

## Indigenous Court Connected Services in Alberta March 2023

### Honourable Beverley Browne – Wiyasôw Iskweêw – Restorative Justice Pilot Project

- The restorative justice pilot project is a court-annexed program with the goal of referring appropriate matters that are before the courts to a restorative justice process. Open to criminal matters in Alberta. Visit the website for referral guidelines.

### Bigstone Cree Nation Restorative Justice Program

- For criminal matters only. Visit the link for more information on process and to access Restorative Justice Request Forms.

### **Buffalo Lake Metis Settlement**

- Debbie Ladouceur – Community Justice Coordinator [dladouceur@blmetis.ca](mailto:dladouceur@blmetis.ca) for intake

### Calgary Indigenous Court

- For more information and referral process: [soksipaitapiisin@elizabethfrycalgary.ca](mailto:soksipaitapiisin@elizabethfrycalgary.ca)

### Edmonton Indigenous Court

### **Samson Cree Nation**

- Pamihowin – Court Advocate (780) 585-3793

### **Ermineskin Cree Nation**

- Neyaskwayahk Restorative Justice Advisor [Restorative Justice – Ermineskin Cree Nation](#)
- Blaine Raine (780) 585-3741 Ext.260
  - Offers mediation, Justice Circles (youth/adult), Talking (healing) Circles, Advocacy on Police matters, Tribunals, Hub Coordinator

### **Native Counselling Services of Alberta**

- [Indigenous Offender Reconciliation Program](#)
- [Indigenous Courtwork Program Program | NCSA](#)

### Aboriginal Friendship Centre of Calgary – Indigenous Hub

- [Smudge Vow Program](#): Supporting individuals involved in the Criminal Justice System currently or in the past. Program helps to transition back into their communities successfully.

### **Native Counselling Services of Alberta - Programs**

- [Family Reconciliation Program Program | NCSA](#)
- [Wâhkômiwêw Connections Program \(St. Paul, Cold Lake, Bonnyville\) Program | NCSA](#)
- [Wâhkômiwêw Connections Program \(Stony Plain\) Program | NCSA](#)
- [Kiyôhkatowin Home Visitation Program \(Stony Plain\) Program | NCSA](#)

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- [Wapekin Program \(Stony Plain\) Program | NCSA](#)
- [WrapED Program | NCSA](#)
- [Indigenous Housing First Program | NCSA](#)
- [Stan Daniels Healing Centre Program | NCSA](#)
- [Buffalo Sage Wellness House Program | NCSA](#)

### **Saddle Lake Restorative Justice Program**

Circle Keeper, Ramona Cardinal - [ramonacardinal@gmail.com](mailto:ramonacardinal@gmail.com) and Program Manager/  
Circle Keeper, Stacey Harrison - [s.harrison@slbgc.org](mailto:s.harrison@slbgc.org)

- Services offered are Peacemaking, Circles, Sentencing Circles (both Provincial and Kings Bench referrals), Healing Circles and Mediation
- Offers workshops on Grief and Loss, Healthy Communication, Lateral Violence, Conflict resolution. All processes involve a Cultural foundation(Cree Culture), and incorporate Ceremony.

Program Coordinator, Wyome Dion - [coordinator.htw@gmail.com](mailto:coordinator.htw@gmail.com) or Navigator, Karla John - [navigator.htw@gmail.com](mailto:navigator.htw@gmail.com)

- Developing a Healing to Wellness Court, based out of St. Paul Courthouse. It is based on Cultural knowledge, and is working towards helping Indigenous People, with the focus on healing and reducing their involvement with the Justice System.

### **Siksika Nation Justice**

- To provide overall Legal Court Programs to Siksika Nation Members, non-members, non-nation members residing with Nation Members, Chief and Council and Administration areas. Visit this site to find out more about Siksika Court Worker program, Aiskapimohkiiks, Legal Aid, Community corrections and more.

### **Tsuut'ina Office of the Peacemaker**

- Peacemaking may be available to individuals who have been charged with a criminal offence that took place on Tsuut'ina Nation and is going through the Tsuut'ina Provincial Court.