

Indigenous Health Update – March 30, 2020

Indigenous Health is available 7 days week from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. to assist with patient discharges and language interpretation. This includes assistance with communication with Indigenous communities, family members, coordinating transportation home, and liaising with federal nursing stations and Transportation Referral Unit/ Indigenous Services Canada.

Please note that flights to northern communities in Manitoba and Nunavut are still available at this time and patients returning to their communities from hospitals will still occur.

Indigenous Health can also support hospital transfers/ repatriations to other RHAs and federal hospitals (i.e., Percy E. Moore and Norway House).

Contact Indigenous Health Centralized Support 204-940-8880 to make a referral.

If there are questions about Inuit patients, please contact Kivalliq Inuit Services at 204-989-1020 (for patients returning to Nunavut). Kivalliq nurses are assisting patients being housed in hotels who are required to self-isolate for 14 days prior to returning to the territory.

Gina Trinidad, BA, RN, BN, MN

Chief Health Operations Officer
Continuing Care and Community
Winnipeg Regional Health Authority
4th Floor, 650 Main Street
Winnipeg MB R3B 1E2
Office: 204-926-1384
Cell: 204-479-3372
Email: gtrinidad@wrha.mb.ca

Executive Assistant

Robin Shreiber

Office: 204-926-7021

E-Mail rshreiber@wrha.mb.ca