

## **Summary: Child and Family Practice Review of the Death of a Child in the Care of the Director in 2022**

### Circumstances of the Fatality

The review examined the services provided to an Indigenous child who died. The child received guardianship services at the time of their death.

### Findings

The child experienced complex health needs that were supported through regular planning. The child's care team engaged in collaborative practice and supported relational and cultural permanency. The ministry supported the child's familial connections and collaborated consistently with their Indigenous community. Some reporting and sharing of information within the care team was not completed.

### Actions

The involved Service Delivery Areas leadership and the Quality Assurance team developed action plans to review with involved staff, the specific information that needs to be shared with caregivers and to review specific policies and guidelines related to issues identified in the review.

**The review was completed in November 2023. The above action plan is due for full implementation in May 2024.**