



## How to access...

### Health Connections Clinic

- Call for an appointment
- Drop-in
- Get referred by an agency

**Phone: (250) 331-8502**

**Fax: (250) 331-8503**

*Located at*  
**615 Tenth Street,  
Courtenay,  
BC V9N 1R2**

*Open:*  
**Monday—Friday  
9am—4pm**

**Drop-in with Primary Care Nurses  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday 1-4pm**



## Our services....

The Health Connections Clinic provides:

- A unique, team based approach, to providing health care
- An approach that may work better for people who have found it difficult to find a physician, and who have a combination of medical and non-medical needs
- The team at the Health Connections Clinic can support you in a number of areas
- The clinic is a partnership between Island Health and the Comox Valley Division of Family Practice



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*at the*  
**Comox Valley  
Nursing Centre**

***Team-based  
Primary Health  
Care***

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**Toll Free: 1-877-215-7005**

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## Who we are...

- Family Doctors
- Nurse Practitioner
- Registered Nurses
- Medical Office Assistant

... working with you and other healthcare providers to support your medical and non-medical needs

**Health Connections Clinic** is one of the programs offered by **Comox Valley Nursing Center**. Some of the services here include:

- Chronic Pain Management
- Men's Counselling
- Street Outreach
- Positive Wellness North Island (HIV/HepC)
- Eating Disorders
- Telehealth
- Various support and educational groups

*Our services are confidential*

## What we do...

Provide care for Comox Valley residents who don't have a regular family doctor

Provide team-based care for people with complex medical and/or socio-economic needs. These could include mental illness, substance use, homelessness, poverty, chronic disease

Provide care for patients referred by other health care providers

Connect you to resources throughout the community

## Are we right for you?

If you have complex medical or community needs...

If you think you might benefit from a team-based healthcare clinic...

If you don't have a family doctor or have experienced challenges connecting to a medical clinic...

*... then the Health Connections Clinic might be right for you*

## What to expect...

You may be seen by a team that includes a Nurse Practitioner or a Registered Nurse or a Family Doctor depending on your individual needs and availability

You can expect a culturally sensitive approach

***The Family Doctors, Nurse Practitioners, and Registered Nurses work together to best meet your health needs***

