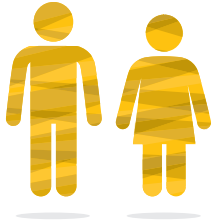


Transportation and Accommodation for First Nation and Inuit Patients Needing Medical Care Outside of Home Community

FOR CLIENTS OF
INDIGENOUS
SERVICES CANADA

WHO?



First Nation or Inuit person living in a First Nation Community in Manitoba, NW Ontario or in Nunavut and are a client of Indigenous Services Canada

MEDICAL ESCORT for First Nation or Inuit person living in a First Nation Community in Manitoba, NW Ontario or in Nunavut



WHAT?

Requires medical care outside of home community for medical/ surgical appointment or hospital visit (emergency or planned)



Patient's health provider has determined that a medical escort is essential for supporting the patient during travel and/or during their medical care and/or needs accommodation while person escorting is in the hospital



SUPPORT

To set up transportation and accommodation, follow the usual process for approval of transportation and temporary accommodation.

First Nations

Contact the Transportation Referral Unit (TRU):
In Winnipeg, 204-983-0911
Outside of Winnipeg, 1-877-983-0911

Inuit

Contact the Kivalliq Inuit Services (KIS):
In Winnipeg, 204-989-1020
In Churchill, 204-675-8333 or 204-204-675-8313

* Indigenous Health can assist you with accessing services through Indigenous Services Canada, Non-Insured Health Benefits.
Available seven days a week from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Call 204-940-8880 or 1-877-940-8880