



Northern Inter-Tribal Health Authority Inc.



PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT:

Potential COVID-19 Exposure During Mass Gathering

Wednesday, November 4, 2020 8:00HRS

Northern Inter-Tribal Health Authority (NITHA) public health officials are notifying the public that individuals who tested COVID-19 positive attended wake/funeral events in Cumberland House Cree Nation during the following times while they were likely infectious:

- Wake, October 24-25, 2020
- Funeral, October 26, 2020

Public health officials are advising individuals who were at the event during the specified dates and times listed above to **self-isolate** immediately and contact 811 or community health clinic for further direction. They should remain on isolation until assessed by their local public health unit.

It is important to note that individuals may develop symptoms from two to 14 days following exposure to the virus that causes COVID-19.

Symptoms of COVID-19 can vary from person to person. Symptoms may also vary in different age groups. Some of the more commonly reported symptoms include:

- new or worsening cough
- shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- temperature equal to or over 38°C
- feeling feverish
- chills
- fatigue or weakness
- muscle or body aches
- new loss of smell or taste
- headache
- gastrointestinal symptoms (abdominal pain, diarrhea, vomiting)
- feeling very unwell

Everyone in the province including on reserve communities must follow the current Public Health Orders from the province. For more information on self-monitoring and self-isolation, visit saskatchewan.ca/COVID19.

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