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Attention LPNs: Deadline is Tomorrow for Retiree Benefit Program Expressions of Interest

Tuesday, Jan. 14 is the deadline for retired LPN members to submit an expression of interest (EOI) to serve on the Nurses' Bargaining Association (NBA) Retiree Benefit Program (RBP) Committee.

This new position was created following the committee's governance review, which identified options to increase LPN representation.

The EOI form can be accessed on the [Retiree Benefit Program](#) webpage. BCNU will review all submissions received and contact shortlisted candidates for interviews.

Please share the news of this opportunity with retired LPNs in your networks.

[Read our bulletin to learn more.](#)

Human Rights and Equity Conference 2024

Over 200 BCNU members gathered in Surrey on Nov. 13 for the union's 2024 human rights and equity conference, held on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territories of the Katzie, Kwantlen, and Semiahmoo First Nations peoples. The conference's theme of inclusion encouraged members to reflect on histories and systems that are still in place today that function as mechanisms of exclusion in their workplaces and in our union.

Invited speakers included BCNU past president Debra McPherson and former BCNU provincial treasurer Mabel Tung. Both shared stories of past efforts to support social justice and build a more inclusive union, and noted achievements gained over their years in leadership at BCNU.

Read our [conference highlights](#) and watch for a feature story in the spring 2025 issue of Update Magazine.

Update Magazine

The winter 2024 issue of Update Magazine is arriving in mailboxes across the province this week, following a delay that resulted from the recent Canada Post labour dispute.

As BCNU prepares for bargaining this year, read about the union's first-ever regional bargaining conference in Penticton last October and learn more about the 2025 strategic plan. Get the scoop on BCNU's efforts to strengthen members' voices during last year's provincial election, and our lobby coordinators' unprecedented level of engagement with candidates.

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