

A CHILD & YOUTH'S HEALTH, DEVELOPMENT & FUTURE IS EVERYONE'S BUSINESS



GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- We strive for inclusive, sustainable, inspiring, innovative transformation of systems, services and care.
- We will work to achieve health equity for all children in BC.
- We will create solutions within the delivery of health services to support the developmental phases and transitions which occur during childhood, adolescence and into adulthood.
- We are committed to addressing the negative impact of colonization on Indigenous people, families and communities.
- We embed evidence, evaluation, continuous quality improvement & engagement with research in our knowledge exchange efforts.
- We partner with children, youth, families, communities, care providers, elders and knowledge keepers.
- The impact of our work is province wide and we recognize the diversity within.

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<p>OUTCOME: CHBC will contribute towards an environment free of racism and discrimination, where people feel safe when receiving health care. Cultural humility, safety and diversity are integrated into all CHBC initiatives. Experiences, voices & perspectives of Indigenous people, families and communities are included in the design of pediatric/ child & youth services.</p>	<p>OUTCOME: Approaches to support healthy child development are implemented that align with the provincial primary care strategy and are done in collaboration with primary, community care & public health providers. New evidence is integrated into community-based provider practices.</p>	<p>OUTCOME: Specialty and subspecialty care is delivered closer to home. Providers across the Tiers of Service are supported to maintain quality, evidence informed pediatric care inclusive of tools, resources and competencies.</p>	<p>OUTCOME: A provincial framework for continuous quality improvement and evaluation is established. Guidelines, quality standards, and indicators for children and youth are developed, monitored and actioned to improve the quality of care delivery and health outcomes for children and youth.</p>	<p>OUTCOME: The network of care is improved and strengthened through coordinated system planning and integration across the care continuum.</p>



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<p>HOW DO WE GET THERE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incorporate cultural safety, humility and trauma-informed care approaches in the development of projects. • Create and disseminate provider education resources to enhance cultural diversity, gender identity and gender expression. • Support children and families from diverse cultures to meaningfully participate in the development of all CHBC projects (including system planning, patient and provider education). • Prioritize actions based on feedback collected from Indigenous people to enhance culturally safe and equitable services for children and youth. 	<p>HOW DO WE GET THERE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with Primary Care serving agencies to strengthen collaboration between public health, primary care providers and community-based pediatricians to support care for children and youth. • In collaboration with primary care and public health, implement priority pediatric clinical prevention maneuvers identified in the Lifetime Prevention Schedule. • Identify, create, disseminate and evaluate evidence-informed tools and resources for community-based providers, patient and families to support healthy child development, disease management, and child & youth health. 	<p>HOW DO WE GET THERE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimize models of care for specialty and subspecialty outreach using virtual/digital health to increase capacity of delivering care closer to home. • Strengthen the partnerships between Tier 5/6 providers and Tier 1-4 providers who care for patients in their home communities. • Facilitate the creation of provincial subspecialist structures to better coordinate a systematic approach to service planning, health human resources, education and research. • Develop a comprehensive provincial pediatric education strategy in alignment with the Tiers of Service. • Lead the development of provincial clinical guidelines and support implementation and maintenance. 	<p>HOW DO WE GET THERE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incorporate a review, reporting and response process to address prioritized quality and patient safety opportunities. • Identify, monitor, implement and evaluate provincial pediatric indicators to provide a perspective on the quality of pediatric health delivery and the health status of the children and youth population. • Establish a provincial process for the development, evaluation and dissemination of clinical guidelines. • Develop and implement a provincial data strategy for children and youth with indicators that include health status, health system and health care to inform system-level planning and quality improvement. 	<p>HOW DO WE GET THERE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formalize governance structures between CHBC network partners to promote system-wide planning and identification of priority initiatives that advance child & youth health. • Implement strategies for active participation of patient and families to ensure that their perspectives are considered and reflected in the development of provincial priority initiatives. • Strengthen collaborative academic and research partnerships to support and further CHBC and network partners' priorities.