Queen's University Commitments for the Adoption of the Okanagan Charter: An International Charter for Health Promoting Universities and Colleges

By adopting the Okanagan Charter: An International Charter for Health Promoting Universities and Colleges, Queen's University will continue to enhance the health and wellbeing of our people and community.

Queen's University pledges:

- To foster collaboration among students, staff and faculty to develop a system-wide framework to support, encourage and inspire a culture of wellbeing for all who study and work at Queen's University.

- To work collaboratively with campus partners to create and apply wellness-related policies and programs with demonstrated impact.

To build relationships on and off campus to advance health promotion research, teaching, knowledge exchange and action locally, nationally and globally.

Daniel Woolf  
Principal and Vice-Chancellor  
Queen's University  

Date
STATEMENT OF ADOPTION

for

Okanagan Charter: An International Charter for Health Promoting Universities and Colleges

A Transformative Vision

Health and well-being promoting universities and colleges transform the health and sustainability of our current and future societies, strengthen communities and contribute to the well-being of people, places and the planet.

Statement of Adoption

University leaders recognize that promoting health and well-being is essential to achieving our full potential in teaching and learning, research, and engagement.

Evidence demonstrates that people who are well are more productive, are more able to engage in deeper learning, are more likely to be retained, and have a stronger sense of community.

By adopting the Okanagan Charter, we commit to sharing in the Vision, implementing the two Calls to Action for Higher Education institutions, and following the Guiding Principles as the means for translating the Charter into action.

We further agree to participate in National and International university networks to activate the Charter to inform and support each other’s efforts.

Okanagan Charter Signatory

[Signature]

Signature from Chancellor, University President, Rector, or Provost

DANIEL R. WOOLF PRINCIPAL AND VICE-CHANCELLOR

Name Title

QUEEN’S UNIVERSITY

Institution

JANUARY 4, 2019

Date