Recruitment Overview Recruitment Overview

Over the course of 2024, USask College of Nursing student recruitment strategist and academic advisors travelled from one end of Saskatchewan to the other and a little bit beyond to spread the word about USask Nursing programs. They wish to thank the communities they visited for their warm welcomes and eagerness to learn more about **USask Nursing!**

Here are just some of the places where the USask Nursing recruitment team travelled to in 2024:

- Ahtahkakoop Cree Nation
 James Smith Cree Nation
 North Battleford
- Assiniboia
- Big River First Nation
- Brandon, MB
- Delisle
- Estevan
- Fishing Lake

- La Ronge

Lloydminster

Meadow Lake

- One Arrow First Nation
- Prince Albert

- Melfort
- Moose Jaw

Muenster

- Onion Lake
- Regina
- Rosetown
- Rosthern

- Saskatoon
- Swift Current
- Tisdale
- Weyburn
- Winnipeg, MB
- Yellow Quill First Nation
- Yorkton

Brandon Career Symposium

In April, USask Nursing travelled to Manitoba to attend the Brandon Career Symposium. Student Recruitment Strategist Kelsey Wick shared information not only about our nursing programs and admission requirements, but highlighted USask Nursing's new strategic partnership with Southeast College to deliver the complete Bachelor of Science in Nursing program in Weyburn, SK starting fall 2025. The event was well attended and students said they were interested in attending USask Nursing, if they could do so while being closer to Brandon.



Kelsey Wick, USask College of Nursing student recruitment strategist, ready to welcome students at the Brandon Career Symposium. Submitted.

New Indigenous Student Welcome Information Fair

In late August, USask Nursing attended the New Indigenous Student Welcome Information Fair at the USask Saskatoon Campus. Nursing advisors and student recruitment strategist Kelsey Wick took the opportunity to interact with new USask Indigenous students to tell them about USask nursing programs. Thank you to the Gordon Oakes Red Bear Student Centre for organizing the event, offering a great opportunity to interact with the new students.



USask College of Nursing represented at the New Indigenous Student Welcome Information Fair in Saskatoon. Submitted.

University of Saskatchewan Saskatoon Campus Open House

At the University of Saskatchewan Saskatoon Campus Open House in September, the College of Nursing hosted a recruitment station for students to ask questions and collect information on how to apply to nursing. Advisors also hosted presentations highlighting programs, campuses, and future career opportunities in nursing. During Open House, current Bachelor of Science in Nursing students demonstrated hands-on skills to prospective students to show what they would be learning in the BSN program, including how to take a blood pressure.



Reggie Gomas (former Year 2 College of Nursing academic advisor) and Kelsey Wick (College of Nursing student recruitment strategist) ready to speak with high school students interested in nursing.

Prince Albert Recruitment Events

October was a busy month for recruitment in Prince Albert. The month started off with USask Nursing attending the annual Opening Doors to Tomorrow Career Fair, then a few weeks later, the USask Prince Albert Campus Open House. Students who attended the Opening Doors Career Fair were excited to learn they could tour the Prince Albert Campus during Open House.



USask Nursing's Knowledge Keeper & Indigenous Student Advisor Dr. Kathleen McMullin at the Art Hauser Center for Opening Doors to Tomorrow Career Fair. Submitted.

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