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**Update from the Haida Health Centre Regarding Programs and Services**

The Haida Health Centre has been diligently working on making decisions around programming and services offered during the COVID-19 pandemic. Information and directives from the province are changing daily and at times, hourly. Decisions are made by taking into consideration directives by the provincial and federal governments, our remote location in British Columbia, the health status of our community members and availability of health care services on island. Please see the measures we are taking to protect the health of our community during this difficult time.

Dental Services: No services until further notice.

Adult Day Program: Has limited services. The ADP will be closed to daily programming; however, workers will be contacting all regular participants daily, offering lunches delivered to participants' homes and checking in on their health and daily needs.

Food Bank: Will continue as usual until further notice.

Youth Program: No programming until further notice.

Recreation Program: Exercise groups and basketball are on hold until further notice. Cooper is working on building an exercise program that can be done outside and without equipment so that exercise classes can resume as soon as possible.

Homecare Program: Will continue as usual.

Walking Group: No programming until further notice.

Harm Reduction Services: Will continue as usual.

Community Health: Will continue as usual.

Medical Travel: All non-urgent medical travel will be cancelled. Non-urgent medical will be determined by the individual specialists. PLEASE contact your specialist's office to find out if your appointment has been cancelled.

Tawlang Ga Tlaayds: No programming until further notice. Workers will be contacting participants regularly to check in. Please let the program know if you need any support during this time. We will work hard to provide information and/or support as needed.

Wellness Warriors and Club House: No programming until further notice.

Chronic Pain Group and Traditional Wellness: No programming until further notice. We are working hard to think of creative ways to deliver supportive services outside of a group format.

Thank you for your understanding.

*Monica Brown*