

Nursing Department Programing:

Swim & Gym Program

(Available to both members living on and off reserve)

Parents & Tots Group

(Ages 0-6 years)

Canadian Prenatal-Nutrition Program (CPNP)

Food Preservation Program

(Canning, harvesting, cooking programs, etc.)

Frozen Meal Program

Medic Aid Response System

Food Safe Certification

Annual Eye Clinic

Annual Hearing Clinic

Annual Orthotic Clinic

Child Passenger Safety Program

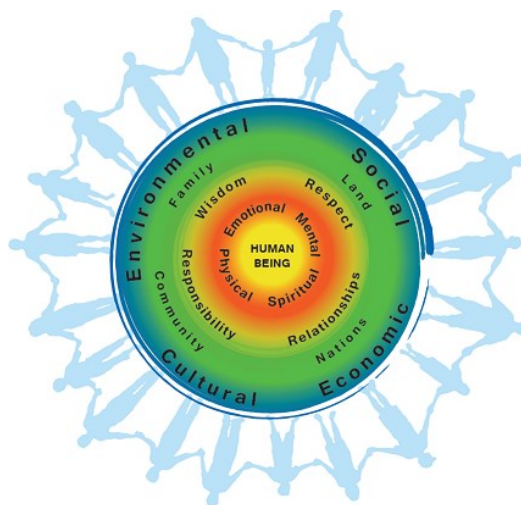
Any members wishing to learn more about a program or to sign up for a program are encouraged to call the SCHSS Office and speak to one of the health team members.

Some programs are limited or have requirements to apply**

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Scw'exmx Health Nursing Services:

Providing Holistic, physical, mental, emotional and spiritual health for members of the Coldwater, Nooaitch and Shackan bands living on reserve.



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Nursing Department:

Programs & Services:

Scw'exmx Health Nursing Department employs a Home and Community Care Nurse, a Community Health Nurse, 2 Licensed Practical Nurse, an Early Childhood Educator, a Personal Care Aide and a Community Health Representative and Diabetes Educator.

Each role offers different services; some of the services are provided by multiple members of the Health Team.

Programs are initiated by varying members of the health care team and may be hosted by more than one team member.



Nursing Department Services:

Home Care Nurse:

The Home Care Nurse provides nursing services such as home health checks, vital signs, home care assessments, mobility assessments and assistance and product orders, homemaking evaluations, medication administration and evaluation, discharge planning and/or long term care assessments, mental health checks and various other nursing assistance.

Community Health Nurse:

The CHN assists with prenatal and postnatal care and education, provides immunizations from ages newborn to the elderly, provides health promotion and illness prevention strategies as well as initiates programs to teach these ideas, referrals for children as needed. Provides help accessing Jordan's Principle or other funding as needed, there are also a variety of other nursing services.

Licensed Practical Nurse:

The LPN provides all nursing services including immunizations, TB training and nursing care, Naloxone training, frozen meal program, wound care and medical foot care under the direction of the Registered Nurse (s). LPN's also plan, implement and host various programs.

Personal Care Aide:

The PCA assists and reports to the nursing staff with care by providing personal care such as bathing and grooming, skin care, medical foot care, and assisting with programs as needed.

Early Childhood Educator:

Creates and runs educational programs that fuel children's intellectual, physical, social and emotional growth. The ECE works in collaboration with other members of the health care team in initiating programs, hosting programs or relaying any health concerns of the children seen.

Community Health Representative:

The CHR makes recommendations for healthy living, assistance in implementing and planning healthy living programs, advocating the concerns that members are facing in regards to health, as well as vital sign testing and monitoring, recording health history and updating EMR systems, connecting members to appropriate resources such as for water claims, taxes, pension, food stability, disability applications, etc. The CHR along side the ECE go into communities for water sampling, test the samples in office and send the reports to the responsible authorities.

Diabetes Educator:

Any members who wish to learn more about diabetes, how to manage diabetes, how to use any diabetes related equipment, or how to apply for diabetes related funding or workshops can speak with the diabetes educator.

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