

# NIIGAANIIN

Client and Community Newsletter

July 24, 2025



## Niigaaniin Hours

SUMMER HOURS STARTING

JULY 2ND

Mon-Thurs 8:30-4:30 - Fridays 8:30-12:30

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Service Ontario

August 1, 2025 9:30am-3pm

@ the ball field

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## OESP PROGRAM

CHECK YOUR HYDRO BILL FOR OESP EXPIRE

RENEWAL YEARLY

CALL Darrell Jacques

705 356 1621 Ext 2235

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Attention OW Clients if you would like your  
income statement/rent receipt emailed,  
please email Samantha Boyer

Niigaaniinreception@mississaugi.com

## INFORMATION

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OW CLIENTS

Direct Deposit AUGUST 1, 2025

OFFICE CLOSED AUGUST 4, 2025 FOR

CIVIC HOLIDAY

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Niigaaniin Case Worker

Stacey Pilon

705-356-1621 ext 2215

ncworker@mississaugi.com

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## "QUOTE OF THE WEEK"

*"Some of the best things that will  
happen in your life will not be on  
your schedule"*

~Unknown~

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OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON

August 14 for Staff R&R Day



# Mississauga First Nations

## LOCAL AREA - JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Position	Employer/Location	Closing date
Various Positions Available	Garden River FN	until filled
Various Positions Available	Serpant River FN	until filled
Various Positions Available	Sagamok FN	until filled
Various positions	NOG/various communities	until filled
Various positions	Mamaweswen	until filled
Various positions	Algoma Manor/Thessalon	until filled
Various positions	MFN – check website	until filled
Equipment Operator	Town of Blind River	8/15/25
AZ Driver	Employment Solutions/Blind River	8/1/25
Team Members	Tim Horton's/Blind River	10/3/25

Other Websites for job postings: Indeed; Linkedin; Google jobs; Job-Bank.gc.ca; employment solutions

Also: Gas Attendants/Cashiers / Casual Parttime - Broken Canoe

If you are on OW or EI or not working or need training ISETP's can offer you the following:  
 Apprenticeships; Employment Supports/Startup; wage subsidies; Mobility/relocation assistance;  
 Skills enhancement/Direct Course Purchase; Youth Work Experience; Student Employment; Career  
 and Educational development: Self Employment Assistance \*

When applying for any position/job the process involved is: Where do you apply; in person; mail; fax; email or phone. Before applying, please read and follow all the instructions that is required from the employer, or you may be screened out and not get that interview.

If you need help or assistance, you can call Rob our employment Counsellor at 705-356-1621 ext.2237 but please do not wait for the last minute. Call and make an appointment.







**Position:** Family Preservation Worker

**Salary:** \$ 52,366 - \$59,504

**Hours of Work:** 32 hours

**Accountability:** Child&Family Service Manager

**Employment Status:** 2 years contract

**Preferences:** MFN Band Members

**The Family Preservation Worker will:**

- Provide support, education, and encouragement to families to facilitate positive parent-child relationships, stimulate child development and promote healthy lifestyles.
- Work collaboratively with the Band Reps, Community Support Service Worker, Family Resource Worker and other MFN Health and Social Services staff to provide support to families.
- Work collaboratively with parents/care givers to develop and implement a Wellness Plan that supports parents in achieving the identified concrete and attainable goals
- Establish a relationship with at risk families built on mutual trust and respect
- Assist parents in strengthening their parenting skills and knowledge; developing an understanding of age-appropriate expectations; effective coping strategies; appropriate discipline; using positive reinforcement in parenting and identifying and using their strengths and support networks
- Provide a liaison function and advocacy role for families, helping them to access services that support healthy family functioning
- Teach parents problem solving, anger management and coping skills using modeling as a primary teaching method
- Carry a client caseload, and participate in case management and regular team meetings
- Assist parents in developing culturally appropriate strategies in addressing problems that impact their family; and provide workshops allowing parents to learn and identify skills needed
- Assist parents in maintaining a safe, healthy and functional home environment
- Conduct ongoing assessments of clients' strengths and weaknesses and progress made towards goals and maintain documentation on progress made
- Monitor progress towards achievements of the goals and close cases when the goals have been reached
- Work collaboratively with service providers (internal and external) to provide comprehensive and coordinated service for the families
- Ensure regular case conferences are held with the family and other services involved
- Respond immediately to families in crisis
- Establish linkages to support services, both informal and formal, according to the needs of the family
- Ensure that referral procedures are negotiated and the ongoing role of community services are clarified prior to case closure

**The Family Preservation Worker will possess the following qualifications, skills, experiences, and attributes:**

- Post-Secondary Diploma in: Social Services, Native Child and Family Worker, Native Studies, Child and Youth Worker or equivalent
- Three (3) years' experience in an Indigenous social service organization working directly with families
- Experience working with Indigenous people, organization, and communities
- Communicate effectively/ make sound decisions/give clear direction (written and oral communication skills)
- Driver's license, insurance and access to a vehicle required
- Provide and maintain clear Vulnerable Sector Check (CPIC)

**TO APPLY:** Customize your cover letter and resume to the duties, experience, expectations and qualification listed on the job ad. Using concrete examples, you must show how you demonstrated the requirements for this job. We rely on the information you provide to us in your application during screening. **Successful candidates who receive interviews must provide copies of their education qualifications and certifications at the time of interview. Do not apply through social media.** Please note that all interviews will be **in person**. If you would like a copy of the full job description and/or are interested in applying you may submit your covering letter, resume and three (3) work related references to:

Mississauga First Nation  
P.O. Box 1299 Blind River, Ontario P0R1B0  
Attention: Human Resources Clerk  
Marked: **CONFIDENTIAL**  
EMAIL: [hrcclerk@mississaugi.com](mailto:hrcclerk@mississaugi.com) FAX: 705-356-1740

**Deadline: August 4, 2025**

*Thank you to all applicants; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.*

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**Position:** Anishnaabemowin Instructor

**Salary:** TBD

**Hours of Work:** 32 hours/week

**Accountability:** Education Director

**Employment Status:** 2 years contract

**Preferences:** MFN Band Members

**The Anishnaabemowin Instructor will perform the following duties:**

- Use Anishnaabemowin throughout the teaching of lessons
- Co-plan assessments and gather pedagogical documentation to measure progress of students in their learning
- Model and mentor Anishnaabemowin with the Cultural/Language staff to indirectly improve fluency of Anishnaabemowin
- Incorporate the Seven Grandfather Teachings throughout lessons
- Incorporate age-appropriate Treaty Education lessons
- Delivery of indoor cultural activities and outdoor land-based learning activities.
- Advise on the ordering of necessary resources for lessons (i.e. Anishnaabe medicines, cultural activity resources, etc.)
- Invite community Elders and Knowledge Keepers to be a part of the learning
- Help coordinate and facilitate monthly Parent Nights to update and inform parents/guardians on the learning and progress of their children in this programming
- Supervisory duties as assigned by the Education Director
- Design courses appropriate to the learner group and prepare lesson plans
- Prepare Classroom material for group instruction
- Research and develop course materials to fit with the programmers or curriculum requirements
- Evaluate the outcomes of individual's learning through formal assessment or informal methods ensuring constructive feedback is given
- Coordinate and engage in community-based language events

**The Anishnaabemowin Instructor will possess the following qualifications, skills, experiences, and attributes:**

- Fluency in Anishnaabemowin is ideal, however those who are proficient and/or still learning are welcome to apply.
- Knowledge and appreciation of Anishnaabe Culture, History, Ceremonies and Teachings are necessary.
- A Bachelor's Degree in Education, Anishnaabe Teaching Certificate or possession of related Post-Secondary Diploma and/or willingness to obtain certificate
- Access to a vehicle and valid driver's license as some travel will be required
- Demonstrated high levels of fluency in the language and land-based learning skills are an asset
- Knowledge of age-appropriate teaching techniques
- Excellent oral and written communication skills, good interpersonal skills and computer applications including Microsoft Office
- Experience teaching a language is an asset
- Able to provide both a clear Criminal Records Check and Vulnerable Sector Check (CPIC)

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**EMAIL:** [hrclerk@mississauga.com](mailto:hrclerk@mississauga.com) **FAX:** 705-356-1740

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**Position:** Early Years Anishnaabemowin Instructor

**Accountability:** Education Director

**Salary:** TBD

**Employment Status:** 2 years contract

**Hours of Work:** 32 hours/week

**Preferences:** MFN Band Members

**The Anishnaabemowin Instructor will perform the following duties:**

- Use Anishnaabemowin throughout the teaching of lessons to children 0-6 years, their families, and Daycare staff
- Co-plan assessments and gather pedagogical documentation to measure progress of students in their learning
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**Position:** Back-Up Receptionist  
(Admin & Health Dept)

**Accountability:** Finance Director

**Salary:** \$24.03 hourly

**Employment Status:** Casual

**Hours of Work:** As needed

**Preferences:** MFN Band Members

**Circulation Level:** Level I

**The Back-Up Receptionist will:**

- Receive all incoming telephone calls and visits in person and direct all inquiries and persons appropriately and with courtesy.
- To receive and record all incoming and outgoing mail, open and distribute it to the appropriate staff, affix appropriate postage and ensure proper handling, photocopying of mail as needed.
- Be aware of and as required and requested to provide information about all staff employees' whereabouts.
- As needed and requested, order appropriate storage, distribution, and use of office supplies (i.e., pens, writing pads, staplers/staples, 3-hole punch) stationery and standard agency forms.
- Maintain booking schedule for Council Chambers using Outlook monitoring, community hall rental, van and bus rental, cultural center.
- Perform secretarial and clerical duties of photocopying, faxing, typing, and telephoning.
- Make travel arrangements and maintain travel itineraries for all staff, when required.
- Responsible for drafting letters and any other correspondence related to office administration.
- Ensure confidentiality and safekeeping of all the organization's records, forms, and documents.
- Assist Housing and Property Manager with receipt of rent monies when required.
- Update employee telephone and email listing for all staff and Chief and Council.
- Receive money, prepare invoices, and log payments for photocopying/ facsimile transmissions for public and forward to Finance Clerk and place in safe.
- Responsible for and maintaining Visitor Logbook; Employee Sign In / Out Daily logbook.
- Conduct themselves in a professionally appropriate manner; and any other duties are required.

**The Back-Up Receptionist will possess the following qualifications, skills, experiences, and attributes:**

- Certificate and/or diploma in secretarial and office services with minimum of two (2) year related experience.
- Experience working with aboriginal people, organizations, and communities.
- Must provide a clear Criminal Records Check.
- Knowledge of Mississauga First Nation programs and services; understanding of Aboriginal culture and traditions.
- Knowledge of the Occupational Health and Safety Act and the Canada Labour Code as it applies to the worker.
- Good interpersonal skills; good public relations; good communication/ organizational skills.
- Excellent time management skills; excellent computer skills with MS Office including Excel, Word, Access.
- Ability to work independently and within a team environment; and ability to pay attention to detail and ensure accuracy with work.

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# REQUEST FOR CATERING BIDS

DEADLINE	July 28, 2025
Date Required	August 14, 2025
Time	12:00
Location	Chiblow Lake Lodge
Mtg/Event Title	MFN Staff R&R

Please send or drop off your “SEALED” quote/bid to:

Department Human Resources

Name Kerrie Bellefeuille

Email/Phone hrcoordinator@mississauga.com

MENU Description	Amount
<p>BBQ Preferred for 75 people Hamburgers, Sausages, and hotdogs with buns Three sides Condiments</p> <p>NOTE: Please note that there are known food allergies. All meals must be free of shrimp, nuts (including tree nuts and peanuts), sunflower seeds, chocolate, and apples. Thank you for accommodating these dietary restrictions.</p>	
<p><b>Please submit Menu (include desserts, refreshments, must supply utensils, napkins, plates, cups, etc. and proof of “Safe Food Handling” certificate)</b></p>	





# TIPS FOR TICK SAFETY

## HOW TO REMOVE TICK



SANITIZE BITE AREA  
AND TWEEZERS



GRAB TICK  
CLOSE TO HEAD



PULL UP SLOWLY  
AND CAREFULLY



SANITIZE BITE AREA  
AGAIN

### How to remove a tick

Removing attached ticks as soon as possible reduces the chance of infection. Infected blacklegged ticks need to be attached for at least 24 hours in order to transmit the bacteria that causes Lyme disease.

If you find an attached tick, follow these instructions to remove it:

1. Use clean, fine-point tweezers to grasp the head as close to the skin as possible and slowly pull straight out.
  - Try not to twist or squeeze the tick. Ticks firmly attach their mouthparts into the skin requiring slow but firm traction to remove them.
2. If the mouthparts break off and remain in the skin, remove them with the tweezers. If you're unable to remove them easily, leave them alone and let the skin heal.
3. Wash the bite area with soap and water or an alcohol-based sanitizer.

Do not try to remove the tick by:

- burning it
- smothering it with:
  - nail polish
  - essential oils
  - petroleum jelly
  - nail polish remover

This can cause the tick to release its stomach contents, which can be infected, into the bite area. This can increase your chance of infection.

### Watch for symptoms for 30 Days

Call your healthcare provider if you get any of the following:

- Rash
- Headache
- Fever
- Muscle Pain
- Fatigue
- Joint Swelling and pain

For more information: <https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/lyme-disease/removing-submitting-ticks-testing.html>





# BOATING SAFETY TIPS



## BEFORE YOU GO

- **Pleasure Craft Operator Card**

PCOC: Required for operating

- **Inspect your boat**

Check for mechanical issues, safety gear and fuel levels

- **File a trip plan**

Let someone know where you're going and when you'll return

- **Check weather and water conditions**

Avoid boating in poor weather or rough waters

- **Wear a life jacket or PFD**

Ensure everyone on board has a properly fitted one

## REQUIRED SAFETY EQUIPMENT

- **Lifejackets or PFDs for each person**

- **Buoyant Heavy Line (15m)**

- **Manual propelling device or anchor**

- **Bailer or Manual Pump**

- **Whistle or Horn**

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- **Navigation lights (if operating at night or at low visibility)**

- **Fire Extinguisher**

## ON THE WATER

### **Avoid Alcohol and drugs**

Impaired boating is illegal and dangerous

### **Know the "rules of the road"**

Understand right-of-way, speed limits and navigation markers

### **Stay alert**

Watch for swimmers, other boats, and changing conditions

### **Respect wildlife and the environment**

avoid disturbing natural habitats





Bears are awake and active.

**Please pay attention when outdoors.**

Remove all sources of natural and non-natural food attractants from your yard.

Managing bear issues requires effort in the community. Let's enjoy a safe Spring!

Miigwetch

Natural Sources

- Berries
- Fruit trees
- Flowers/clovers/weeds

Non-Natural Sources

- Barbeque grease and drippings
- Bird Feeders
- Garbage
- Pet food

If you see a nuisance bear in the community, please contact:  
Scott Richer,  
By-Law Officer  
@ 705-261-0259

- You may not even know you are doing it.
- You could be attracting bears onto your property and into your community.
- Garbage is the main reason why bears are drawn into communities.
- Bird and pet food, greasy barbecues and ripe or decaying fruit, berries and vegetables are other invitations to bears to forage for food in your yard.








# SUMMER READING BOOK CLUB

The book club will be taking  
a break for the summer  
months. But don't worry,  
book lovers! We're excited  
to offer a Summer  
Independent Reading  
Program! Swing by the  
Education Building to pick  
up your summer read!

Happy reading!"  
warm wishes  
Melissa xoxoxo





Mississauga First Nation  
Education Department  
Presents

# Back To School Celebration!

**August 6th, 2025  
3-6 pm**

- \* Information and Education booths
- \* Hair cuts
- \* Supper will be provided

Backpacks and school supplies for  
MFN band members that live in the  
community

@ Mississauga First  
Nation Sports Complex



# BASEBALL MATCH



**MISSISSAUGI**

**VS**

**SERPENT RIVER**

**BRUCE CADA MEMORIAL FIELD | 31ST JULY 2025**

**JR - 6:00PM | SR - 7:30PM**





# COME OUT AND SUPPORT BASEBALL

**MAKE A SIGN TO CHEER ON THE KIDS**

## WE GET LEAGUE POINTS FOR EACH SPECTATOR

### GAMES

6:00 PM JR

7:30 PM SR

July 9 - Serpent River

July 17 - HOME

July 24 - Atikameksheng

July 31 - HOME

August 5 - HOME

**CONTACT BLAYR FOR HELP MAKING SIGNS**

**EMAIL: [CHR@MISSISSAUGI.COM](mailto:CHR@MISSISSAUGI.COM)**

**PHONE: 705-356-1621 X2203**





# AANII BOOZHOO

**ZOONGAWBWI NINI NINDIZHINIKA  
(STRONG MAN STANDING)  
ENGLISH NAME IS BRADLEY POLSON  
FROM TIMISKAMING FIRST NATION.**

**I AM THE NEW DRUG AND ALCOHOL  
ADDICTIONS WORKER FOR MISSISSAUGA  
FIRST NATION  
AS OF JULY 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2025**

**MY OFFICE IS LOCATED AT THE CULTURAL  
BUILDING 96 PARKS RD.  
PHONE # 705-356-1621 EXT 2228.  
EMAIL: DAAW@MISSISSAUGI.COM**

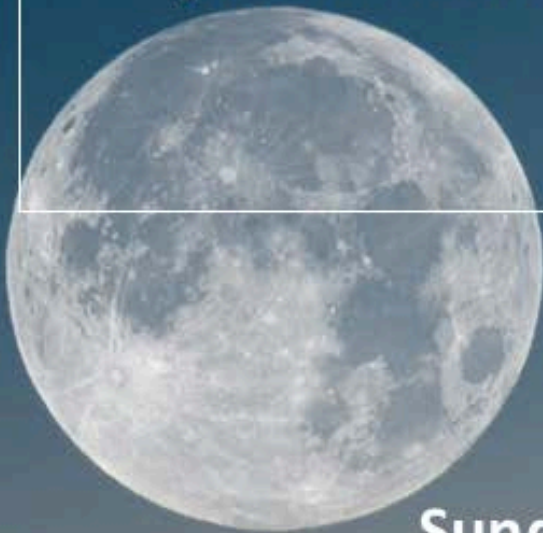
I have been living in Sagamok for 24 years with  
my wife, children grand children and family.

I have been a helper in the Addictions field for  
several years now, learning from Traditional  
Mentors and Elders throughout my Healing  
journey.

I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO MEETING YOU.



# Full Moon Ceremony (MDAAMIIN GIIZIS – Corn Moon) With Dana Boyer



Sunday, August 10, 2025  
@ the Potamac Arbour  
Time: 8:00 PM– 10:00 PM

TO REGISTER, please call (705)356-1621, ext.2230  
and or email rhondapeltier @mississaugi.com

## Protocols:

- Ribbon Skirt







# **Traditional Medicine Teachings**

**by Patricia Toulouse**

**Topic: Liver Health**

**When: Aug. 11/25 at 12-1pm**

**Where: Activity Room**

**Band Office**

**FREE LUNCH PROVIDED**

**Registration Needed**

**For more information or to register please  
contact Cheri Boyer Health Educator  
[healtheducator@mississauga.com](mailto:healtheducator@mississauga.com)**

**705-356-1621 Ext. 2253**

**CALL US IF YOU NEED A RIDE 705-356-1621 X 2253**





# You're Invited

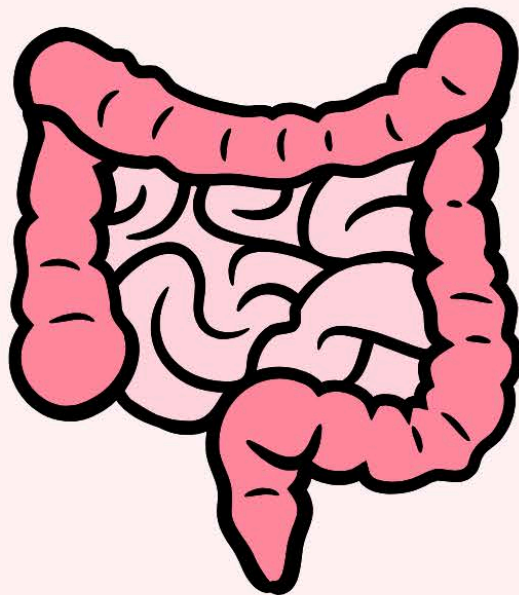


Join us for a Colon Cancer  
Prevention lunch & learn with  
Richard, Nurse Practitioner

Tuesday, August 5/2025

12 - 1 p.m.

Band office - Activity Room



**\*\*\* FISHING GEAR DOOR PRIZE \*\*\***

If you need a ride, please call us at  
705-356-1621 x 2201



**MISSISSAUGA FIRST NATION  
HEALTH SERVICES**

# **MONTHLY DIABETIC CLINIC**

If you are diabetic, and would like to book an appointment with the team, we are offering 1 on 1 appointments

Nurse Practitioner  
Community Health Nurse  
Diabetic Nurse Educator  
Registered Dietitian

**NEXT CLINIC DATE:** August 20/2025

**FROM:** 9 AM-3 PM

**MISSISSAUGA HEALTH CENTER**

Please email the Health Educator -  
[healtheducator@mississaugi.com](mailto:healtheducator@mississaugi.com)  
or call 705-356-1621 x 2224 to book your appointment

Don't forget to join us for lunch, for the monthly Diabetic Support Group in the Activity room 12 - 1 p.m. this month's topic:  
**Surprise Topic**

**IF YOU NEED A RIDE  
LET US KNOW**





# HEARING LIFE CLINIC

Whether you're dealing with discomfort or muffled hearing or want to maintain healthy ears, come to our hearing life clinic. For those 18 years plus.

**AUGUST 19/2025**

**10 - 3 P.M.**

**64 PARK ROAD**

**IF YOU NEED A RIDE LET US  
KNOW BY CALLING 705-356-  
1621 X 2201**

Book an  
appointment by  
calling 705-356-  
1621 x 2224



 **HearingLife**



# **MEN's WELLNESS SOCIAL**

**Will Resume  
THURSDAY, August 21, 2025  
At the Cultural Building.  
12:00 PM— 2:00 PM**



**For more information, please contact the  
Drug & Alcohol Addictions Worker at  
(705)356-1621, ext. 2228  
if transportation is required.**





To: All Community Members

RE: MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION

Please note that appointments must be called in as soon as possible,  
**applications are sent to NIHB for processing and approval.**

**All trips to SUDBURY, TORONTO, OTTAWA, LONDON, ESPANOLA, outside our catchment area require Prior Approval, Appointment information can be faxed to 705 356 3608.**

Please keep in mind that Specialist, Doctor's, etc ,**do not communicate with our clinic** to tell us when they make you an appointment or follow up appts.  
**IT is the Clients responsibility.**

**We will not be responsible for any last minute appointment being called in.**

Prescription pick up is not a NIHB benefit.

For those trips to Sault Ste Marie, we have a Medical van which is fully operational, **clients are to access the medical van.**

Under NO circumstances will alcohol or drugs be permitted on the medical van.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me @ 705 356 1621 Ext # 2201.

Thank you

Mary Ellen Morningstar

Med Trans Coord.

**MISSISSAUGA FIRST NATION**





Indigenous Services  
Canada

Services aux  
Autochtones Canada

## NIHB Medical Transportation and Specialist Referral Form

### Client Information

Last Name:		Given Name:	
Registration Number: (10 digit status number or Inuit Identification Number)	Date of Birth: (Year/Month/Day)	Gender: Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>	
Current address: (Street Number and street name if not available mailing address)			
City:	Province:	Postal Code:	Phone: ( )

### Referral Information (Must be filled out by the referring Medical Professional)

Referring Medical Professional Name:	Date seen by Medical Professional:
Phone: ( )	Fax: ( )

### Referred to (Must be filled out by the referring Medical Professional)

Specialist Name:	Specialty/Department:
Specialist e-mail:	Sub-Specialty (If applicable):
Specialist Phone: ( )	Specialist Fax: ( )
Apt. Clinic Department/Hospital/Location:	Date: Time:

☐ I certify that this is the closest appropriate provider, given the specialty/sub-specialty required.

Initials of referring medical professional:

### Appointment Information

Priority (used to prioritize the review and triage of referral)

☐ Emergent (1-2 Days) ☐ ORNGE ☐ Urgent (3-7 Days) ☐ Semi-Urgent (8-14 Days) ☐ Routine Weeks Months

Appointment Type: ☐ Initial ☐ Follow-up ☐ Ontario Telemedicine (OTN) ☐ Surgery ☐ Procedure/Test

Note: The Consultant/Specialist may need to order additional diagnostic tests prior to the initial consultation and may need to schedule follow-up appointments, tests and procedures and/or may refer the patient to another specialist/consultant in response to this referral.

### Escort Information (Must be filled out by the referring Medical Professional)

Escort Name (if known):

date of birth required

Documentation of appointment information: **Is required**

Dr, s name date of appointment and time.

\*If escort is required- need name and date of birth of that person.

A letter may also be needed stating escort is required.

**ONLY 1 escort**

**Please send information in ASAP as it takes time for NIHB to complete.**





## **Non Insured Health Benefits Program**

Inquires:

**1 877 779 7749          follow prompts**

Assistance for Medical travel is now available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week for REGISTERED First Nations people.

Help with meals, accommodations and travel is available

**Call 1 866 885 3933 for medical transportation assistance at night and on weekends**

**MISSISSAUGA FIRST NATION**



# **NOTICE**

## **HEALTH SERVICES DEPARTMENT WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME SARAH BARNES – LOCAL PART-TIME MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION DRIVER**

Sarah Barnes-Meek will be available from Monday to Thursday 9:00 AM until 3:00 PM. She provides transportation for local medical appointments to and from health facilities either in Blind River or Mississauga First Nation. Call 705-356-1621 ext. 2201 if you require transportation.

Sarah will also be working with health staff to provide transportation if needed to programming activities that they like to participate in. **Please remember to call Health staff to have your name is put on the list for transportation.**

Sarah can be reached at the following:  
Email: [lmtdriver@mississaugi.com](mailto:lmtdriver@mississaugi.com)



# SERVICE SCHEDULE

## Mississauga First Nation



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
				1 CCC - Closed 12 PM	2	3
4 CIVIC HOLIDAY OFFICE CLOSED	5 NP Richard 1-3PM CCC	6 NP Virtual DNE CCC	7 DR DEVERELL Crisis Counsellor NP Virtual CCC	8 CCC - Closed 12 PM	9	10
11 Nurse Practitioner Trad. Practitioner CCC	12 Nurse Practitioner CCC	13 Nurse Practitioner CCC	14 Crisis Counsellor NP Virtual Brian Nootchtai +Healing Lodge CCC	15 CCC - Closed 12 PM	16	17
18 Nurse Practitioner CCC	19 Nurse Practitioner CCC Hearing Clinic	20 Nurse Practitioner DNE RD CCC	21 NO MAAMWESYING SERVICES ON SITE TODAY 1-888-684-1999	22 NO MAAMWESYING SERVICES ON SITE TODAY 1-888-684-1999	23	24
25 Nurse Practitioner Foot Care CCC	26 Nurse Practitioner CCC	27 Nurse Practitioner DNE RD CCC	28 DR DEVERELL NP Virtual Crisis Counsellor Brian Nootchtai- Healing Lodge CCC	29 CCC - Closed 12 PM	30	31

Physician- DR DEVERELL  
Nurse Practitioner- NP  
Diabetes Nurse Educator- DNE  
Registered Dietician- RD  
Children's Oral Health Initiative- COHI  
**Mental Health Counsellor- MHC – 1-844-864-0523**  
Traditional Practitioner- Trad Prac  
Client Care Coordinator, Jennifer Osborne - CCC

**Appointments with Physicians, NPs, Trad. Practitioner, Dietitian, and DNE can be made through MFN's Health Centre: 705-356-1621 ext. 2224**  
Please contact Maamwesying's Head Office: 1-705-844-2021 if you are looking for information on how to book an appointment with another service provider listed here.