



First Nations Health Authority
Health through wellness

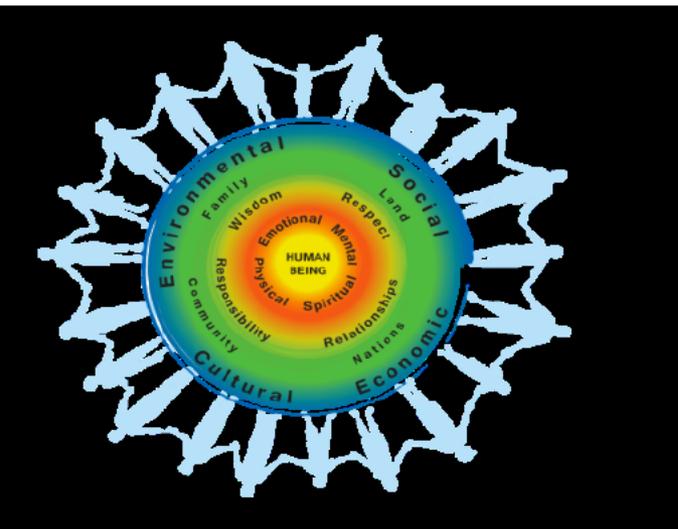
First Nations Health Authority Board of Directors Meet and Greet

Gathering Wisdom for a Shared Journey



We are YOUR Board

Healthy, self-determining and vibrant BC First Nations children, families and communities



Community-driven,
Nation -based



Who we are

- Chair Lydia Hwitsum
- Vice-Chair Pierre Leduc
- Jim Morrison
- Jason Calla
- Madeleine Dion-Stout
- Dr. Elizabeth Whynot





What we do

1. Policy and budget approval
2. Hire the CEO and providing strategic direction
3. Report to the members and maintains tripartite relationships



Board of Directors Role - Transition

- Expanded role of officer to support the transfer
- Approve sub-agreements and CFA
- Committee Work



Decolonizing Our Relationships- Accountability

I remember when our family would go fishing in one of our old villages, several families would come together under several chiefs and leaders.

We had many tasks to accomplish and much work to be done. As teams set out to work, without cell phones or modern tools and technology, we learned to trust and rely on each other.

The basics of survival like food and safety were put into each of our hands, I did not fear for not having any of these things, I had trust in the commitments we had and understood the spirit of how we supported each other and all worked together.



Many families and leaders from separate houses come together, we share in the effort and responsibility, and we are accountable and supportive of each other. These systems and ways of working together were seamless, developed over generations.

- Nick Chowdry, First Nations Health Council



Next steps

- We are excited to expand our team to include Regional appointments
- Each region has determined a selection committee and process
- We anticipate all new appointments to be in place by the new fiscal year



Questions?