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SOCIETY

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The name of the Society is FOOTPRINTS INFERTILITY & PREGNANCY LOSS SUPPORT SOCIETY

The purposes of the Society are:

Footprints Infertility & Pregnancy Loss Support Society is about community connectedness. Footprints is an inclusive platform committed to providing support, healing, belonging, and making our angel babies count. The mandate of Footprints is to champion reproductive health rights and provide compassionate support to families experiencing infertility and pregnancy loss. Through education, advocacy, and community-building, Footprints seeks to create safe spaces for healing and empowerment. Additionally, the Women of Influence Nanaimo Awards serves as an initiative to amplify this message by raising awareness and fostering community connectedness, promoting gender equity, and supporting the broader mission of Footprints. The purpose of Footprints is to promote health, boost community spirit, advance education, and provide public amenities:

- 1. Raising funds through the Women of Influence Nanaimo Awards to support Footprints' mission and create a community event that promotes gender and cultural equity and reproductive health. This event celebrates women, non-binary, 2-spirit, and gender-diverse individuals, fostering connection and awareness within the community.
- 2. Advocating for improved systems on the frontlines to ensure parents get the proper health care, information, and emotional support the moment their trauma happens. This includes distributing free mental health support bags.
- 3. Collaborating with workplaces and organizations to create better protocols, guidelines, and awareness when dealing with infertility, loss, and reproductive health rights matters.
- 4. Creating a support community to continue the efforts in bridging the gap with the emotional and mental health component.
- 5. Increasing the public's understanding of reproductive health rights and the importance of upholding them by organizing events that normalize topics that promote equity, diversity, and inclusion.
- 6. Redefining what fertility means through various initiatives and events. Championing "motherhood of purpose" and birthing community connectedness by honouring those who contribute and create an impact within their spheres.