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Dear Colleagues,

I would like to let you know about a change in leadership within the Perioperative Nursing and Basic Critical Care Nursing programs.



Kathy Dreher

Kathy Dreher, Program Head, Basic Critical Care and Perioperative Nursing programs, transitioned to a different position within SIAST.

We extend our thanks to Kathy for her leadership and exemplary service to the SIAST Nursing Division.



Eli Ahlquist

I am very pleased to congratulate Eli Ahlquist on his appointment as Program Head, Perioperative Nursing programs.

Most recently, Eli was a faculty member with the SIAST Perioperative Nursing program and with the Nursing Education Program of Saskatchewan (NEPS) at SIAST Wascana campus. Eli has provided leadership as an acting relief manager of the operating room at the Regina General Hospital. Eli has also worked for the Saskatchewan Ministry of Health and the Regina Qu'Appelle Health Region.

Eli has a bachelor of science in nursing with distinction and is currently pursuing a master of public of administration from the University of Regina.

Eli can be reached at 775-7568 or eli.ahlquist@siast.sk.ca



Greg Riehl

I am very pleased to congratulate Greg Riehl on his appointment as Program Head, Basic Critical Care Nursing program.

Most recently, Greg was a faculty member with the SIAST Nursing Education of Saskatchewan (NEPS), at SIAST Wascana campus. Greg has been a registered nurse in Saskatchewan for 19 years and has leadership experience in regional and national positions. He has held positions with the Saskatchewan Ministry of Health, Saskatchewan Registered Nurses' Association, Health Canada First Nations and Inuit Health Branch, as well as Royal University Hospital.

Greg has a bachelor of science in nursing from the University of Saskatchewan and a masters of arts in professional communication specializing in international and intercultural communication from Royal Road University.

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Please join me in congratulating Kathy on her new position and in welcoming Eli and Greg to their new positions.

Sincerely,

Netha Dyck
Dean of Nursing