

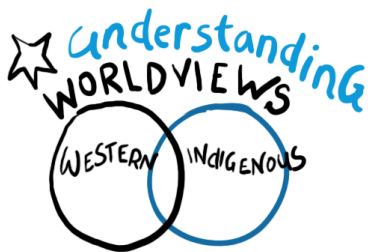
# Indigenous Patient-led

Rural Continuing Professional Development

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We are an Elder-led group from Indigenous and non-Indigenous backgrounds working together to increase cultural safety and humility in rural BC by building relationships with First Nation communities and physician communities.

## Guiding Principles



### Co-developed, Co-facilitated

Sharing best practices with rural physicians and health care providers to foster cultural humility, address systemic bias and improve the health of Indigenous peoples.



### Community-Based and Patient-Led

Community and patient voices are central.



### Strengthening Cultural Safety

Addressing systems of oppression, racism and bias. Building and strengthening relationships between First Nations and physician communities by creating opportunities for self-reflection and dialogue.

## Our team

**Elder & Dr. Roberta Price**, I am from the Coast Salish Snuneymuxw and Cowichan Nations. I work as a First Nations educator, sharing traditional knowledge in schools, within the community, and with First Nations people.

**Elder Cheryl Schweizer**, I am from the Tl'azt'en Nation, and of the Lusilyoo (frog) clan. I am a Mother to six and Grandma to 10. I garden, grow food and harvest Traditional medicine and plants, as well as hunt and fish.

**Harley Eagle**, I am of Dakota and Anishinabe heritage, and a Cultural Safety facilitator and consultant residing in K'omoks territory on Vancouver Island.

**Dr. Terri Aldred**, I am Dakelh from the Tl'Azt'En Nation. I live, work, and play in the Lheidli T'enneh ancestral and unceded lands otherwise known as Prince George. This work is in my blood.

**Dr. Dana Hubler**, I am a settler to this land. I was born in the traditional territory of the Tsimshian people, and am now raising my family on the lands of the K'omoks Nation. I am committed to the healing power of truth and reconciliation.

**Laura Beamish**, I am a settler to this land. I was born on the traditional territory of the Mississauga people, and now live, work and play on the unceded territory of the Coast Salish people.

**Dr. Alisa Harrison**, I am a settler to this land. I was born on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the Tsleil-Waututh, Musqueam and Squamish Nations. I now live on the traditional and unceded territory of the Tsawwassen First Nation. I recognize my responsibility to dismantle colonial structures and individual racism, and to amplify Indigenous ways of being and knowing.

**Ievgeniia Rozhenko**, I am a settler to this land. I am originally from Ukraine and now work and play on the traditional, ancestral and unceded lands of the Musqueam, Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh people.

“Doing this work with open hearts and open minds.”