



Call for Traditional Supports & Wellness Practitioners

APPLICATION

The First Nations Health Council and the First Nations Health Authority invites Traditional Supports & Wellness Practitioners to offer their healing and wellness gifts and expertise during the **Gathering Wisdom for a Shared Journey X**, taking place at the Vancouver Convention Centre, January 14-16, 2020.

Gathering Wisdom for a Shared Journey is a 3-day political governance forum that brings together more than 700+ BC First Nation delegates from across the province every 18 months to review progress in the implementation of tripartite agreements and the operation of the new health governance structure in BC.

The conference will also offer access to artisan vendors and health screening services and opportunities to celebrate Coast Salish First Nations culture and language to ground the work forward in partnership.

VENDOR DETAILS

Criteria:

The Forum Committee will review applications and select Traditional Supports & Wellness Practitioners based on the following criteria in accordance with the [FNHA's Directives](#), [Vision](#), [Mission and Values](#):

- Self-Identified BC First Nations traditional supports & wellness practitioners are an asset.
- Understand of the FNHA's campaign on Cultural Safety and Humility.
- Must have experience working with First Nations clients.
- Ability to accommodate multiple clients per day over the course of 2-full-days and 1-half-day.
- Self-sufficiency with equipment (massage table, linens etc.).

Traditional Supports & Wellness Practitioners will be provided

- A space with pipe and drape for privacy
- One 6ft table and two chairs
- Breakfast, lunch snacks will be provided onsite

Schedule:

Traditional Supports & Wellness Practitioners should be available to be at their booths during the following times:

- January 13th – setup from 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm
- January 14th – 9:00 pm - 5:00 pm
- January 15th – 9:00 pm - 5:00 pm
- January 16th – 9:00 pm - 1:00 pm (take-down 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm)



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Important Notes

- All Traditional Supports & Wellness Practitioners are required to book and manage their own travel and accommodations. Two nights of accommodation will be reimbursed if needing to travel over 30 kilometres, details on how to book accommodation will be provided at time of confirmation of booking. Please note, travel costs and expenses will not be reimbursed.
- Please confirm the cost of your services for the 2.5 days during the application process.
- All applications must be received by Friday, December 6th, 2019 at 4:00pm PST, no exceptions.
- Traditional Supports & Wellness Practitioners will be notified by Friday, December 13th, 2019 of their application status.

QUESTIONS?

Please contact gatheringwisdom@pacegroup.com or call 604.646.3586.

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