



"Data governance is a foundation of Nation Re-building. Our leaders work hard to promote positive change and they need access to data to show how well their community is doing in areas such as health and education, for example (Social Determinants of Health). When we have good data, we make good decisions; we can build sound plans and make good investments and this is good governance."

- Gwen Phillips, FNIGC Board member for BC and First Nations Health Council member



* FNIGC governance body oversees the implementation of National surveys such as REEES and the RHS.



For more information about the
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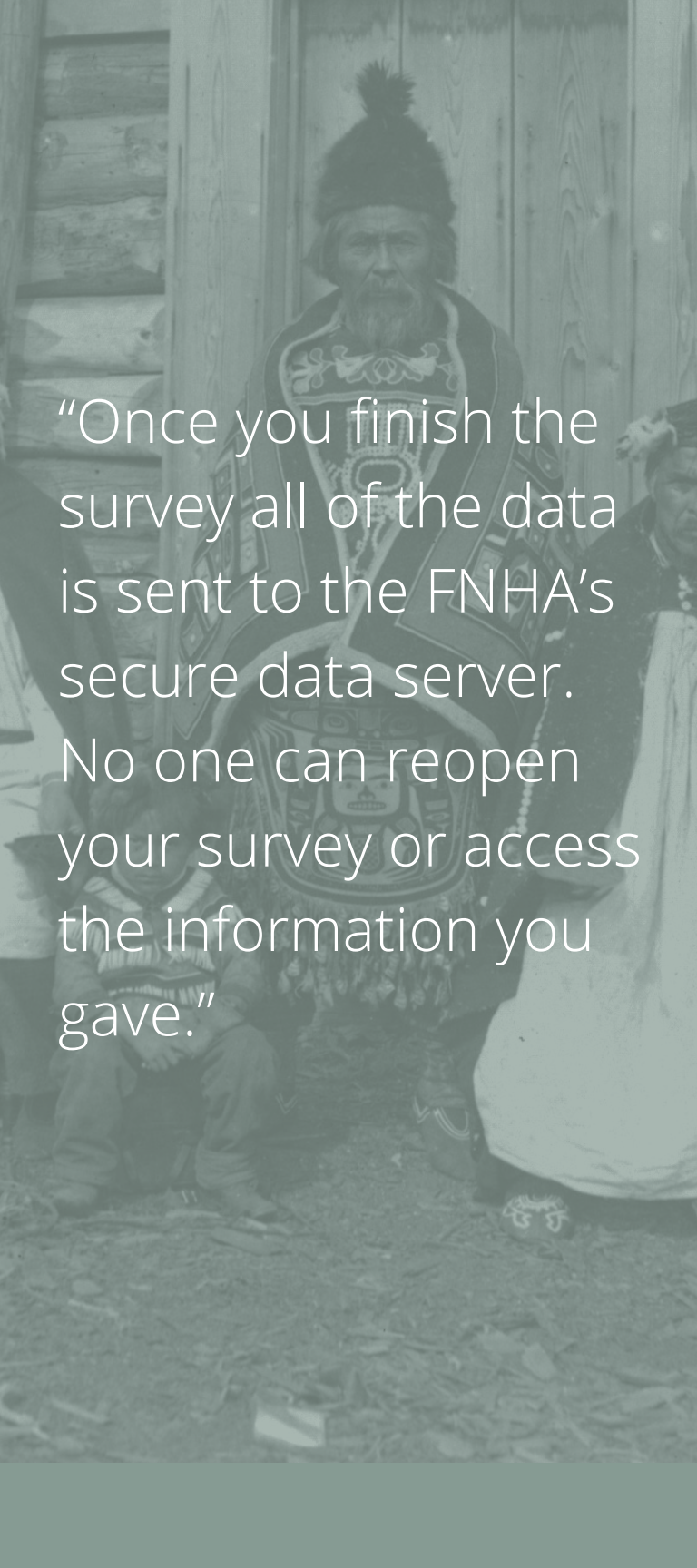


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Survey Data Security



respected and protected



“Once you finish the survey all of the data is sent to the FNHA’s secure data server. No one can reopen your survey or access the information you gave.”

The FNHA is committed to keeping your information safe.

We take the safety and security of your information seriously. Here are some of the steps we take to ensure this:

- Everyone involved in FNHA survey’s will sign confidentiality agreements, including the Data Collectors.
- Personal information, including names and addresses will be kept separate from survey answers. This information is kept strictly confidential and protected by the FNHA.
- Once the survey is complete it cannot be re-opened on the Data Collector’s laptop. The surveys are synced to a secure FNHA server and no information is stored on the laptop.
- No one in the community will be able to access anyone’s survey.
- No individual data is released in any report or publication.
- Information collected in these surveys will only be published as “grouped results” with no information that could identify you.
- Data Collectors will be trained and will sign confidentiality agreements to protect your privacy.
- Your involvement is voluntary. You can stop the interview or withdraw at any time.



Chief Frank Wilson gifts Elder Leonard George at Gathering Wisdom for a Shared Journey VI.

How it works...

Band Council Resolution or Letter of Understanding ensures that your Nation is onboard with the project.

Your name is chosen at random from the band list.

You will be contacted by a Data Collector.

We will answer all your questions before we ask your consent to do the survey.

You will be invited to fill out the survey on a laptop.

Your answers will be uploaded to a secure FNHA server.

Information only available as “grouped results” with no information that could identify you.