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BCAAFC Elders Council and Youth Leaders

Elders Don't Bite Workshop



In this workshop, BCAAFC Elders Council and Youth leaders facilitate a workshop that Elders and Youth can share in their home community to promote dialogue between Elders and Youth. Elders have open and honest discussions on what is healthy leadership, share their experiences as survivors of the residential school system and other topics that Youth need to know but are too intimidated to ask in their home community.

Contact the BCAAFC Elder Coordinator at 1-800-990-2432

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Honoring Our Elders Workshop

A workshop on Elder Abuse Awareness and Prevention

"When Grandpa's cheque comes in... I make sure to bring it right to him so that he can buy what he needs."

Every Elder has the right to live with a strong sense of dignity, safety, respect and safety. Missing an Elder's funds or assets or getting property and funds without the person's consent is financial abuse. We all have a role to play in preventing Elder abuse and neglect. To find out more, visit www.bcaafc.com or call 1-800-990-2432.

This is a train-the-trainer workshop to enable Elders and/or Elder support workers to host a workshop to help re-affirm Elders' roles as community leaders. We bring up the topic of Elder Abuse in a supportive environment and help the group to identify community supports in response to Aboriginal Elders that are at risk. The workshop resources can be adapted to a variety of audiences: Elders, anyone working with Elders and Elders/Youth.

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Elders Programs in BC



The BCAAFC Elders Council members share how Elders are involved in Friendship Centres across BC. Using multi-media photos and video clips of Elders gifting their time and energy to Friendship Centres, Elders can reflect on areas they can share their life experiences in their home community. Elder support workers find having an overview of potential funding sources is valuable, as well sharing with the group their own Elders programs and Elder resources.

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