

CHICA-BC

2010 Executive

President:	Robyn Hunter BSN RN CIC
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Number of Members: 133

Geographic Area Served: All of BC except Vancouver Island

Membership:

From across the continuum of Care

Meetings:

Executive Meetings

Occur one week prior to every general meeting and are one hour in length.

General Meetings

Occur the last Wednesday of every second month; July meeting gets cancelled for summer break.

Meetings are one hour of business and one hour of education on a variety of topics.

Initiatives Related to the CHICA-Canada 2010-2015 Strategic Plan:

- 1. Goal One: Raise the profile of the association and its activities.*
 - o Meetings in September and November focused on goal setting for CHICA-BC in relation to the CHICA-Canada visioning done in 2009
- 2. Goal Two: Enhance the mix of products and services.*
- 3. Goal Three: Expand the association's education initiatives.*
- 4. Goal Four: Expand and develop the membership base.*
- 5. Goal Five: Provide national and international leadership.*
 - o A joint meeting with APIC – Puget Sound in October provided an opportunity to continue the connection with international colleagues.
 - o A representative from CHICA-BC attended the CIBC board meeting to present the experience of CHICA-BC members pertaining to certification.

Highlights:

- Executive members met with lead volunteers for the 2010 CHICA-Canada conference monthly from January to April and then biweekly until May and then weekly until the conference
- January 27th, 2010 education session - Understanding the Risk of TB by Dr. Jen Grant
- March 10th, 2010 education session - A Walk through the PICNet Website – taking advantage of the online education opportunities by Joanne Archer
- June 23rd, 2010 education session – CHICA-Canada conference reports and round table discussion of conference learnings
- September 15th, 2010 - CHICA-BC Visioning and Strategic Plan Discussion with Coleen Reiswig

- October 28th, 2010 – Joint Meeting with APIC-Puget Sound Chapter
 - Dr David W. Birnbaum PhD, MPH
 - Jeanne Cummings RN, BSN, CIC
 - Tara Donovan MSc (Epidemiologist)
 - Linda Adam RN, BScN, CIC
- November 24th, 2010 – CHICA-BC Goals Discussion

*Robyn Hunter BSN RN CIC
Chapter President*