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Advisory Group Application

Step 1

Application for Appointment to Whatcom County Advisory Groups

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Title	Ms.
First Name	Sukhmanjit
Last Name	Kaur
Today's Date	1/12/2026

Do you live in Whatcom County? Yes

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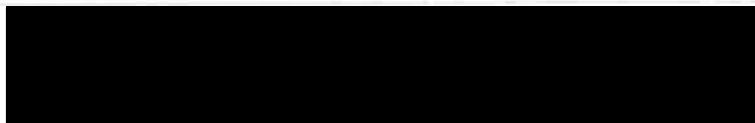
medicine.

Through these roles, I demonstrate leadership in patient advocacy, community engagement, trauma-informed care, and the development of culturally competent healthcare practices.

8. Please describe why you're interested in serving on this Advisory Group.

Through my work as a Registered Nurse and Nurse Practitioner student, I have firsthand experience supporting individuals affected by domestic and sexual violence across diverse populations in Whatcom County. These experiences have shown me the importance of informed policy, collaborative decision-making, and culturally responsive approaches at the advisory level. I am particularly motivated to contribute a clinical and community-based perspective that reflects the needs of historically underserved populations, including Punjabi, Indian, and Sikh communities, where I have built trusted relationships through sustained advocacy and culturally competent care. Serving on this Advisory Group would allow me to leverage my frontline experience, leadership skills, and cross-cultural insight to help shape effective, equitable strategies that improve outcomes for individuals and families. I am eager to collaborate with fellow advisors, share practical insights from clinical practice, and support the development of policies and initiatives that prioritize safety, equity, and trauma-informed care.

References (please include daytime telephone number):



Appointment Requirements I understand and agree

Signature of applicant: Sukhmanjit Kaur

Place Signed / Submitted Ferndale WA

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From: Sukhmanjit Kaur [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 12, 2026 8:44 PM
To: Executive
Subject: Interest in Serving on the Domestic Violence Advisory Board – Public Health Advisory Board

Dear County Executive,

I am writing to formally express my interest in serving on the Domestic Violence Advisory Board under the Public Health Advisory Board. I have applied the application to be on the committee board recently (1/12/2026). I am deeply committed to advancing trauma-informed, culturally responsive, and community-centered approaches to addressing domestic violence, and I believe my clinical and community leadership experience would allow me to contribute meaningfully to this work.

I currently serve as a Registered Nurse at Unity Care Clinic across all clinic sites and am a Nurse Practitioner student with focused experience supporting individuals impacted by domestic and sexual violence across all demographics in Whatcom County. In my clinical role, I collaborate closely with interdisciplinary teams to ensure patient safety, connect survivors with resources, and address the long-term physical, behavioral, and social impacts of violence.

In addition, I have established trusted relationships within Punjabi, Indian, and Sikh communities across the United States and Canada through sustained advocacy for chronic and behavioral health needs. This work has strengthened my ability to engage communities that are often underserved or hesitant to seek support, particularly in cases involving domestic violence. I bring a strong understanding of the cultural, linguistic, and systemic barriers that can affect access to care and reporting, and I am committed to helping shape policies and strategies that are inclusive, equitable, and effective.

I am particularly interested in serving on this Advisory Board because it provides an opportunity to contribute frontline clinical insight to public health planning and policy development. I am eager to collaborate with community leaders, public health professionals, and policymakers to support prevention efforts, survivor-centered services, and data-informed decision-making that improve outcomes countywide.

Thank you for your consideration. I would be honored to serve and contribute to the important work of the Public Health Advisory Board.

Respectfully,

Sukhmanjit Kaur
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