



October 8, 2020

Dear Colleague:

Please find enclosed the Indigenous Health Initiative Program (IHIP) Request for Proposal Application package for 2021/2022 which begins April 1, 2021. Application for funding takes place on an annual basis. To learn more about the Indigenous Health Program, please see the attached package.

This package includes the most up to date IHIP application forms and replaces all previous documents. Please ensure that you are using the 2021/22 Request for Proposal (RFP) document - also available on our web page at: <https://www.islandhealth.ca/learn-about-health/aboriginal-health/aboriginal-health-initiative-plan-ahip>

Signed and completed proposals are due **Thursday, November 12, 2020 by 4:00 pm**. Send to:

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We will accept proposals by: mail, courier, hand-delivery, email (PDF) and fax. If you hand-deliver the proposal, we are located on the 1st Floor, Mental Health and Substance Use site.

We look forward to working with First Nations communities, Indigenous partners and organizations served by Island Health.

Respectful

Penny Cooper, Director
Indigenous Health

Enclosures