

cultural safety and cultural humility Webinar Action Series

EVENT #5





CAROL PETERS

DINA LAMBRIGHT

PURSUING CULTURAL SAFETY

From Unearthing Bias to Realizing Reconciliation

The politics of acknowledgement come to the fore in Fraser Health's Indigenous Cultural Safety debrief circle sessions. Facilitated by Aboriginal Health Liaison, Carol Peters, the debrief circle sessions are a training opportunity founded on the principles of inclusivity, respect and intentionality. Through a talking circle, participants undertake a personal and professional journey of self-discovery. In this space, buried biases can be unearthed and intentional practices towards reconciliation may be realized. Join Fraser Health's Aboriginal Health team as they discuss the challenges and successes of unearthing bias in the health care system and countering tendencies to create cultural risk.

Carol Peters is a Sto:lo Woman from Chawathil First Nation. She has been with Fraser Health for 16 years as an Acute Care Social Worker and an Aboriginal Health Liaison. Carol has a passionate interest in supporting Aboriginal Patients and their families to receive Culturally Safe care. Along with a clinical nurse educator, Carol currently facilitates Fraser Health's Indigenous Cultural Safety Circle Session and has been responsible for the training of over 200 public health care providers.

Dina Lambright is a Metis and currently lives in White Rock BC with her amazing 19 year old son. She has worked for Fraser Health for over 8 years as the Aboriginal Health Lead covering Fraser North and South. Prior to Fraser Health, she worked for 8 years in a non-profit agency in Surrey managing 5 Domestic Violence programs. She is an active peer reviewer for the Council on Accreditation (14yr), auditing compliancy to standards and policies for Non-Profit agencies throughout North America. Dina also instructs an Aboriginal History course at Stenberg College for the Community Mental Health and Addictions Worker Program.

Vishal Jain graduated from Carleton University in Ottawa, Ontario with a Degree in Human Rights. Since then, he has vigorously pursued social justice causes related to poverty, racism, ethnocentrism, colonialism, and sexism along with other intersecting axes of structural oppression. While completing his Masters of Public Health degree concentrating in social inequities and health, he began working with the Fraser Health Authority – Aboriginal Health Team to advance culturally safe and anti-racism organizational initiatives. Vishal Jain now serves as the Coordinator of Aboriginal Health Initiatives at the Fraser Health Authority.

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