



## NNPBC WELCOMES DIRECTOR, PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

BURNABY- Nurses and Nurse Practitioners of BC (NNPBC) is pleased to welcome Kim Ferraro, MN, BSN, RN to the role of Director, Professional Practice starting on October 1, 2021.

“Kim will be a fantastic addition to our team. She brings a wealth of experience as a clinical nurse specialist and has worked in a variety of professional settings, with policy makers, regulators and clinical operations teams across the province. Kim’s attention to detail and strong interpersonal skills will allow NNPBC to implement a strong and dynamic professional practice program that will benefit all of our members”, noted Michael Sandler, Executive Director.

Kim graduated with her Bachelor of Science in Nursing from the University of Victoria and holds her Masters in Nursing from Athabasca University. She has a strong clinical background, is a practicing nurse, and has experience leading in both clinical and network operations. Kim has a keen interest in supporting clinicians to provide optimal patient care by understanding health systems and advocating for the use of best evidence in practice. Most recently, Kim held a regional role as Clinical Nurse Specialist with the Interior Health Emergency Services Network which provided her experience in applying both project management and change management theory throughout her work.

“I’m so pleased to be moving into this new and exciting role.” said Ferraro. “I love to support practice excellence and I look forward to working with our partners to ensure that professional practice goals are met for BC’s nurses, across all designations. My focus will be on engaging BC nurses to solve problems and develop innovative solutions that will allow us to deliver the highest quality care possible.”

Kim will work closely with the entire NNPBC staff team as well as the NNPBC Board of Directors and its four councils to deliver innovative professional practice services to NNPBC members.



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