



## **PROCEDURE FOR ACCEPTING NEW MENTORS INTO THE INTERDISCIPLINARY WOMEN'S REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH (IWRH) TRAINING PROGRAM**

### **Criteria:**

A new mentor applying to be a part of the IWRH program will be considered based on the following criteria:

- Holds a faculty position at UBC or other university affiliated with the Child & Family Research Institute.
- Pursues research that is relevant to the field of Women's Reproductive Health
- Has mentorship experience and is approved by the UBC Faculty of Graduate Studies for supervision of students.
- Will strengthen the program by adding novel expertise
- Is willing to participate in and support program activities and lead one mentor-led discussion per year.

### **Application Procedure:**

- Applicant will submit a copy of his/her standard UBC c.v. plus a letter requesting consideration as a mentor in the program including reasons for applying and statement of how their work is consistent with the goals of the IWRH.
- The c.v. and letter will be circulated to members of the steering committee for comments. The applicant will be considered for membership at the next steering committee meeting (held normally during the fall and spring term) based on discussion at the meeting and comments submitted by those unable to attend.
- The steering committee will vote on the applicant with 3/4 affirmative votes required for acceptance.
- The applicant must be willing to give a seminar for the IWRH program in the first six months of their participation in the program.

Interested individuals may send their c.v. and cover letter to the program coordinator, Rola Vesho by email at [rvesho@interchange.ubc.ca](mailto:rvesho@interchange.ubc.ca) or by mail 950 West 28<sup>th</sup> Avenue Vancouver, BC V5Z 4H4.

