

## CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER P.G. LEITCH, CD



Chief Warrant Officer Patricia Leitch was born in Chicoutimi, Quebec, where her father served in the Royal Canadian Air Force. She enrolled in the Canadian Forces in May 1977 and after recruit school trained as a Musician at the Canadian Forces Music School in Esquimalt. In 1979, after completing QL3 and QL4 training on French horn, she was posted to the Air Command Band, Winnipeg. Upon completion of the Junior Leader Course in 1980, was promoted to Sgt.

In 1986, CWO Leitch remustered to Dental Clinic Assistant and upon completion of QL3 training she was posted, as a Cpl, to Canadian Forces Recruiting Centre Cornwallis, Nova Scotia as a chairside assistant.

Over the years, she has enjoyed many postings and positions across Canada. These included, Floor Supervisor in Esquimalt and, Dental Clinic Coordinator positions in North Bay, Cold Lake, Petawawa and Ottawa.

In April 2001, CWO Leitch was posted to Centre Asticou, Gatineau, QC, for Advance French Language Training.

She was promoted to her present rank in July of 2003 and assumed the position of 1 Dental Unit Chief Warrant Officer where she remained for three years.

In July 2006, CWO Leitch was appointed to the position of the Canadian Forces Dental Branch Chief Warrant Officer.