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Indigenous Community Paramedicine and Culturally Appropriate Education Models























Acknowledgment

Gathered on the traditional territory of the Miccosukee and Seminole tribes

Disclosure/Conflicts

No Disclosures or conflicts to declare

Nomenclature

Indigenous, Aboriginal, First Nations, First Peoples, Indians, Tribes, Reserves

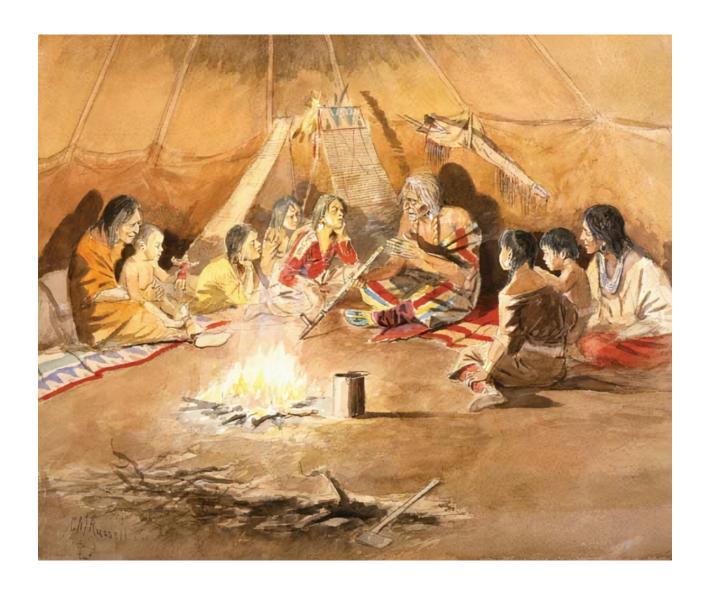
Moosehide Campaign



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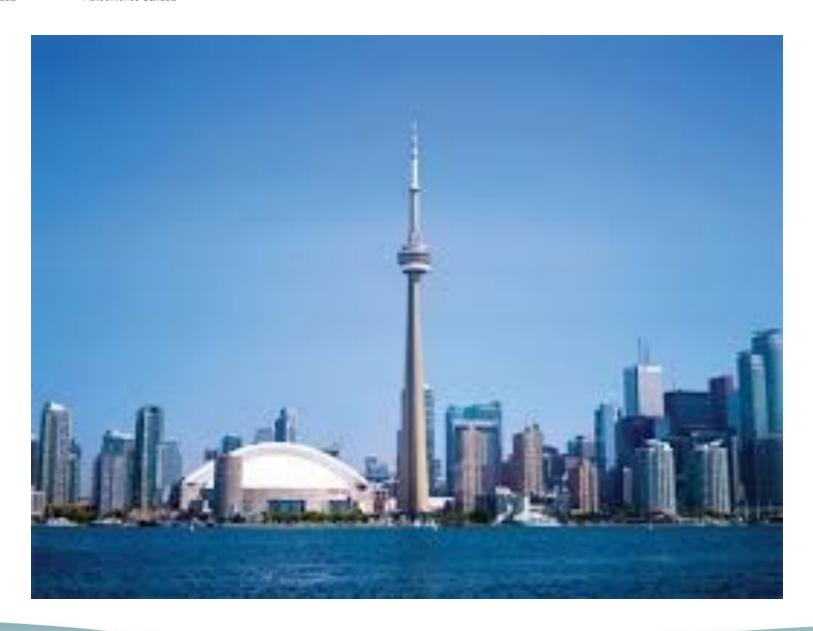




















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Mali

Uganda

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Congo

Yemen

Zambia

Third World Country Traits

- High Poverty Rates
- Economic Instability
- Lack of Basic Human Resources







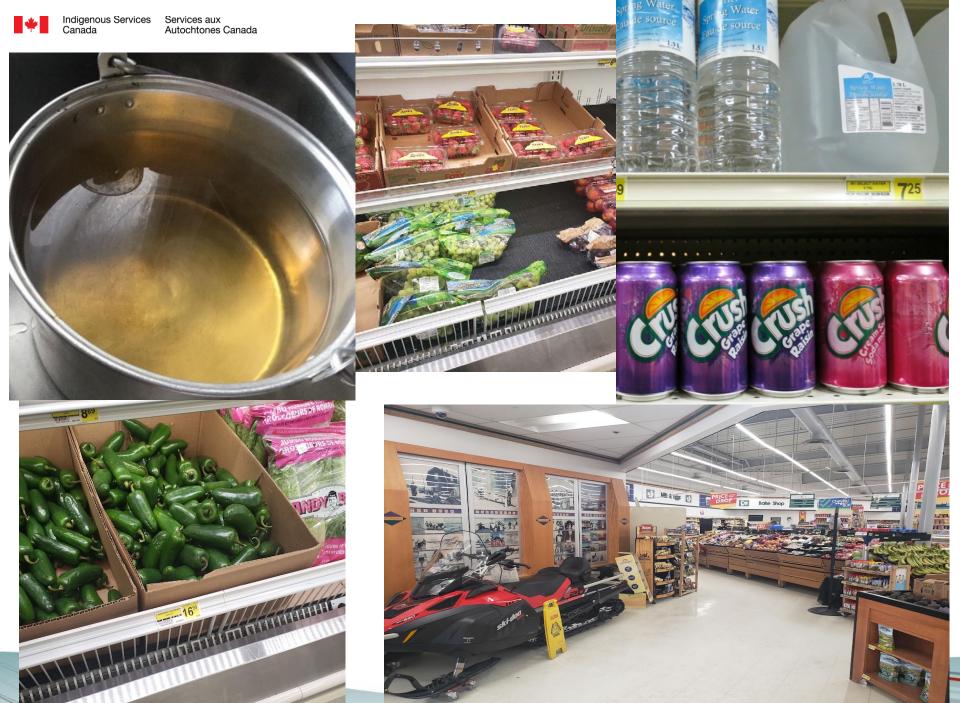








































Indigenous Services
Canada

- Boil Water Advisories
- Headaches
- Skin Rashes
- Gastro Issues
- Communicable Diseases
- TB
- Chronic Disease
- State of Emergency
- Yearly Evacuations
- Flooding
- Forest Fires

Disproportionate Increase

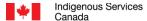
- Diabetes
- Hypertension
- Substance Abuse
- Mental Health Crisis
- Infant Mortality
- Significant decrease in life expectancy
- Generational Trauma











Paramedic Human Resource Need and Sustainable Solutions



The Community Paramedic



The Remote/Isolated Community Paramedic





Northwestern Ontario





- Kenora
- Fort Frances
- Sioux Lookout (2023)
- 8 Students



- Moosonee
- Moose Factory
- Fort Albany
- Kashechewan
- Attawapiskat
- Constance Lake







15 Students enrolled (2020)
3 Graduated (2022)

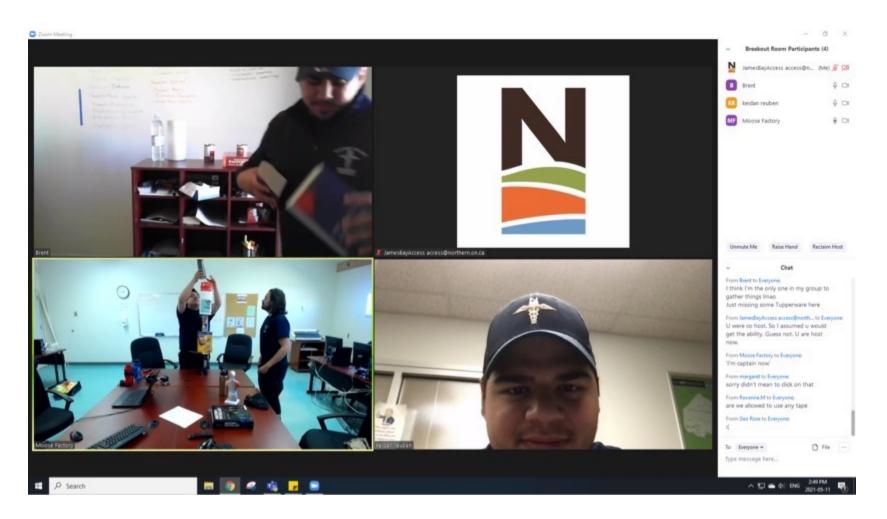
16 Students (2021) 15 Students (2022)

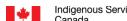
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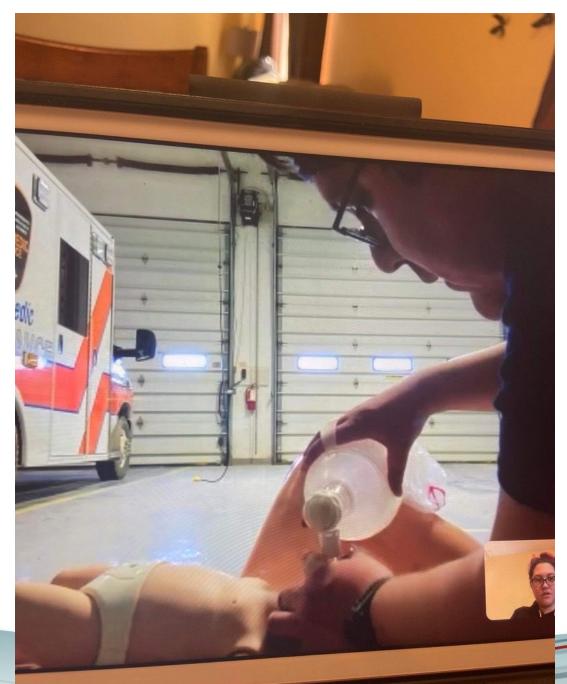


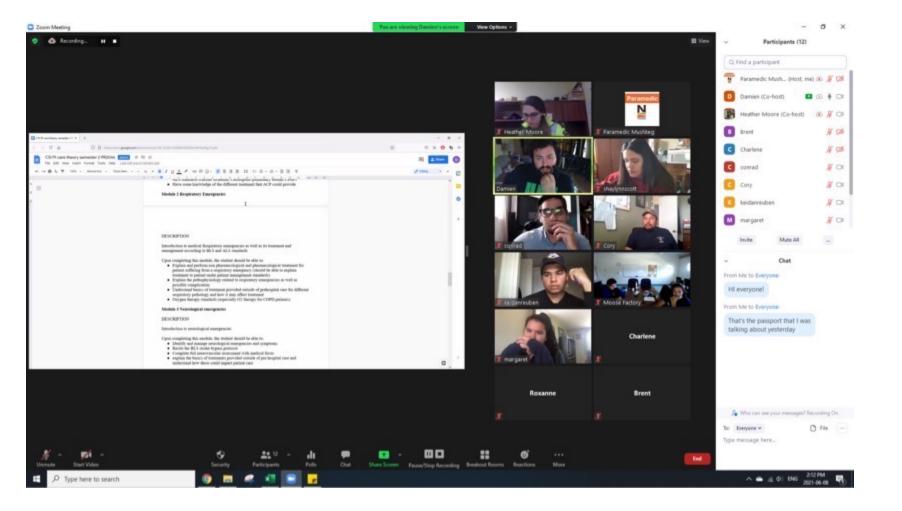


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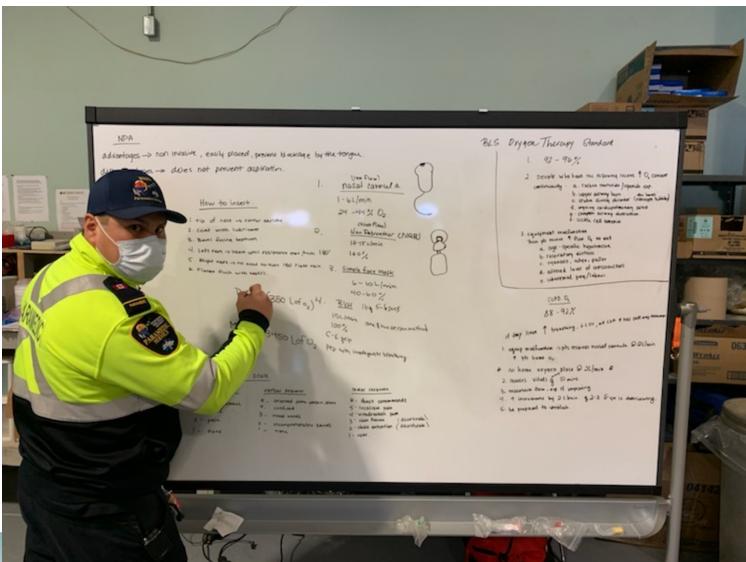


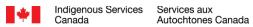






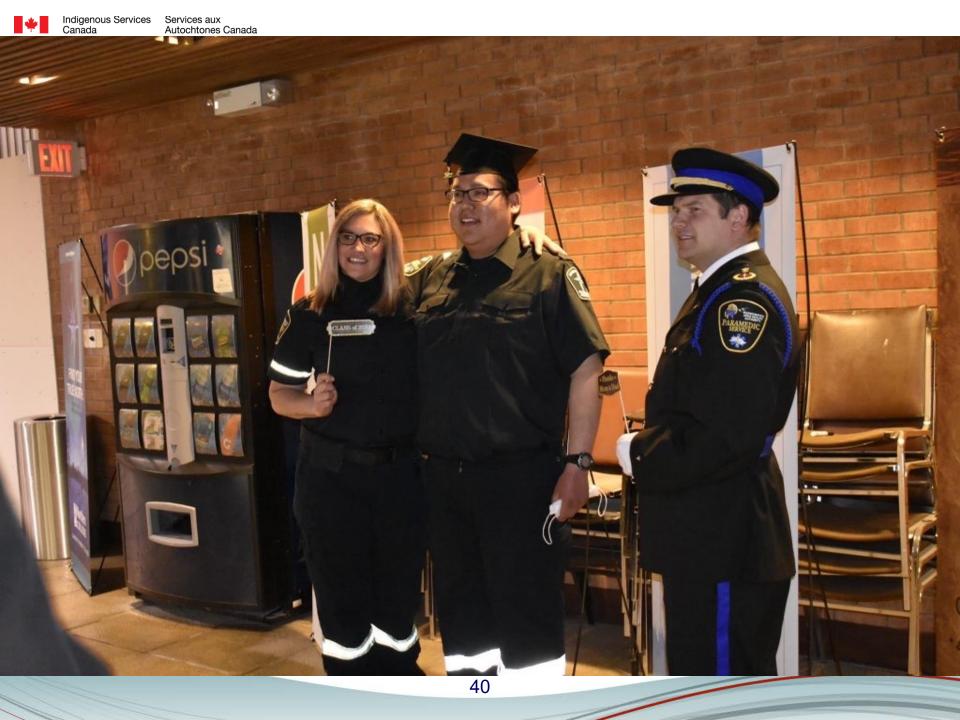
Paramedic Coaches and Mentors









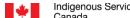




Truth and Reconciliation Commission

Health leaders in organizational governance have a key role in enacting the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Calls to Action. This discussion highlights historical and contemporary truths that can underpin action for addressing colonial impacts on Indigenous (First Nations, Metis, and Inuit) health outcomes and healthcare.







Question or Comments?

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