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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NUNAVIK REGIONAL BOARD OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Kuujjuaq, June 14, 2020 – On June 16 and 17, 2021, the Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (NRBHSS) will meet, by teleconference, at the Kuujjuaq municipal hall for the 27th annual general meeting (AGM).

Once again, this year, due to COVID-19, the public will not be able to attend the event in person. However, Nunavimmiut will be able to follow the AGM live on TNI, the regional radio station, at 94.1 FM.

A summary of the activity report of each organization of the Nunavik health and social services network will be presented. The NRBHSS will take this opportunity to present the second round of publication of the results of the Qanuilirpitaa? 2017 survey designed jointly with the Institut national de santé publique du Québec (INSPQ) and Laval, McGill and Trent Universities. A total of five thematic reports and one report on the community component will be published.

Report Topics

Social, Cultural, Mental Health and Wellness

- Gambling, Internet and Media Use
- Sexual and Reproductive Health
- Men's Health: Perception of Gender Role
- Interpersonal Violence and Community Safety

Physical Health

- Zoonoses and Gastrointestinal Diseases

Community Component

- The Ilusirsusiarniq, Qanuingisiarniq, Inuuqatigiitsianiq (IQI) Model of Health and Well-being

"Although last year was greatly affected by the pandemic, health and social services remain available for the population. This meeting will enable shedding light on the activities carried out during this period and will provide a glimpse at a return to normal living in our region," pointed out Minnie Grey, Executive Director of the NRBHSS.

The Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services is a public agency created in 1978 under the James Bay and Northern Quebec Agreement. It is responsible for nearly the entire Quebec territory located north of the 55th parallel in terms of the provision of health and social services for the inhabitants of the 14 communities.

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