

Tsartlip First Nation

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NOTICE RE: SAANICH PENINSULA HOSPITAL – OVERNIGHT EMERGENCY ROOM CLOSURES

The Saanich Peninsula Hospital will be closed overnight from 10PM to 7AM until September 4th, 2023.

The Health Directors are working with Island Health to reduce any barriers that community members may face in accessing overnight services.

If you require emergency care not requiring ambulance transportation, please go to Victoria General Hospital or Royal Jubilee Hospital. If you require maternal care or care for children, please go to Victoria General Hospital. If you require a taxi because you have no other access to transportation, the cost will be reimbursed by your Nation's Health Centre.

If you are experiencing a critical or life-threatening emergency during the nightly closure, please call 911. If you receive an ambulance bill, please notify your Nation's Health Centre. The cost will be covered by Island Health. If you require a taxi to return home, the cost will be reimbursed by your Nation's Health Centre.

If you have any further questions or concerns, please call the Tsartlip Health Centre, 250-652-4473

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