

ETHICAL SCREEN FOR PARTNERSHIPS AND DONORS
BLUE ECOLOGY INSTITUTE FOUNDATION (BEIF)

Effective date: November 19, 2021 (pending Mission and Vision Statements)

In order to ensure integrity to its mission and values, BEIF applies the following ethical screen to partnerships and donations:

1. Donors and partners must demonstrate a commitment to the safety and well-being of children, young people, and their families and to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Calls to Action.
2. Donors and partners must respect diverse Aboriginal cultures and languages.
3. Donors and partners must respect the human rights and dignity of all people including the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.
4. Donors and partners should not place themselves in situations where they are obligated to any person who might benefit from or seek to gain special consideration or favor owing to the donor/partner's relationship with BEIF.
5. Donors and partners must not erode the ability of BEIF to accomplish its mandate or undermine the public's confidence in the Board Member's ability to discharge their responsibilities in a full and proper manner.
6. Donors and partners must hold in confidence all business related to BEIF unless authorized by the Bylaws, a resolution of the board or by policies approved by the board to release information.
7. Research partners must fully respect Indigenous research ethics guidelines and mechanisms and Indigenous intellectual property rights.
8. Donors and partners must respect that BEIF is non-partisan.