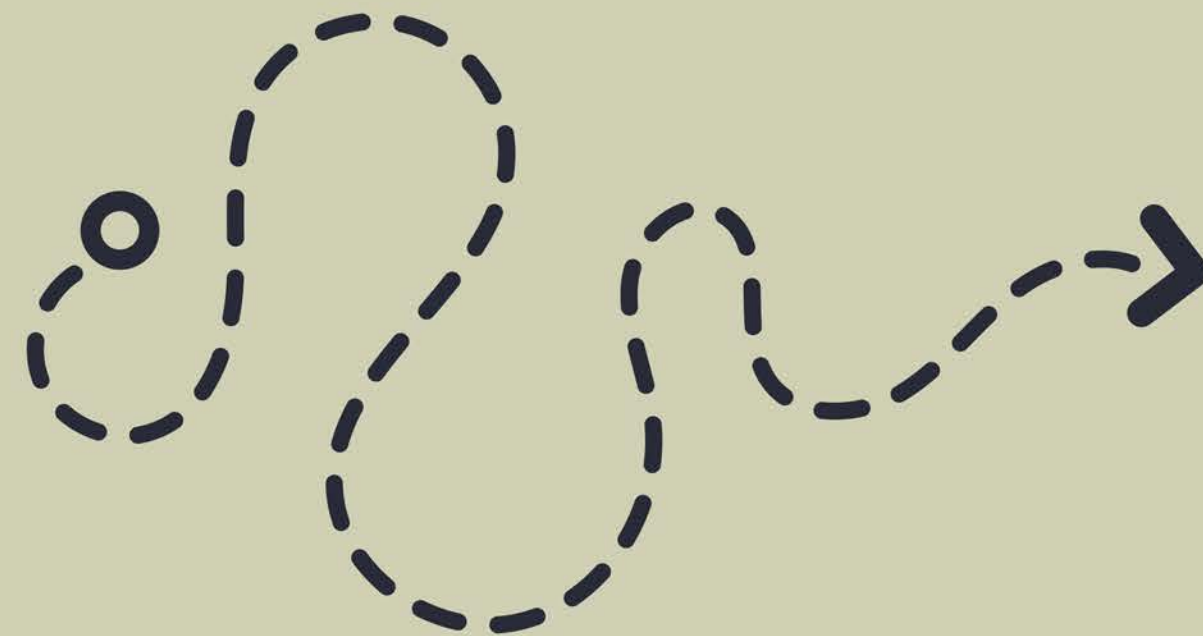


First Nations Health Authority Treatment Centre Pathways



First Nations Health Authority
Health through wellness



Presentation Created By: Sara Daigle-Stevens

Territory Acknowledgement

FNHA acknowledges that the First Nations are the original caretakers and stewards over the lands and waters in Canada.

As a health care organization, we recognize that there is systemic racism within and throughout health care environments, and that we have the responsibility and power to create culturally safe and appropriate environments of care.



Topics Covered

1. FNHA Funded Treatment Centre Pathway

2. Provincially Funded Treatment Centre Pathway

3. Youth Substance Use Treatment Services

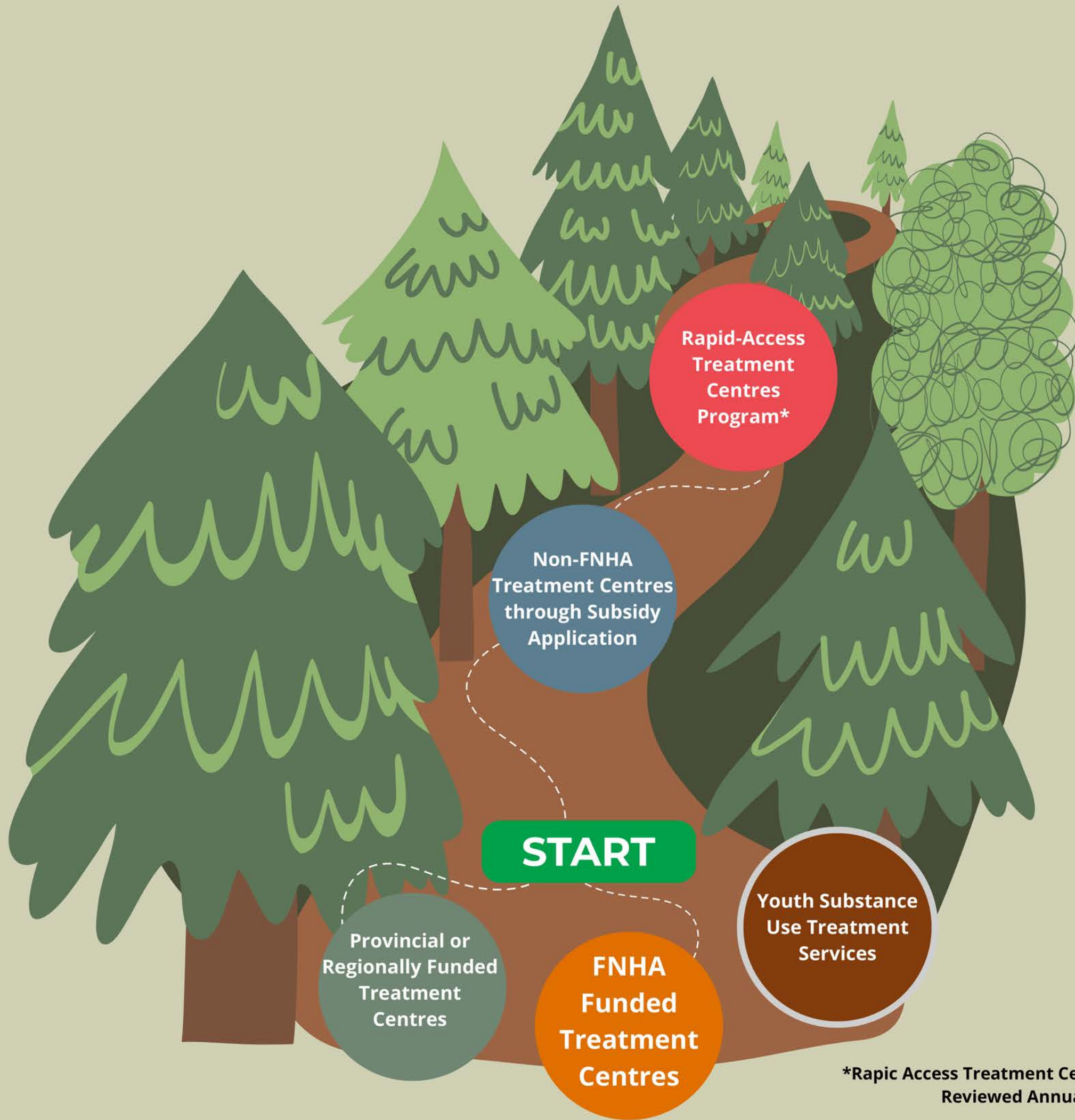
4. Non-FNHA Funded Treatment Centre Pathway

5. Rapid Access Pathway, One Time Funding Agreement

6. Questions



First Nations Health Authority Treatment Centre Pathways



*Rapid Access Treatment Centres Program Reviewed Annually



Mental Health & Wellness Team

Toxic Drug Response Team

The Mental Health & Wellness Team and the Toxic Drug Response Team are available to support with accessing Wellness Services across the Regions.

These services include but are not limited to:
Accessing Mental Health Providers, Traditional Support, Recovery Pathways, Indigenous Harm Reduction Education and Supplies, and Community Crisis Response Coordination.



Mental Health & Wellness Team

Toxic Drug Response Team

Manager, MH&W

Manages and oversees the planning, implementation, monitoring, and evolution of the Regional Mental Health & Wellness program and services. Focuses on enhancing mental health and wellness outcomes through targeted service improvements.

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1-250-202-9382

Manager, TDR

Supervises and supports the Toxic Drug Response Team. Manages and oversees the planning, implementation, monitoring, and evolution of the Regional TDR programs and services. Focuses on enhancing toxic drug response outcomes through targeted service improvements.

email TBD
phone TBD

Team Lead

Supervises and supports the Mental Health & Wellness Team in the delivery of regional Mental Health & Wellness program and services. Leads and coordinates collaborative services approach with community-based and cultural organizations.

hannah.watler@fnha.ca
1-250-202-9812

Mental Health & Wellness Team

Toxic Drug Response Team

Crisis Response Lead

Works alongside Communities and Nations to coordinate crisis response at a community level. Provides referrals to Mental Health Providers, Critical Incident Stress Debriefing, Grief & Loss Supports and more.

maeve.coakley@fnha.ca
1-250-206-6045

Crisis Response Community Coordinator

The Crisis Response Community Coordinator provides assistance to communities when there is a crisis situation. The CRCC, when possible, travels to communities to assist with debriefing and mentoring community members.

erin.lynch@fnha.ca
1-250-210-2287
grant.bird@fnha.ca
1-604-816-0529

Regional Addictions Specialist

Facilitates education and awareness of Opioid Agonist Therapy (OAT), withdrawal management programs, and recovery opportunities. Advocates for emergency withdrawal management and recovery beds for First Nations Youth and Adults. Collaborates with community and agencies on the Toxic Drug Crises Response.

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Mental Health & Wellness Team

Toxic Drug Response Team

Harm Reduction Practice Consultant

The Harm Reduction Practice consultant supports and educates First Nation Health Service Organizations and FNHA nursing programs on mental health and substance use. The role involves enhancing nursing practice standards, particularly in Nurse prescribed Opiate Agonist Therapy and addressing the toxic drug crisis. The consultant also assists in planning and implementing training and skill development for community nurses in First Nations communities.

danielle.kannegiesser@fnha.ca
1-250-668-6261

Indigenous Harm Reduction Educators

Supports Harm Reduction implementation in community through collaborative trainings and knowledge sharing. Develops and circulates accessible and up-to-date resources that promote awareness on harm reduction and anti-stigma efforts.

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1-778-686-2095

**Important
Questions to
Consider when
Planning a
Treatment
Journey with
Community
Members**

How are harms related to substance use and relapse being reduced?
ie: Cultural Supports (Connecting with Elders & Knowledge Keepers, Ceremony, Land-based activities), Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, Wellbriety, SMART Recovery, Counselling Sessions, Virtual Services/Telehealth

What is the Safety Plan?

What is the aftercare plan for the Community Member? What if they leave the program early?

What outpatient supports are available for the Community Member, before, during, and after their treatment program?

Does the Community Member have strong cultural needs in their healing journey?

If the Community Member is on a waiting list, what supports do they need to continue with their treatment journey?





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Withdrawal Management and Opioid Agonist Therapy (OAT)



Medical Withdrawal Management (Detox)

Withdrawal management is a crucial stage in the continuum of care for individuals struggling with substance use disorders. It involves the supervised process of safely and effectively managing the physical and psychological symptoms that occur when someone stops using substances. Withdrawal management encompasses a comprehensive approach, including medical assessment, monitoring, and supportive interventions tailored to individual needs. It is important to seek professional assistance during withdrawal, as the severity and duration of symptoms can vary depending on factors such as the type of substance used, the duration of use, and the individual's overall health. Through evidence-based practices and a person-centred approach, withdrawal management aims to ensure the safety, comfort, and well-being of individuals as they begin their journey of recovery.



Opioid Agonist Therapy (OAT)

Opioid agonist treatment, often called OAT, uses medications such as Sublocade, Suboxone and Methadone to treat opioid addiction, to reduce drug-related harms and support long-term recovery. OAT services are typically prescribed by a Doctor or Nurse Prescriber and accessed through pharmacies or residential or outpatient treatment programs. Some Community Members may also require additional support to adhere to their medication regime. If you are interested in starting or continuing this course of treatment, contact your doctor directly or find an [opioid agonist treatment clinic](#) in your area.



FNHA Funded Treatment Centres



FNHA Funded Treatment Centres



FNHA supports a **network of treatment facilities across British Columbia**. Programming varies at each centre, and can include programs catered to youth, families, women, men, and co-ed cohorts. Collectively, there are over 200 residential treatment beds across the province.

Culture is the foundation of each FNHA supported treatment centre. Each centre will utilize the traditions from their regions ('Nations') and may incorporate common First Nations practices (such as Smudging, or Cedar Brushing). That said, Centres are not limited to only support their Nation Members, they intend to support the diverse population of First Nations Community Members across the province.

As **each program has their own unique visions of care**, please review the Centre's websites for more specific information about the programs and services they offer. For example, some Centres offer support for Community Members who are on Opioid Agonist Therapy (OAT) while others do not.



FNHA Funded Treatment Centres



There are 9* Residential Treatment Centres:

1. Carrier Sekani Family Services
2. Gya'Wa'Tlaab Healing Centre
3. Kaackamin Family Development Centre
4. 'Namgis Treatment Centre
5. Nenqayni Wellness Centre
6. North Wind Wellness Centre
7. Round Lake Alcohol and Drug Treatment Society
8. Telmexw Áwtexw Healing Centre*
9. Tsow-Tun Le Lum Society
10. Wilp Si'Satxw House of Purification

*Telmexw Áwtexw Healing Centre currently only provides non-residential treatment support

FNHA-Funded Centres use a Universal Treatment Application Package. The intention is to streamline the process and improve access to these services. That said, some centres, like Kackaamin use their own application as they have specific program requirements.



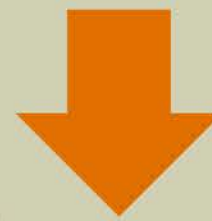
FNHA Funded Treatment Centres

Referral Worker assists Community Member in completing application

Application submitted to FNHA Centre(s) of Community Members choice

Centre intake worker reviews application

If approved, Community Member is offered intake date



Facilitate the connection of the community member with a Referral Worker who will provide support throughout the treatment process, including pre-treatment, during treatment, and post-treatment phases. RW can work in partnership with NPs, RNs, RPNs, and other mental health care professionals. It is vital to enhance the community member's outpatient support team, ensuring a robust and stable support network. The Referral Worker may include professionals such as Addictions Workers, Community Health Nurses, Counsellors, Mental Health Clinicians, Health Directors, among others.

Please ensure to thoroughly review the Inclusion Criteria Page within the Treatment Referral Package to confirm the suitability of the community member for the proposed treatment plan.

****Complete Application in its entirety!****



Inclusion Criteria

INCLUSION	Carrier Sekani Family Services	Gya'Wa'Tlaab Healing Centre	Kackaamin	'Namgis Treatment Centre	Nenqayni Wellness Centre	North Wind Wellness Centre	Round Lake Treatment Centre	Tsow-Tun Le Lum Society	Wilp Si'Satxw House of Purification
Opioid Replacement Therapy	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		✓
Family Program			✓		✓				✓
Couples Program			✓						✓
Pregnant	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Co-ed	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Men-only sessions		✓	✓	✓					✓
Women-only sessions			✓	✓					✓
Youth-only sessions					✓ ¹				✓
Corrections Program						✓		✓	✓
Barrier Free (person with ability challenges)			✓				✓	✓	✓
Alcohol-free	14 Days	Minor withdrawal	3 Weeks	14 Days	14 Days	14 Days	14 Days	14 Days	14 Days
Other Substance-free	14 Days	Minor withdrawal	3 Weeks	14 Days	14 Days	14 Days	14 Days ²	14 Days	14 Days
Requires signed Rules and Regulations with Application ³						✓			

1 - Female-Youth Only
 2 - Note: RLTC requires applicants to be 5 months free of methamphetamine in order to attend their programs
 3 - Please visit their website to review and complete *Rules and Regulations* with applicant and submit to Centre



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Health Section and Tuberculosis Information

Medical Assessment: Completed by a Physician, Nurse Practitioner or a Registered Nurse.

Tuberculosis (TB) Assessment: TB Testing is *no longer mandatory* for every applicant. Complete screening tool to determine if TB testing necessary.

Section 13: Tuberculosis (TB) Screening (if entering into Panorama, refer to Panorama Entry Guides)

The purpose of TB screening for entry into treatment programs is to rule out active TB. *Latent TB screening (TB Skin Test (TST) is not required, and should never delay program entry, but might be of benefit to the client and can always be done at a later date.*

- Completion of this TB Screening Form fulfills the requirements for program entry of the client, and no further clearance letter is needed, as long as client is asymptomatic.
- People who use substances are an important group to consider for regular TB screening and this screening continues to be an essential part of TB prevention and overall wellness.



Transportation



Once a community member has confirmation of acceptance and intake date, contact:


Local Patient Travel Clerk in your community or contact FNHA Health Benefits Medical Transportation at 1-855-550-5454

COVID-19 & Self-Isolation:

Isolation is no longer required by the BC Centre for Disease Control, therefore, Medical transportation no longer funds isolation. Contact the centre(s) to determine the current COVID-19 precautions necessary for your community member to attend the facility

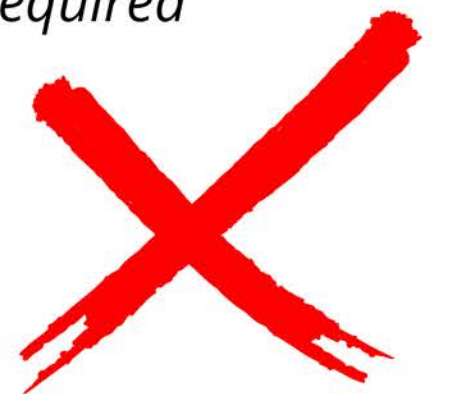
FNHA Funded Centres: *Key Points to Remember*

FNHA-Funded Treatment Centres **Will Accept:**

- Indigenous Applicants with Status
 - Non-Status Indigenous Applicants
Applications through a different funding stream
 - Applications from British Columbia and a limited number from Yukon Territory
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FNHA-Funded Treatment Centres **Will Not Fund:**

- Treatment outside of BC
- Travel Expenses for Non-BC residents to return to BC
Non-BC Residents – 3 Month BC residency required



Aftercare Recovery Centres

Aftercare Recovery Centres are staffed, supportive, safe and substance free environments for those who have completed treatment within 12 months.



FNHA Recovery Centres:
Esk'etemc Recovery House
(Alkali Lake)



The Painted Turtle Lodge
(Round Lake, Armstrong)



Fees for the services may apply. Contact the centres for more information.



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Provincially Funded Treatment Centres



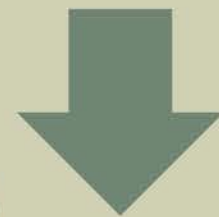
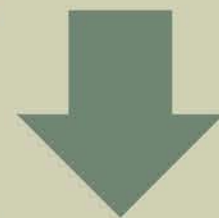
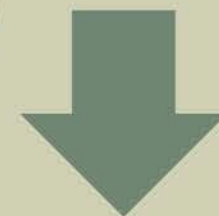
Provincially Funded Treatment Centres

Referral Worker assists Community Member in completing BCMHSU application

Application submitted to the regional health authority liaison

Application forwarded to PHSA Access & Flow

If approved, application is forwarded to the appropriate provincial treatment centre



Facilitate the connection of the community member with a Referral Worker who will provide support throughout the treatment process, including pre-treatment, during treatment, and post-treatment phases. It is vital to enhance the community member's outpatient support team, ensuring a robust and stable support network. The Referral Worker's for BCMHSU TCs include:

- Counsellor
- Social Worker
- Registered Nurse, Registered Psychiatric Nurse, Community Health Nurse
- Physician/Psychiatrist
- Community Mental Health & Addiction Team Provider
- Psychologist
- Nurse Practitioner
- Case Manager
- Community Health Director
- Addictions' Worker



Regional Health Authority Liaison

Provincial Substance Use Treatment Program

Fraser Health: Jason McBain | jason.mcbain@fraserhealth.ca | 604-519-8555

Interior Health: Lauren Phillips | lauren.phillips2@interiorhealth.ca | 250-314-2171

Island Health: Ty-Leigh Whiteley | ty-leigh.whiteley@islandhealth.ca | 250-732-2368

Northern Health: Doug England | rtuc@northernhealth.ca | 250-645-7449

Vancouver Coastal Health: CAD | CAD@vch.ca | 604-875-4111 x 23066

Correctional Health Services: Maylene Fong | maylene.fong@phsa.ca | 604-829-8657 x 259033

Forensic Psychiatric Services: John Jacobson | jjacobson@forensic.bc.ca | 604-529-3350

Provincial Access & Flow: Bella Peggi | accessandflow@phsa.ca | Please email



Regional Health Authority Liaison

Red Fish Healing Centre for Mental Health & Addiction

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Interior Health: Lauren Phillips | lauren.phillips2@interiorhealth.ca | 250-314-2171

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Northern Health: Doug England | rtuc@northernhealth.ca | 250-645-7449

Vancouver Coastal Health: CAD | CAD@vch.ca | 604-875-4111 x 23066

Red Fish Access & Flow: Andrew Liu | andrew.liu@phsa.ca | 604-524-7100 x 336424

Eleanor King | eleanor.king@phsa.ca | 604-524-7100 x 336424



Regional Health Authority Liaison

Heartwood Centre for Women

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Island Health: Ty-Leigh Whiteley | ty-leigh.whiteley@islandhealth.ca | 250-732-2368

Northern Health: Doug England | rtuc@northernhealth.ca | 250-645-7449

Vancouver Coastal Health: CAD | CAD@vch.ca | 604-875-4111 x 23066

Heartwood Access & Flow: Patzy Dawn | patricia.dawn@phsa.ca | 604-875-3152



Provincial Integrated Mental Health & Addiction Programs

These programs, all in the Lower Mainland, are for people across British Columbia who live with severe mental health and substance use issues and need an integrated, whole-person treatment approach. They require a referral from a professional. For more information please go to BCMHSU website (<http://www.bcmhsus.ca/>)

Heartwood Centre for Women



30 Beds
(604) 875-2032

Red Fish Healing Centre



105 Beds
(604) 524-7100

Rehabilitation and Recovery Centre



40 Beds
(604) 520-3610

Provincial Substance Use Programs

Treatment at these centres are for people who are 19 or older and have a substance addiction. Services are designed for people who have experienced several relapses, and whose treatment needs for substance use and addiction are more than what their local community health resources or health authority can meet. While mental health support will be provided, the provincial beds at these locations are not designed to treat mental health diagnoses. Treatment is voluntary. For more information please go to their website.

Elizabeth Fry



12 Beds
(604) 520-1166
<https://efry.com/>

Phoenix Society



38 Beds
(604) 583-7166
<http://phoenixsociety.com/>



Sweatlodge @ Phoenix Society

Youth Substance Use Treatment Services





Youth substance use bed-based services in B.C.

Fraser Health and Provincial Health Services Authority

- Bed-based treatment
- Supportive bed-based recovery
- Withdrawal management (detox)
- Youth transitional beds
- Indigenous youth services

Fraser Salish Health and Provincial Health Services Authority Youth Substance Use Treatment Services



FRASER HEALTH AUTHORITY

Chilliwack
Traverse
• Ages 13-18, all genders, **20 beds**

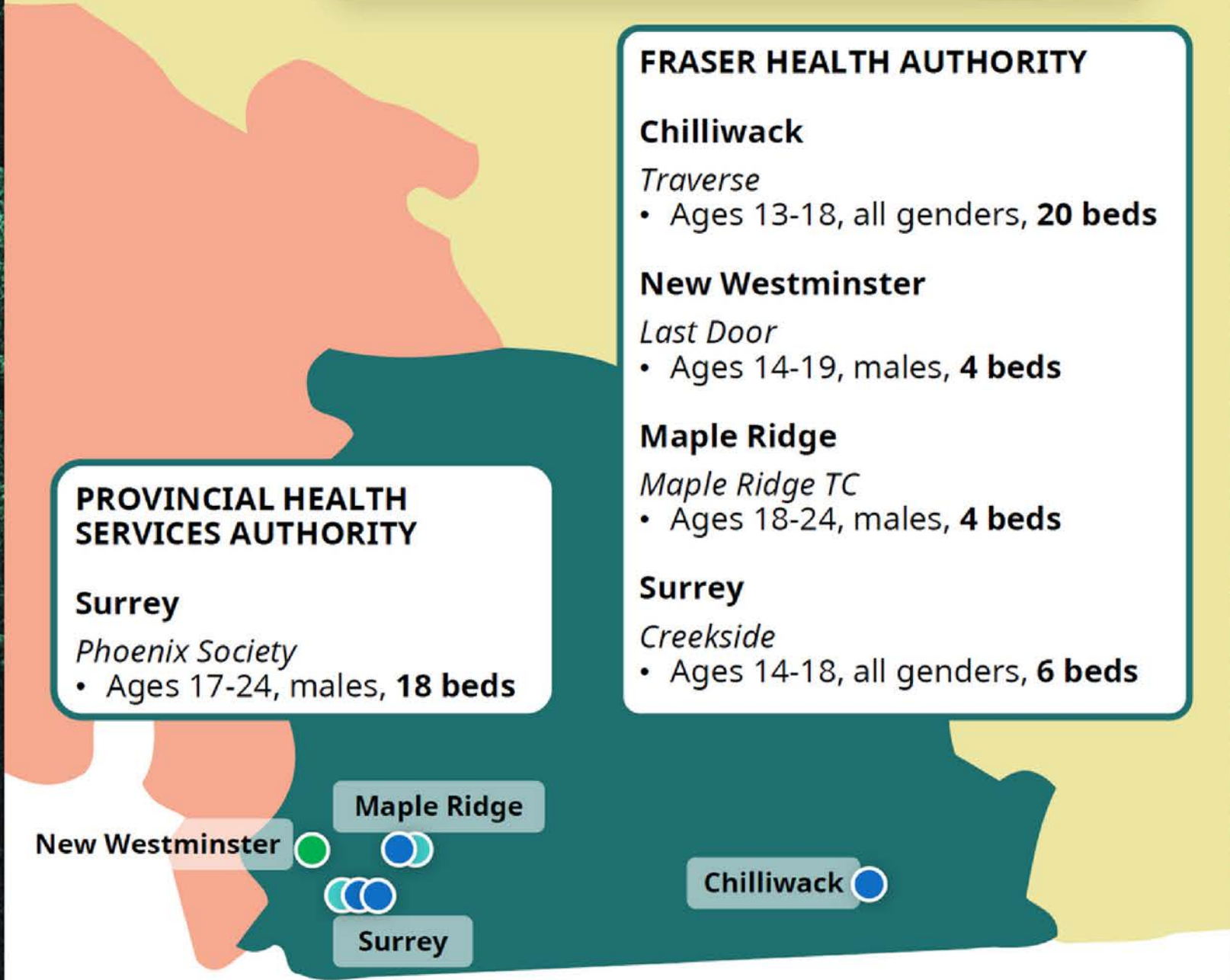
New Westminister
Last Door
• Ages 14-19, males, **4 beds**

Maple Ridge
Maple Ridge TC
• Ages 18-24, males, **4 beds**

Surrey
Creekside
• Ages 14-18, all genders, **6 beds**

PROVINCIAL HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY

Surrey
Phoenix Society
• Ages 17-24, males, **18 beds**



Youth substance use bed-based services in B.C.
Northern Health



- Bed-based treatment
- Supportive bed-based recovery
- Withdrawal management (detox)
- Youth transitional beds
- Indigenous youth services

Prince George

NORTHERN HEALTH AUTHORITY

Prince George

Nechako Youth Treatment Program

- Ages 13-18, all genders, **7 bed-based treatment beds; 1 detox bed**

Northern Health



Youth substance use bed-based services in B.C.

Interior Health and First Nations Health Authority

- Bed-based treatment
- Supportive bed-based recovery
- Withdrawal management (detox)
- Youth transitional beds
- Indigenous youth services



FIRST NATIONS HEALTH AUTHORITY

Williams Lake

Nenqayni Wellness Centre

- Ages 13-18, Female, **10 beds**
- Youth & Family Inhalant Program

Williams Lake

Kamloops

Kelowna

Fort Steele

INTERIOR HEALTH AUTHORITY

Fort Steele

Recovery Ranch

- Ages 19-24, all genders, **5 beds**

Kelowna

Youth Recovery House

- Ages 12-18, all genders, **10 beds**
- Ages 13-18, all genders, **4 beds**

Kamloops

New Tomorrow

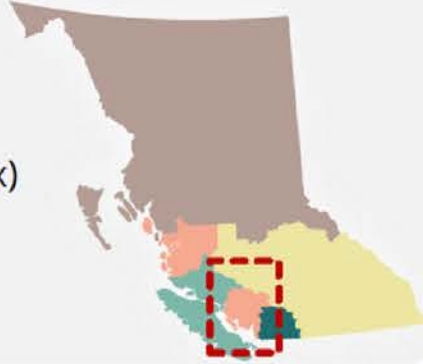
- Ages 12-18, all genders, **6 beds**

Interior Health and First Nations Health Authority Youth Substance Use Treatment Services



Youth substance use bed-based services in B.C. Vancouver Coastal Health

- Bed-based treatment
- Supportive bed-based recovery
- Withdrawal management (detox)
- Youth transitional beds
- Indigenous youth services



VANCOUVER COASTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

Location confidential

Youth Haven

- Ages 16-19, all genders, **5 beds**

Young Bear's Lodge

- Ages 13-18, all genders, **5 beds**

Vancouver

Peak House

- Ages 13-18, all genders, **8 beds**

Renfrew House

- Ages 16-24, all genders, **8 beds**

Covenant House

- Ages 18-24, all genders, **7 beds**



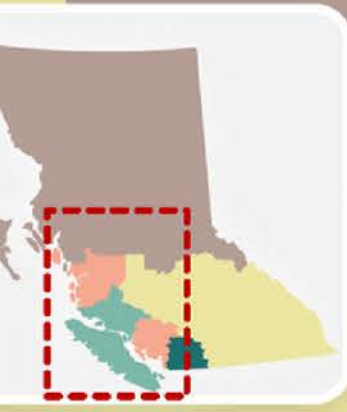
Vancouver Coastal Health





Youth substance use bed-based services in B.C. Island Health

- Bed-based treatment
- Supportive bed-based recovery
- Withdrawal management (detox)
- Youth transitional beds
- Indigenous youth services



ISLAND HEALTH

Campbell River

180
 • Ages 12-19, all genders, **5 detox & supportive recovery beds**

Courtenay

Level Up at the Station
 • Ages 12-19, all genders, **5 detox & supportive recovery beds**

Nanaimo

Transitions
 • Ages 12-19, all genders, **3 detox & supportive recovery beds**

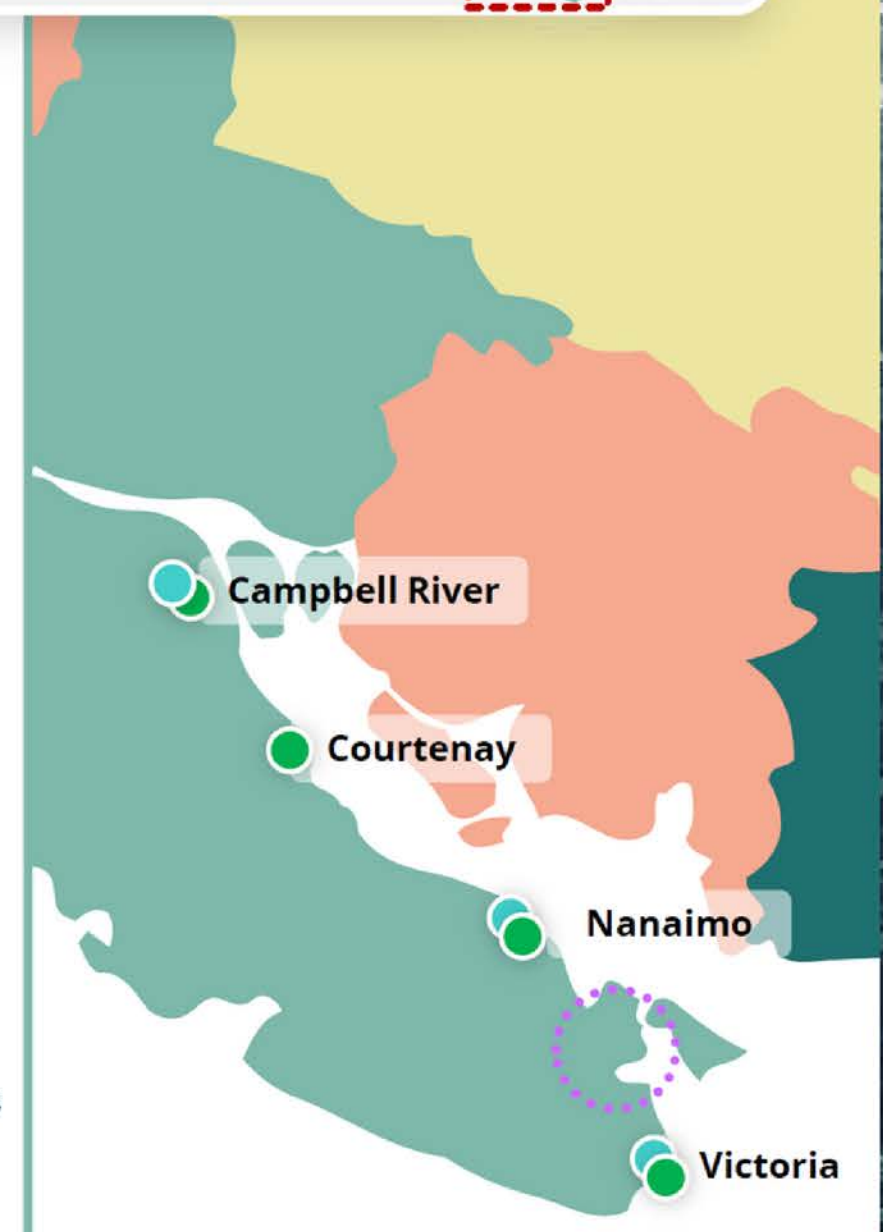
Location confidential

Tillicum Lelum
 • Ages 13-18, all genders, **4 detox & supportive recovery beds**

Victoria

Specialized Youth Detox
 • Ages 13-18, all genders, **5 detox beds**

Threshold Supportive Housing
 • Ages 12-19, all genders, **9 detox & supportive recovery beds**



Island Health



YOUTH SUBSTANCE USE BED-BASED SERVICES IN B.C.

Please visit the webpage gov.bc.ca/youthsubstanceusecare for links and information about services



These services support youth to meet their substance use treatment goals. Each program provides a friendly and safe environment, often in a home-like setting. Services typically include health and wellness supports, socializing, school time, clinical therapy and outdoor activities with a focus on creating a safe, non-judgmental and collaborative environment. Many incorporate access to cultural supports, such as Elders, cultural ceremonies, and land-based healing activities.

Location	Name	Age	Service	Client type	Spaces	Contact at the Health Authority
Interior Health Authority						
Fort Steele	The Recovery Ranch	19-24	Bed-based treatment	All genders	5	Fill out an application form and email it to IHMHSUBedCoordinator@interiorhealth.ca https://www.interiorhealth.ca/sites/default/files/PDFS/youth-substance-use-treatment-application.pdf Connect with local Mental Health and Substance Use Centres by calling 310-MHSU (6478).
Kelowna	Youth Recovery House Treatment	12-18	Bed-based treatment	All genders	10	
Kelowna	Youth Recovery House Withdrawal Management	13-18	Withdrawal management (detox)	All genders	4	
Kamloops	A New Tomorrow	12-18	Bed-based treatment	All genders	6	
Vancouver Coastal Health Authority						
Confidential	Youth Haven	16-19	Bed-based treatment	All genders	5	Central Addictions Intake Team: 604-209-3705 https://www.vch.ca/en/health-topics/youth-substance-use-services
Vancouver	Peak House	13-18	Bed-based treatment	All genders	8	
Vancouver	Renfrew House	16-24	Supportive bed-based recovery	All genders	8	
Confidential	Young Bear's Lodge	13-18	Bed-based treatment	All genders	5	
Vancouver	Covenant House	18-24	Bed-based treatment	All genders	7	
Island Health Authority all services are detox + treatment						
Victoria	Specialized Youth Detox	13-18	Withdrawal management (detox)	All genders	5	1-888-885-8824 https://www.islandhealth.ca/our-services/youth-family-substance-use-services/access-referrals-youth-family-substance-use-services
Victoria	Threshold Supportive Recovery	12-19	Supportive bed-based recovery	All genders	9	
Nanaimo	Transitions	12-19	Non-medical withdrawal management & supportive recovery	All genders	3	
Confidential	Tillicum Lelum	13-18	Youth transitional beds	All genders	4	
Courtenay	Level Up at the Station	12-19	Supportive bed-based recovery	All genders	5	
Campbell River	180	12-19	Non-medical withdrawal management & supportive recovery	All genders	5	
Fraser Health Authority						
Chilliwack	Traverse	13-18	Bed-based treatment	All genders	20	Youth Substance Use Services: 604-614-2383 https://www.fraserhealth.ca/Service-Directory/Services/mental-health-and-substance-use/youth-substance-use-services#.ZGVJBU_MKUK Short Term Assessment Response Treatment (START) team: 1-844-782-7811
New Westminster	Last Door Youth Program	14-19	Supportive bed-based recovery	Male only	4	
Maple Ridge	Maple Ridge Treatment Centre	18-24	Withdrawal management (detox) and treatment	Male only	4	
Surrey	Creekside Withdrawal Management	14-18	Withdrawal management (detox)	All genders	6	
Northern Health Authority						
Prince George	Nechako Youth Treatment Program	13-18	Bed-based treatment	All genders	7	250-645-7415 (for youth aged 18 and under) https://www.northernhealth.ca/services/mental-health-substance-use
Prince George	Nechako Youth Treatment Program	13-18	Withdrawal management (detox)	All genders	1	
First Nations Health Authority						
Williams Lake	Nenqayni Wellness Centre	13-18	Youth & Family Inhalant Program	Female	10	KUU-US Indigenous crisis line for youth: 250-723-2040 First Nations youth can access the Virtual Substance Use and Psychiatry Service, https://www.fnha.ca/what-we-do/ehealth/virtual-substance-use-and-psychiatry-service through a referral from a health care provider, including FNHA Mental Health Providers https://www.fnha.ca/benefits/mental-health
Provincial Health Services Authority						
Surrey	Youth Substance Use Treatment Program (Phoenix Society)	17-24	Bed-based treatment	Male	18	Learn more at: http://www.bcchildrens.ca/our-services/mental-health-services/assessment-treatment/provincial-youth-young-adult-substance-use-treatment-program . Referrals only through health care providers, who can contact accessandflowyaya@cw.bc.ca or liaison contacts within the referral form.

Non-FNHA Funded Treatment Centres



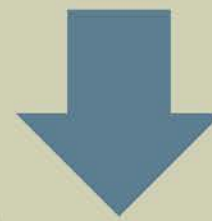
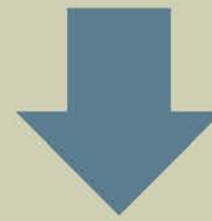
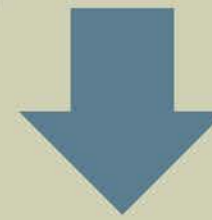
Non-FNHA Funded Treatment Centres

Referral Worker ensures all other avenues have been looked at and does not find an appropriate treatment centre for Community Member

If Community Member is off reserve Referral Worker applies for Income Assistance. If eligible, MSDPR will pay

Referral Worker and Community Member find approved non-FNHA treatment centre and apply via a subsidy application

FNHA subsidy application is processed and Referral Worker is notified of approval or denial



Facilitate the connection of the community member with a Referral Worker who will provide support throughout the treatment process, including pre-treatment, during treatment, and post-treatment phases. It is vital to enhance the community member's outpatient support team, ensuring a robust and stable support network. The Referral Worker may include professionals such as Addictions Workers, Community Health Nurses, Counsellors, Mental Health Clinicians, among others.

To ensure a proper assessment is completed by the Subsidy Application Team, please ensure to thoroughly complete subsidy application. This will minimize delays in processing subsidy applications.

****Complete application in its entirety!****



Non-FNHA Funded Treatment Centre Eligibility Criteria:

- 1** Community Member is Registered through FNHA Health Benefits
- 2** FNHA Funded Treatment Beds are not available or appropriate for Community Member
- 3** Provincial or Regional Health Authority Beds are not available or appropriate for Community Member
- 4** Community Member is ineligible for alternative funding (ie: MSDRP).

An FNHA Subsidy Application needs to be submitted for all Non-FNHA Treatment Centres.



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FNHA Subsidy Application

FNHA Subsidy Application for eligible Non-FNHA Funded Treatment Beds provide a subsidy of a maximum of \$45/Day for 90 days. The FNHA One-Time Funding Agreement for Emergency Treatment Beds is also applied through this application.

Subsidy applications are only approved for licensed and/or registered Treatment Centres under the Assisted Living Registry of BC or the Regional Health Authorities.



**Licensed
Recovery Services**



**Registered
Recovery Services**

It is important to make sure the centre takes the per diem rate, as some centres only have private beds



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FNHA Subsidy Application

Welcome to the subsidy application site for non-FNHA funded Treatment Centres.

This site is for FNHA Referral Partners.

What you can do on this site:

- Facilitate applications to treatment services for Status First Nations people
- Apply for specialized treatment services - including complex, concurrent disorders (e.g. mental health and substance use, comorbidity)
- Identify the need for long term treatments due to the complexity of a condition
- Identify need for longer term care
- Assess the availability of FNHA funded Treatment Centres for facilitating treatment.

Begin Application Process

This will redirect you to a secure portal where individual client information can be inputted.

This information will be used to determine eligibility for a subsidy.

<https://treatment.fnha.ca>

The application will be reviewed within 3-5 business days.
If the referral is urgent you can contact an FNHA team member by:
phone at **1-855-693-3033**
email at **nonFNHAFundedtc@fnha.ca**

Rapid Access Pathway

**One-Time Funding Agreement
(Program Reviewed Annually)**



One-Time Funding Agreement (Program Reviewed Annually)



The new rapid access pathway for bed-based treatment and withdrawal management (detox) is part of FNHA's ongoing effort to support First Nations during the unprecedented toxic drug crisis emergency. The partnership is with 333 Recovery Homes Society (Trinity Recovery House), Cedars Recovery, Sage Health Centre, and Turning Point Recovery Society.

Applications for these priority beds will be assessed on a case-by-case basis, and prioritized for those at high-risk of a toxic drug-poisoning event. FNHA will use an eligibility/prioritization criteria.



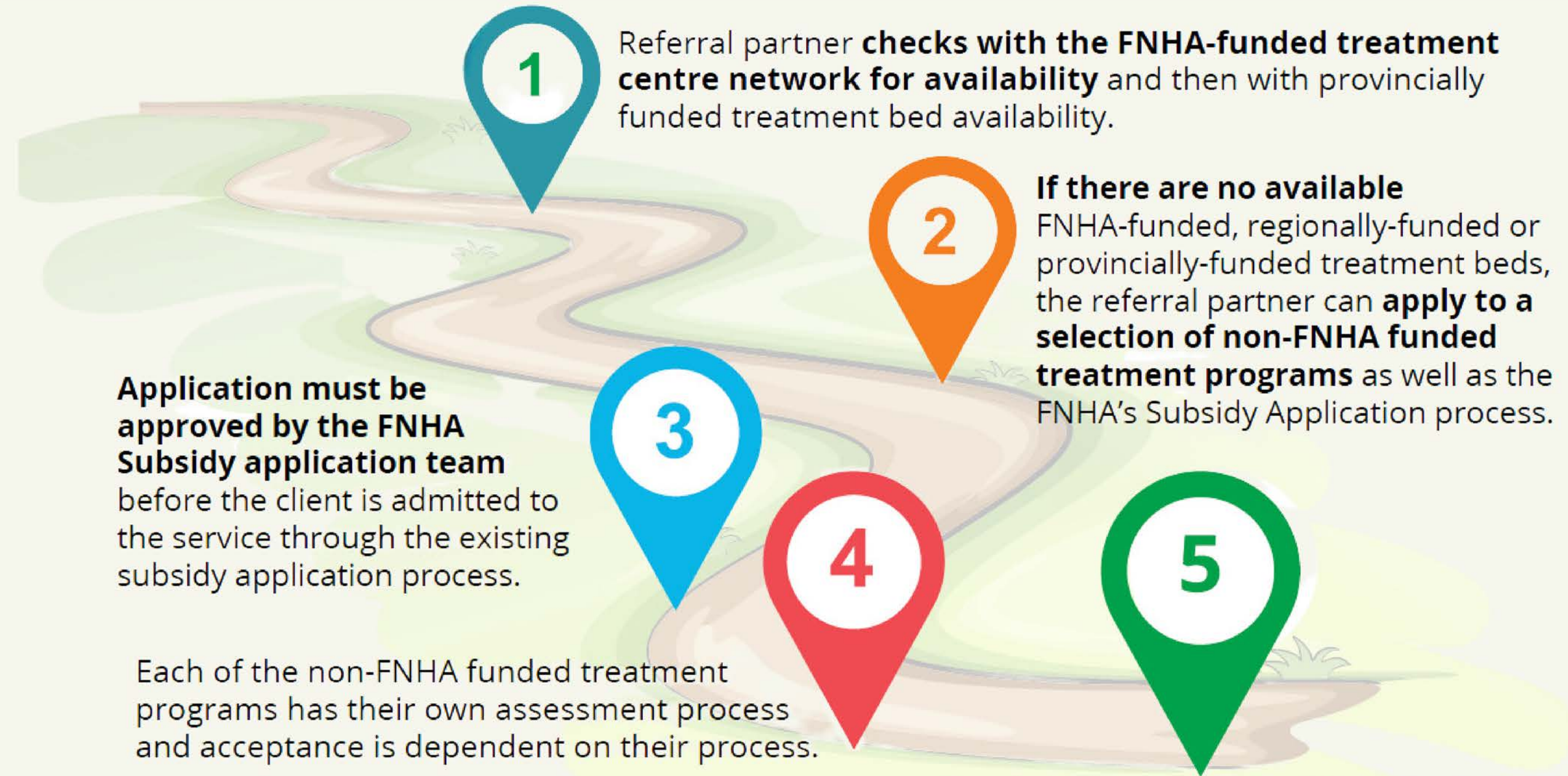
One-Time Funding Agreement (Program Reviewed Annually)



This one-time funding will be provided to these non-FNHA funded treatment facilities as they already serve First Nations clients and have in-house or quick and ready access to services. The rapid access pathway is the same as the existing subsidy applications that fall outside of the National Native Alcohol and Drug Abuse Program (NNADAP).

The funding is not permanent and is reviewed annually. While we know this is not a long-term solution, we continue to work with our provincial and regional partners to improve access and lower barriers for those seeking treatment.

Rapid Access Pathway for Withdrawal Management and Treatment



Once approval is received from the FNHA, reach out to both centre and medical transportation for admission and arrival arrangements.



Eligibility/Prioritization Criteria

Referral agents need to provide as much information as possible regarding the eligibility/prioritization criteria. Each application is reviewed on a case-by-case basis by the FNHA Subsidy Application Team.

Eligibility/Prioritization Criteria:

Experiencing Homelessness

Rural or Remote Resident

Fleeing Domestic Violence

Requires Withdrawal Management

Recent Toxic Drug Poisoning Event (s)

Concurrent, Severe Health Challenges

Pregnant

Other Extenuating Factors

"We evaluate each case individually, using our clinical judgment to ensure funds are appropriately allocated according to our partner agreement. The more information you can provide us the better, as it allows us to make more informed decisions. Please know we are committed to a thorough and fair review of each application."



333 Recovery Homes Society

Trinity Recovery House



The Trinity House (333) is a Men's Recovery House serving men (19+) in the North Coast and surrounding areas. 333 is located in Prince Rupert, BC. They aim to provide a safe, clean, recovery-based home that will benefit the men, their families, and community at large. Their goal is to provide residential recovery for men seeking long term solutions to addiction. Their program emphasizes personal responsibilities, positive actions and encouragement, while utilizing programs such as traditional 12-Step Programs and Wellbriety. Their philosophy is "helping men who want to help themselves."

Contact Information

Phone: **1-778-884-0522**

Website: **<https://trinityrecoveryhouse.com/>**



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Cedars Recovery



Cedars

Cedars Recovery is located on Vancouver Island, BC. Cedars provides services to local and non-local men and women seeking treatment. Cedars provides long-term, evidence-based treatment programs for individuals affected by substance abuse disorders and addiction, from a chemical dependency, alcohol addiction, and or drug addiction. Cedars works with each individual to address their specific needs in order to structure their treatment process. Cedars is committed to recovery and helping individuals and families build the foundation they need to flourish.

Contact Information

Phone: **1-250-733-2006 / 1-866-716-2006**

Website: **<https://www.cedarsrecovery.com/>**



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Sage Health Centre



Sage Health Centre is located in Kamloops, BC. Sage is an abstinence and strengths-based residential treatment centre that offers customized treatment programs for men and women who are struggling with addictions. Their residential treatment program focuses on stabilization in early recovery by integrating holistic wellness modalities, 12 step/SMART recovery program concepts, and psycho-educational strategies and skill sets for relapse prevention and continuing care. Their strengths-based perspective aims to motivate Community Members to define and utilize their existing skills and assets which promotes self-empowerment in their recovery process.

Contact Information

Phone: **1-250-374-6551 / 1-866-414-1206**

Website: **<https://sagehealthcentre.ca/>**



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Turning Point Recovery Society



Turning Point Recovery Society has several recovery homes located in the lower mainland, including locations in Vancouver, Richmond, the North Shore and Squamish, BC. Their treatment programs are smaller and allow for more personalized care and client attention. Their programs are individualized for Community Members, utilize evidence-based and best-emerging practice models while incorporating program concepts from 12 step programs. In addition to traditional models of therapy, they offer alternative healing programs including Art Therapy, Yoga, Acupuncture, Aromatherapy, and Fitness and Nutritional Planning. Turning Point provides follow-up and continuing care planning as well as reintegration and return to work programs.

Contact Information

Phone: **1-604-303-6844**

Website: **<http://turningpointrecovery.com>**



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Kindly Note

- **To minimize application processing times please provide as much information as possible related to the prioritization criteria on the subsidy application to ensure timely access to treatment.**
- It is important that referral workers be available and as responsive as possible when applying for RAP funding. The application team may require additional information pertaining to the RAP application in order to make a decision.
- **Please review each Treatment Centre with your client to ensure it is appropriate and suitable for them.**
- Non-FNHA funded Treatment Centres have their own assessment process and acceptance is dependent on their process. FNHA is not involved in the decision-making process on the Treatment Centres end.
- **That said, please keep in mind that a Community Member still needs to be approved by the FNHA Subsidy Application Team in order to receive the RAP funding. Treatment Centres are not involved in the decision-making process for RAP funding.**



The application will be reviewed within 3-5 business days.



Rapid Access Pathway for Withdrawal Management and Treatment

Non-FNHA Funded Process:

www.fnha.ca/Documents/Non-FNHA-funded-Treatment-Centre-Application-Process-FAQs.pdf

Application Form Here:

<https://treatment.fnha.ca>

The application will be reviewed within 3-5 business days.

If your referral is urgent, or you need to make changes to the submitted application, please contact an FNHA team member.

Phone: **1-855-693-3033**

Email: **nonFNHAFundedtc@fnha.ca**



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