

ANKORS Year-End Report
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Fiscal Year-End Report
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ANKORS Overdose Prevention site & Administrative assistant

Fiscal Year Summary — ANKORS West Overdose Prevention Site

This past fiscal year brought challenges, but the OPS team navigated them together. Overdose incidents remained minimal, and every incident was successfully managed and reversed.

Guests consistently express appreciation for the site's atmosphere. As one guest shared: "*I come here because it's safe, non-judgmental, and respectful.*"

Recommendations for the coming year:

- A WorkSafe-compliant inhalation site or booth
- Increasing relations with community partners to further wraparound care of clients

Fiscal Year Summary — ANKORS West Administrative assistant

It was a privilege to serve as Administrative Assistant part-time at ANKORS Nelson during a period of organizational transition. I stepped into the role with the goal of maintaining continuity and ensuring that day-to-day operations ran smoothly for staff, volunteers, and clients alike.

My responsibilities spanned correspondence, scheduling, records management, all while upholding ANKORS' commitment to confidentiality and trauma-informed practice. I also assisted the program team with logistical and material needs related to harm reduction outreach and community engagement.

A priority throughout was ensuring that institutional knowledge was documented and transferable. I worked to maintain positive relationships with partner agencies, and community members during this interim period.

I am grateful to the staff, board, and volunteers at ANKORS for their warmth and dedication. Witnessing the depth of commitment this organization brings to harm reduction work in Nelson and the Kootenays has been genuinely inspiring, and I wish the team every success in the year ahead.

