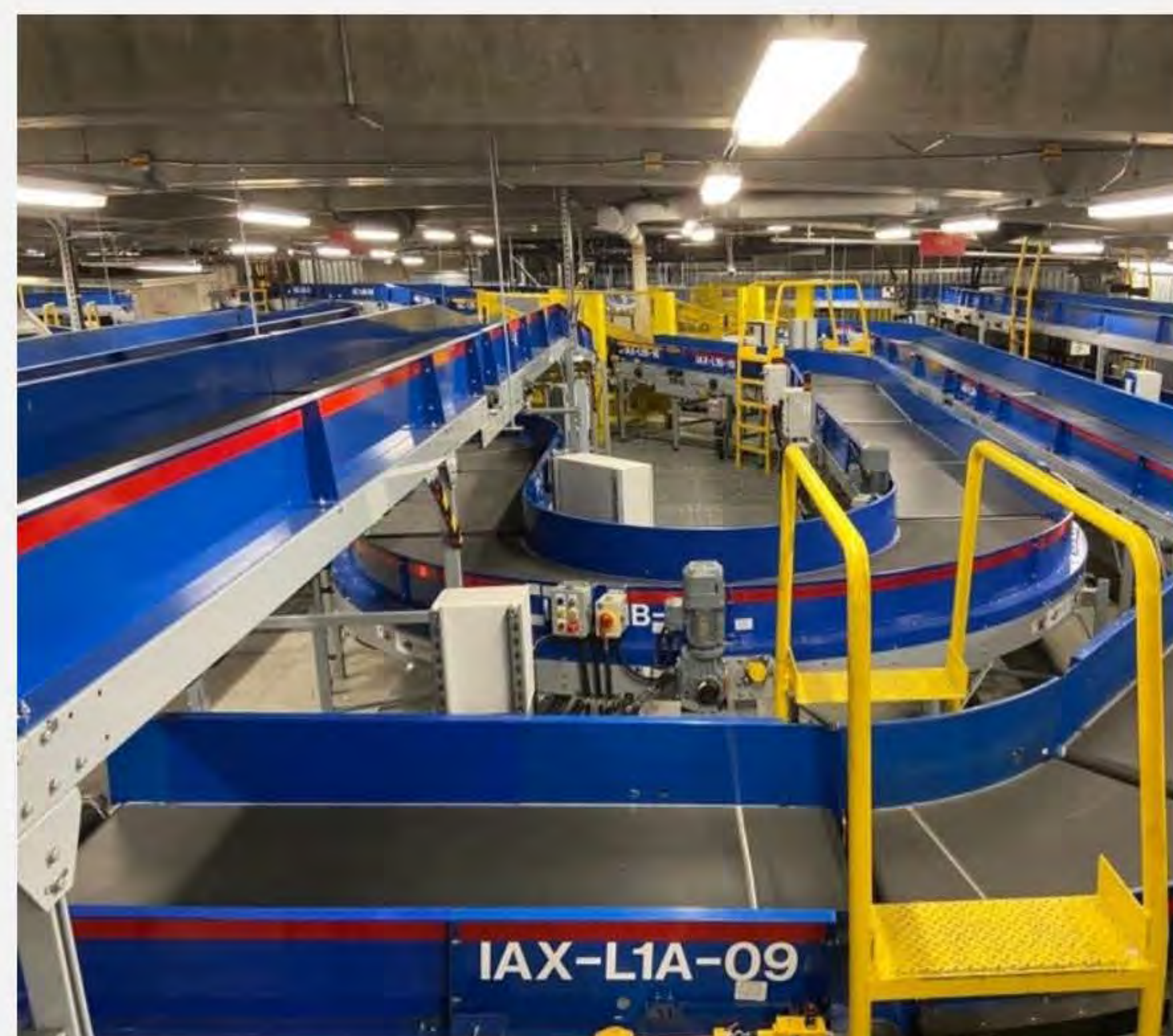
APPLY NOW

[ABCOAST.CA/JOBS](https://abcoast.ca/jobs)

**STARTING WAGE \$21 TO
\$24 P/H WITH BENEFITS**



SCAN TO APPLY





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INTRODUCING CHARLES NELSON, THE NEW HEALTH DIRECTOR FOR MUSQUEAM INDIAN BAND

Charles Nelson is from Nuxalk Nation (Bella Coola, BC) located in the central coast of BC but is currently living in Kwikwitlem territory (Coquitlam, BC). Charles comes with years of administration and managerial experience. In Nanaimo, he worked as the Executive Director for the Society for Equity, Inclusion, and Advocacy (SEIA). This organization provided support services for women at risk, legal advocacy support for the general public, and support for Nanaimo's homeless population. Prior to the SEIA, Charles worked for Snuneymuxw First Nation (Nanaimo, BC) as their Health Administrator for approximately 6 years. Before Snuneymuxw, he was the Health & Wellness Director for Nuxalk Nation for 6 years as well. Similar services were provided by Snuneymuxw and the Nuxalk Health & Wellness Centre. These services included Health Programming, Wellness Programming, Early Childhood Development Programs, Youth Programming and Restorative Justice Initiatives.

While working in Bella Coola, Charles became involved with the First Nations Interim Health Governance Committee which eventually transitioned into the role of the First Nations Health Council. At this committee, Charles had the opportunity to become involved in laying the foundation for the First Nations Health Council as a province-wide governing body for First Nations health.

Charles is proud of the work undertaken by the First Nations Health Directors Association where he was a board member while he worked with Snuneymuxw. The type of work that the First Nations Health Directors Association developed and supported, include the ongoing professional development and creation of a new Health Directors Certification Program. This has been made possible by an incredible collective of Health Directors in BC and the strong technical team that the First Nations Health Authority provides.

In his personal life, Charles is a proud father of 3 children who all live on Vancouver Island. His two oldest children are twins who are 23 years old. His youngest son is 11. He is most proud of the newest addition to his family, which is his grandson who just turned 2 years old.



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Children's Flu Vaccine Clinic	Elders Centre	Dec.12, 2022 2:00pm-4:00pm



**Flu vaccines available for children aged
6 months to 17 years old**

COVID vaccines available upon
request when booking

Register and book an appointment Monday to Friday

Speak to Ashlee, Arlene, or Lisa in the Health Department

@ 604 263 3261



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First Nations Health Authority
Health through wellness

THE FLU SHOT

A healthy choice



Flu season typically runs from November to April each year.

Influenza (the flu) is a dangerous respiratory illness that can lead to serious health complications and even death. Getting vaccinated is recommended as the best way to prevent influenza.

THE FLU SHOT IS:

HEALTHIER



It's important to get the flu shot every year. Keeping our bodies healthy makes it easier to fight off respiratory illnesses, such as COVID-19 and pneumonia.

SAFE



The flu shot is tested extensively for effectiveness and for safety. The vaccine prevents serious illness or hospitalization from the flu.

FOR EVERYONE



Everyone over the age of six months should be immunized. Elders (65+) and children under five are at the highest risk of hospitalization from flu complications.

The flu shot is free for all First Nations people in British Columbia. Contact your local health centre, nurse practitioner, or pharmacy.



MASK UP.



LATHER UP.



SLEEVE UP FOR THE FLU SHOT.

For more information, visit www.fnha.ca/flu



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COVID VACCINE INFORMATION

<u>AGE</u>	<u>BOOSTER</u> <i>Available after primary series (dose 1 & 2)</i>	<u>PRODUCT</u>
6 Months – 4 years	No booster available	N/A
5-11 years	6 months after primary series	Monovalent only
12-17 years	6 months after primary series	Bivalent Pfizer only
18 +	6 months after primary series	Bivalent Pfizer or Moderna

What is monovalent?

A Monovalent vaccine contains the original strain of COVID-19

What is bivalent?

Bivalent vaccine contains the original strain of COVID-19 and variants of the Omicron strain.



This information has been provided by Vancouver Coastal Health.

For more information regarding COVID vaccines you may also visit the FNHA website:

<https://www.fnha.ca/about/news-and-events/news/what-you-need-to-know-about-covid-19-bivalent-vaccines>



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MUSQUEAM PRIMARY CARE CLINIC

Musqueam Elders Centre, 4010 Si Lu Drive, Vancouver BC V6N 4K7

Located in the Primary Care Trailer

(Clinic closed 12:00pm – 1:00pm for lunch)

Monday Dec. 12	Tuesday Dec. 13	Wednesday Dec. 14	Thursday Dec. 15	Friday Dec. 16
Alexa Lesperance, GP	Dr. Dumont, GP	Karen Chandra, NP		Alexa Lesperance, GP
9:30am – 3:30pm	9:30am - 3:30pm	9:30 – 3:30	CLINIC CLOSED	9:30 – 3:30

Call 604-266-0043 to book an appointment

Please leave a voicemail if you cannot get through - we will return your call as soon as possible.



Missed your telehealth or in-person appointment? Call us to rebook for the next available date.

Please be available 15 minutes before and after your scheduled appointment call.



Naloxone kits available. (Injectable or Nasal Spray)
Please do not leave kits in a car during freezing weather.
Contact Nicolette, Brad, or our clinic to replace an expired kit.



Prescription running low? Please book an appointment a few days in **advance**. Or, ask your pharmacy to send us a refill request.



Our clinic has **reached capacity**. Call the clinic to be added to the **patient waitlist**. Please note that we are **no longer a walk-in clinic**.



Influenza vaccines available, call the clinic to schedule an appointment. Injectable flu vaccine available for ages 6 months and up.

Alternate Resources

FNHA Virtual Doctor of the Day

Call **1-855-344-3800** to book an appointment.

Available 7 days a week from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Telephone or virtual appointments via zoom.

Available to First Nations people and their family members, even if those family members are not Indigenous.

Walk-In Clinics Nearby

Highroads Medical: 5960 E Boulevard (Kerrisdale)

WELL Health: 2077 W 42nd Avenue (Kerrisdale)

Check wait-times for BC Walk-in Clinics at <http://medimap.ca>



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SAFE DRINKING WATER MONITORING PROGRAM

Charlene Campbell-Wood

FNHA Drinking Water Safety Program

About this Program

Access to safe and reliable drinking water is essential to individual and population health. The Drinking Water Safety Program supports access to safe drinking water by working in partnership with First Nations communities.

Chief and Council are responsible for planning and development of capital facilities, which provide basic infrastructure needs such as drinking water. Community leadership is also responsible for day-to-day operation of water and wastewater systems, which includes sampling and testing of drinking water.

As part of the Drinking Water Safety Program team, FNHA Environmental Health Officers can:

- conduct drinking water system inspections and test drinking water for bacteriological, chemical, physical and radiological parameters to meet Guidelines for [Canadian Drinking Water Quality Guidelines](#)
- interpret drinking water quality results
- provide guidance and recommendations to communities about drinking water safety issues, such as Boil Water advisories, including Do Not Consume and Do Not Use advisories
- provide training for community-based water monitors to collect and send water samples for testing and, where available, analyze samples using in-community testing equipment
- review plans for new or upgraded community water systems
- provide information and support on safe drinking water practices and risk prevention to Chief and Council and community members
- investigate waterborne illnesses

Resources: [FNHA Drinking Water Safety Program](#) (fact sheet); [Lead and Copper in Drinking Water](#) (fact sheet); [How to Sample for Disinfection By-Products](#) (video, 6.55 mins); [How to Sample for Disinfection By-Products](#) (guide)

MUQUEAM ELDERS

Brenda Campbell, Elders Coordinator

Ph: 604 263 – 6312



Ladies Night

Every Tuesday

Time: 6-8pm

Location: Elders Centre



Next Elder's Luncheon:

Wednesday, Dec.14, 2022

Time: 12:00 Noon

Location: Elders Centre



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COMMUNITY HEALTH

MUSQUEAM PRE- AND POST-NATAL GROUP

Are you pregnant or have you recently had a baby?

The Musqueam Health Department offers some valuable incentives to pre-natal and post-natal families:

From the onset of pregnancy, until 3 months postpartum we offer weekly \$25.00 Save-on Foods Gift cards for nutritious foods such as – milk, eggs, cheese, fruits & vegetables to support healthy nutrition during pregnancy and breastfeeding.

- ✚ Nursing pads, as needed
- ✚ A one-time gift of an Electric Breast pump. **One** per family
- ✚ Welcome gift for your new baby

Due to Public Health Guidelines, the Pre-Natal program is currently not meeting in person.

Please call Arlene Haldane, Assistant to register for the Prenatal Program, call **Arlene Haldane**:

Phone: 604 269 3354

Arlene Haldane office hours: Tuesday – Friday 8:30-4:30 (off on Mondays)

Email: nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca

MUSQUEAM HOME & COMMUNITY CARE PROGRAM

Romeo Cosio, RN, Musqueam Home Care Nurse & Arlene Haldane, Assistant.

The Musqueam Home Care Program is available to our community members to assist with hospital discharges, home care aides, all medical supplies & equipment. All Home care services & medical equipment require a note from your doctor with your needs specified.

HOME CARE CLIENTS: If you will not be home during your scheduled HCA visit, please contact the Nurse Assistant,

Home Care Nurse Romeo's Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday - Friday from 8:30-5:30 Tuesdays - Off

Phone: 604-269-3463

Email: homecare@musqueam.bc.ca

Arlene Haldane office hours: Tuesday – Friday 8:30-4:30

Phone: 604 269 3354

Email: nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca

*If there is no answer please leave a message.

***For Emergencies Call 911 ***



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MUSQUEAM NATIONAL NATIVE ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE PROGRAM (NNADAP)

SAFE USING CAN SAVE YOUR LIFE

Nasal naloxone | test your drugs first | lifeguard app | safety plan around using even if recreational

Dear Musqueam Community,

The NNADAP & Health Dept would like to take this time to share with you options for Harm Reduction measures for safe using and abstinence if you choose from drugs and alcohol. We have a number of resources available to the community here are a few.

Suicide prevention line

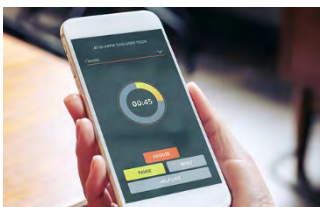
24/7/365 (1-833-456-4566)

Dial 211

is a support line for all of life's challenges such information & obtain referrals to physical & mental health resources, housing, utility, food & employment assistance; suicide & crisis intervention

LifeGuard App & How it works

When someone is about to use, especially alone, they can open the App and record the type of substance they are using and confirm their location. The app will hold this information, and a timer is set which can be paused or extended by the App user at any time.



As the timer ends, the App will sound an alarm, flash a light, and vibrate. The user must hit a button to stop the alarm and indicate they are fine. If they are unable to stop the alarm, a text-to-voice call will go straight to 9-1-1. This alerts emergency medical dispatchers.

NNADAP workers -

Contact & what our dept offers

Nicolette Moore

Mon-Fri 8:30am - 4:30pm

Ph: 236-558-8482











Brad Morin

Wed - Fri 6-9pm &

Sat - Sun 1-5pm

Ph: 604-652-1368

What we offer

-  1-1, Family & Group
-  counselling
-  Treatment referrals
-  Detox support
-  Relapse prevention planning
-  Family Interventions
-  Referrals to outside mental health agencies
-  In office Harm reduction gear
-  Drug testing strips
-  Clean supplies



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COVID-19:

Rapid antigen testing kits are free and available at your local pharmacy, for residents of B.C. 18 years and older who have a Personal Health Number (PHN).

1 kit contains 5 individual tests. You are allowed 1 kit every 28 days.

A test should only be used by people who develop symptoms of COVID-19 and want to confirm a positive or negative result. The tests are not suitable for international travel requirements.

Pharmacy staff will:

Ask for your PHN. You can find your PHN on the back of your B.C. driver's license, BC Services Card or Care Card

A pharmacy should never ask you to pay for a kit. Members residing off reserve may now pick up a test kit at their local pharmacy.

You can pick up a kit for someone else, like a parent or grandparent. Make sure you know their full name, date of birth and PHN, the pharmacist will ask you for that information.

Travel: if you choose to travel and are required to self-isolate by the Canadian Border Services, this is your responsibility and Musqueam Health Department does not provide supports, please make prior arrangements with your family and friends.

MWSU MENTAL WELLNESS COUNSELLOR

Janice Cross

This confidential counseling services are available Monday-Friday: 8:30- 4:00pm to our Musqueam people via phone or virtually. Call or email to and set up a time to talk to Janice Cross.

Email: mentalwellness@musqueam.bc.ca

For Private Counseling Call: 236-558-9977

ART THERAPY FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH & ADULTS

Janice Carroll, RCAT

I am available Monday to Thursday from 8:30am-4:30pm, for phone calls, emails or text conversations, and also, I can hold sessions via Zoom.

Email: jcarroll@musqueam.bc.ca

Cell: 778-829-0242

MUSQUEAM PATIENT NAVIGATOR

I am available to assist and support community members on their healthcare journeys.

If you have any questions regarding your health care coverage, FNHA Benefits, or need assistance filling out medical forms for example Jordan's Principle please do not hesitate to contact me.

I am available Monday-Friday from 8:30am to 4:30pm.

Lisa Mitchell, Musqueam Patient Navigator. Phone: 604-764-5349 or email: navigator@musqueam.bc.ca

Please Post by your Phone

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION 2022

FIRE, AMBULANCE, POLICE EMERGENCIES	911
POLICE NON-EMERGENCY CALLS CRIME REPORT (VANDALISM/THEFT FROM AUTO)	604-717-3321
JOHN GRAVENGARD, VPD LIASON	604-348-6608
MUSQUEAM EMERGENCY CONTACTS	
SAFETY PATROL (DURING PATROL HRS)	604-968-8058
Brian Sparrow, Night time Supervisor	778-628-5483
Social Development – Mitra Aryaiei	236-889-8312
Michele Point	778-991-1284
Leanne Hensel	236-668-7715
Musqueam Safe House – (emergency placements, family support)	604-558-4677
Christina Campbell – Coordinator	604-671-5285
Housing Emergency on-call	604-269-3381
Primary Care Trailer will be open through the Holidays	604-266-0043
Health Program Manager	604-269-3372
Health Exec Assist - Candice Sparkes	236-833-2753
Nurses Assistant – Arlene Haldane	604-655-0580
Romeo Cosio – Home Care Nurse	604-263-6539
Janice Cross – Mental Wellness Clinician	236-558-9977
Brad Morin – NNADAP – Evening and Weekends	604-652-1368
Nicolette Moore - NNADAP Worker Day time	236-558-8482
Public Works – Norm Point	604-841-9295
Ricky Point	604-307-4076
Dawn Campbell-Sparrow	604-649-5556
Employment & Training Manager – Malonie Langthorne	604-807-1222
E&T Job Coach – Angela Nahanee	778-919-7349
Administration	
Devin Sharma - CAO	236-558-3075
Karen Grant, Office Manager	778-386-9463
Christina Nahanee	604-418-3727

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION		
Vancouver Crisis Line		604-872-3311
Suicide Line		1-800-784-2433
Mental Health Support Line (do not add 604,778,or 250 before number)		310-6789
Senior Distress Line		604-872-1234
Kids Help Phone		1-800-668-6868
Kuu-us Crisis Line – Children/Youth		1-800-588-8717
Kuu-us Crisis Line – Adult/Elder		1-800-588-8717
Online Chat Service for Youth www.YouthInBC.com Noon to 1am.		
Online Chat Service for Adult www.CrisisCentreChat.ca Noon to 1am		
Nurses Line – (medial concerns or questions)		811
MCFD Richmond Office (duty worker-child safety concerns)		604-660-1044
MCFD After House (for situation 4:30 pm – 8:30 am on weekdays, or weekends)		604-660-4427
Hearing Impaired		711
City of Vancouver , Main Sewer Emergencies 24hrs		311
City of Vancouver , Main water Line Breakage 24hrs		311
BC Hydro , Power Outages, Electrical Emergencies 24hrs		1-888-769-3766
Animal Control		311
Fortis Gas , Emergencies 24hrs		1-800-663-9911
City of Vancouver , Snow Removal		311
City of Vancouver , Street Lights		311
City of Vancouver General – Water/Sewer/Garbage missed garbage		311
Metro –	Office - 24/7 -	604-444-8476 604-985-1478

Social Development Dept.



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January 2023 cheque issue day will be issued on

Friday December 30, 2022 9:00am—12:00 noon only!

Please bring in renewal slips and job search forms by Dec. 12th/22.

If you require continued assistance, please bring in your ***renewal slip and job search forms*** by Dec.12/22. For your convenience there is a mailbox by the back door of administration building.

Cheques will no longer be processed on cheque issue day! They will be processed the next business day.

If you are **not** on *direct deposit* please **reconsider** at this time and bring us a void cheque and or a direct deposit form from your bank .

If you are eligible for your bills (hydro, gas and phone) to be paid please bring in a.s.a.p. We cannot pay them if you do not provide your bills.

Thank you,

From Your Social Development Dept.



CHILDREN OUT OF THE PARENTAL HOME MONTHLY RENEWAL DECLARATION

PRIVACY OF INFORMATION STATEMENT

Provision of information requested on this document is voluntary and is being collected for the purposes of determining eligibility for Children Out of the Parental Home Income Assistance. The information will be stored in a secure location by your First Nation Administering Authority, who will ensure the confidentiality of the information contained in this document in accordance with standards set out in the Social Development Policy and Procedures Manual of the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development (B.C. Region) and will be maintained pursuant to the *Privacy Act* and described in the personal information bank INA-PPU-240. The accuracy of the information in this document may be checked by comparing it against information held by any federal or provincial department or agency or any private agency.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Administering Authority (AA) and Number: _____	Name of Worker: _____	Date Declaration Reviewed: _____
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Child

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
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1. Is the child still in need of Children Out of the Parental Home (COPH) Assistance?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
2. Are there any changes in the composition (make-up) of persons age 18 or older living in the relative's home?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, explain change(s): _____		
3. Are there any changes in the amount of financial contribution to the COPH Assistance child?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, explain change(s) to the amount: _____		
4. Are there other changes concerning the COPH Assistance child or the information provided by the relative?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, explain change(s): _____		
5. COMPLETE THIS SECTION ONLY IF THE RELATIVE'S ADDRESS HAS CHANGED		
New Address	Telephone ()	
Mailing Address (if different)		

DECLARATION

I declare that the information that I have provided on behalf of _____ is true and complete. (Child's Name)		
I give my permission for this information to be verified and consent to a report being obtained from any reporting agency (for example, but not limited to, Canada Revenue Agency, the BC Ministry of Children and Family Development or the BC Ministry of Housing and Social Development) for that purpose.		
Relative's Signature _____	Relative's Name (Print) _____	Date Signed _____



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SOCIAL ASSISTANCE MONTHLY RENEWAL DECLARATION

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

Provision of the information requested on this document is voluntary and is being collected in order to make a fair decision.
The information will be stored in personal information bank INA/P-PU-020 and is protected under the provisions of the Privacy Act.

If you require continued Social Assistance, please complete this form and return to your local administering Authority at least 2 weeks before the next cheque issue.

1. Are you still in need of Social Assistance? ☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Has your marital / employment situation changed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, explain change _____

3. List any changes in your living situation (e.g. address, rent, etc.). Submit new receipts.

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4. Have you had any earned or unearned income this month? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	5. Has there been any change in your assets? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, complete *	If yes, complete *
Earnings \$	Bank Account
Child tax \$	Property
Family Maintenance \$	Other (specify)
Employment Insurance \$	
Other (specify) \$	TOTAL
Pension \$	
\$	

6. Is there any change in your number of dependents or their school status? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, explain the change(s) _____

I declare that this is a true statement concerning my monthly income, assets, marital, employment, and family status. I give permission for this information to be verified and I consent to a report being obtained from any reporting agency for that purpose.

Band Name and #	Print Name	Signature of Applicant	Date

Do you want direct deposit Yes or No (please circle one)

If you are turning 65 this year, Please remember that income assistance cut off is your 65 birthday. You must apply for your Old age pension. This can be done one month after your 64th birthday!

Musqueam Indian Band

Active Job Search Statement

List dates, names and phone numbers of employers seen and results of job interviews. When completed, Sign the declaration at the bottom of this form.

Please return no later than the 20th of every month

Date contact made with Employer	Business name and address	Person contacted	Phone Number Or email	Type of Work sought	Results of your request for a job

If you have taken No Action to find Employment, Indicate **why**:

☐ Found work ☐ Sick or Incapable (Need a Dr's note) ☐ Other (explain) _____

☐ Pregnancy ☐ Attending a course of Instruction – Where? _____

Declaration: I declare that All Employers listed on this form and on any attached sheets of paper have been contacted. The information I have given on this form is true.

I understand that confirmation of my contacts may be obtained from Employers whose names I have shown

Printed name of Claimant:	Signature of Claimant:	Date:
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