

# MAKE CHILDREN FIRST NETWORK OVERVIEW

## Our Mission:

- Supporting families with children 0 to 6 in Terrace & District and local First Nations communities.

## Our Vision:

- A community where all children are valued and will develop to their full potential.

## Vision Values- Our Community is where:

- Families are the most important influence on children's development
- People are working together for the benefit of all children
- Everyone has adequate food, housing and safety
- Everyone connected and no isolation
- A comprehensive infrastructure of supports and services exists
- We share trust and commitment to our vision that allows us to move forward
- There is an equitable access for all
- Diversity and inclusion of all ages, cultures, abilities, socio-economic and education levels, etc. is valued
- There is no racism
- People are open minded, non-judgmental and respectful of differences of potentials
- Time and respect is given to healing
- Networks of family, friends and neighbours exist
- We are grounded in a solid foundation of common values of a healthy community



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**Make Children First Network** is a coalition of agencies and institutions that provide services and programs to children from conception to age six and their families.

Our Core Activities include:

- Working Together
- Spreading the Word
- Research
- Planning
- Advocacy
- Allocation
- Evaluation

**Make Children First Network** works within the field of early childhood as well as in the community development, helping to create a community where children and their families are valued, supported, inspired and celebrated by all of us.



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