# **BARB WHITENECT**

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#### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

## 2005 - Current

## **Sessional Instructor**

University of NB, St. Thomas University, NBCC – New Brunswick, Canada

- Community Social Services program (NBCC)
- SCWK 5046 Social Work Theory
- ED 6089 Community Based Interventions
- SCWK 3153 Group Work
- SCWK 5046 Social Work Practice Theory
- Practicum/Placement Instructor

## 2019 - 2022

# **Assistant Deputy Minister**

Department of Social Development – Fredericton, NB, Canada

- Strategic development and dashboard measurement of government priorities
- Human resource management
- Plan, design, monitor, and fund seven program areas: Child Welfare, Nursing Homes, Long Term Care, Housing, Wellness, Aging Secretariat, Income Support

## 2014 - 2019

## **Assistant Deputy Minister**

**Department of Public Safety** – Fredericton, NB, Canada

- Strategy development and measurement of government priorities
- Human resource management
- Plan, design, monitor, and fund six program areas: Corrections, Community Services, Crime Prevention, Motor Vehicle, Liquor Gaming and Securities, Firearms

## 2002 - 2014

## **Executive Director**

**Department of Health** – Fredericton, NB, Canada

- Chair/liaison with numerous interdepartmental, Atlantic, F/T/P, and stakeholder communities
- Prepare MOUs, MECs, briefing notes, and other documents for program development
- Monitor funding and utilization of five tertiary facilities and seven regional psychiatric units, including seven directors

#### **SKILLS**

- Leadership development
- Public Speaking
- Communication Skills
- Senior Level Management
- Problem-Solving

#### **EDUCATION**

1992 Master of Social Work: Social Work

Carleton University – Ottawa, ON

1991 Bachelor of Social Work: Social WorkSt. Thomas University – Fredericton, NB

1986 Bachelor of Arts: Sociology

University of New Brunswick – Fredericton, NB

1983 Bachelor of Business Administration: Accounting University of New Brunswick – Fredericton, NB

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- Co-facilitate and development: "Women Leaders Program" for GNB
- Canadian Association of Social Work (CASW) Board Representative for NBASW
- Chair: Nomination Committee Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB)
- Regulatory Education and Leadership (REAL) Committee Member (ASWB)
- GNB New Professional program mentor
- President, Vice-President New Brunswick Association of Social Workers (NBASW)
- Social work representative Pan-Canadian Standards Committee
- Vice-Chair: Premiers Council on the Status of Disabled Persons

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

- Strategic Thinking
- Coaching Leadership Clinic
- Coaching Government Employees
- Public Service Management Program
- École Langue Française
- Working with Others
- Critical Incident Stress Management
- Suicide Intervention / ASIST Program