



Northern Inter-Tribal Health Authority Inc.

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NORTHERN INTER-TRIBAL HEALTH AUTHORITY INC. (NITHA) RECEIVES DONATION OF ULTRA-LOW TEMPERATURE FREEZER FROM BAYER

March 18, 2021 – 11:00 a.m. – Prince Albert, SK – The Northern Inter-Tribal Health Authority is happy to announce they have received a donation of a ultra-low temperature freezer from Bayer Canada. The donation, made through Bayer’s Crop Science division, is enhancing NITHA’s readiness to the cold chain storage and distribution of COVID-19 vaccines to northern First Nation communities in Saskatchewan.

“We are one step closer to meeting the criteria for the storage of the Pfizer vaccine as a result of this donation” said Tara Campbell, Executive Director, NITHA. “We are grateful for the support provided by Bayer.”

“Bayer is pleased to be helping improve vaccine readiness in Saskatchewan’s northern Indigenous communities through this donation,” said Al Driver, Country Division Head, Bayer Crop Science Canada. “Ensuring the health and well-being of all Canadians is at the forefront of our mission as an organization, locally and globally.”

Formally operating since 1998, one of NITHA’s priorities continues to be supporting the Partnership in their Immunization Programs in their rural and remote communities located across Northern Saskatchewan. NITHA has been delivering vaccine to its Partner Communities for over 20 years and looks forward to continuing this important service.

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