# LIAISON NURSE LOCATIONS on Vancouver Island

#### **PORT HARDY**

Cell (250) 230.0335

Port Hardy Hospital
(250) 949.6161

Port McNeill Hospital
(250) 956.4461

Cormorant Island Community Health Centre (250) 974-5522 Ext. 2184

#### **CAMPBELL RIVER**

(250) 850-2460 Cell (250) 830-8865 **Campbell River Hospital** (250) 850-2141

#### **COMOX - ST. JOSEPH'S**

(250) 890-3810 ext 61044 Cell (250) 650.5714 **St. Joseph's Hospital** (250) 339-2242

#### **PORT ALBERNI**

(250) 731-1370 Local 48109 West Coast General Hospital (250) 731-1370

#### **NANAIMO**

Cell (250) 741.4234 (250) 755.7691 Local 52095 Nanaimo General Hospital (250) 755.7691

#### **COWICHAN (DUNCAN)**

(250) 746-6184 Cell (250) 704.8204 Cowichan District Hospital (250) 737-2030 or (250) 737.2000 Ladysmith District Hospital (250) 245.2221

#### **VICTORIA**

(250) 519.1905 Cell (250) 480.8333 (250) 370.8847 Cell (250) 812.1464 Royal Jubilee Hospital (250) 370.8000 Victoria General Hospital (250) 727-4212 JENEECE PLACE (VGH) 250.479.9908

# Mainland Hospital Numbers

BC Women's (604) 875-2424 BC Children's (604) 875-2345 Vancouver General (604) 875-4111 St. Paul's Hospital (Van) (604) 682-2344

# **Helpful Travel Information**

Wheels for Wellness (250) 338-0196 (Transportation to medical appointments that are MORE than 75 km from your home.) Local bus information—250-956-3151

Inter-Tribal Health Authority 1-877-777-4842 Non-Insured Health Benefits 1-800-317-7878

## **Local Services**

#### **Alert Bay**

'Namgis Health Centre (250) 974-5522
'Namgis Doctor's Office (250) 974-5520
'Namgis Dental Clinic (250) 974-5205
Mental Health and Addictions (250) 974-5522
Alert Bay Drug Store (250) 974-5712
24 Hour Crisis Line (250) 974-53
Alcohol & Drug Line (250) 974-5326
Whe-la-la-u Band Office (250) 974-5501

#### Port McNeill

Mental Health and Addictions (250) 956-3644 People's Drug Mart (250) 956-3126

## Port Hardy

Sacred Wolf Friendship Centre (250) 902-0552

VIHA Mental Health / Addictions Services (250) 949-8611

Crisis Centre and Counselling (250) 949-8333 24 Hour Crisis Line (250) 949-6033 AIDS Vancouver Island (250) 949-0432 People's Drug Mart (250) 949-9522 Rexall Drugs (250) 949-6552 Family Place (250) 949-3116

# Aboriginal Health Liaison Nurse (Alert Bay)



# Rachel Fulmore BSN, RN Aboriginal Liaison Nurse

## **Phone**

(250) 974-5522 Ext: 2130

**Fax** 

(250) 974-2736

Updated: February 19, 2019

# Hours of Availability Monday-Friday 9:30am-10:30am 2:30pm-3:30pm



ALN Office Location:
'Namgis Health Centre
P.O. Box 290
Alert Bay B.C. V0N-1A0



# When you have to go to Hospital just remember...

- Bring your BC Care Card & Status Card.
- Bring a list of medications you are taking prescription and non-prescription.
- Slippers and toiletries.
- Check with your Band prior to hospitalization for medical coverage, travel assistance, meals, accommodation guidelines.
- In Emergency situations contact your Band to arrange for transfer of eligible funding.
- Before you see the doctor write down your questions so they are answered.

### **Health Centres on Reserves**

- 'Namgis Nation (250) 974-5522 (Alert Bay)
- Gwa'Sala Nakwaxda'xw Nation / Tsulquate
   Band (250) 949-8131 (Port Hardy)
- Quatsino First Nation (250) 949-7161
- Kwakiutl Band (250) 949-6625 (Fort Rupert)

# What the Liaison Nurse can do for you and your family while in Hospital

- · Advocate on your behalf.
- Visit and provide support and information to you and your family members.
- Explain health care issues
- With your approval—keep family and care givers up –to-date
- Refer you to available community services
- Provide education and awareness about first nations to hospital staff
- Consult with Doctors, hospital staff, care providers, & community.
- Connect you with an Elder for spiritual and emotional support and assist with cultural needs.