



ESQUIMALT NATION

1189 Kosapsum Crescent
Victoria, BC - V9A 7K7

January 24, 2022

RE: Admin Office, Program Delivery & Covid-19 Testing

Esquimalt Nation is responding to the Omicron PHO restrictions and have made the following temporary changes to Operations:

Admin Building

1. Some staff are working from home.
2. Appointments are mandatory (no walk- ins). Call 250 381 7861 to make an appointment.
3. Social distancing of 6ft is still required in program/admin buildings
4. There are maximum occupancy limits in shared spaces. You may be asked to wait outside for your appointment time if the reception area is at maximum capacity.
5. Masks are **required** in the Administration building and all shared spaces.
6. All individuals entering the Administration building are required to sanitize or wash their hands upon entry.

Programs

Program	Contact	Platform	Schedule
Women's Group	Stephanie McMahon	Zoom	January 25 th – February 15 th
Parenting Group	Jacqueline Jacks	Zoom	January 19 th – February 9 th
Men's Group	Matthew Yochim	In Person (walks)	January 24 th – February 14 th
Youth Group	Matthew Yochim	In Person (walks)	January 18 th – February 14 th
Homework Club	Maya Hamel/Kalie Dyer	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Children can attend program building after school to pick up a snack and activity packages 2. Online tutoring available to students who request it 3. 1 day/week "outdoor reading circle" for K-3 (Education dept. has rain gear for children, more information will be provided by the Education dept.) 4. 1 day/week "outdoor education" for all students, focus on nature, exploring and connection 1 day/week "outdoor reading circle" for K-3 (Education dept. has rain gear for children, more 	



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Testing

Rapid Antigen Testing

- Testing is only allowed for people who have symptoms of Covid-19
- If individuals are not symptomatic, but are living with positive cases or have had contact with a positive case, they are required to “self-monitor” and are unable to get a test

PCR (regular) testing

- Esquimalt Nation is offering PCR tests ONLY to populations that are at great risk for severe illness, including:
 - Children younger than five with concerning symptoms
 - Individuals older than 5 with concerning symptoms
 - Elders with symptoms
 - Individuals who have symptoms and are immunocompromised

The Community Health Nurse at Esquimalt Nation continues to screen individuals to determine if a test is appropriate.

A staff list with emails is attached to this letter. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

Sincerely,

The Esquimalt Nation Administration



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