



The North West Local Health Integration Network (LHIN) invites you to join Aboriginal leaders, health service providers and community representatives for a two-day Forum to discuss working together and collaboration related to Aboriginal health care issues and services in Northwestern Ontario.

Invitation to Attend

2009 Aboriginal Health Forum: Pathways for Collaboration

The focus of this Forum is to build on the 2008 Aboriginal Health Forum. Speakers will bring provincial, regional and local perspectives related to:

- Working Together and Collaboration
- Chronic Disease Prevention and Management
- e-Health – Use of Technology
- Mental Health and Addictions
- Senior Services

Day 1

Breakfast and Registration: 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Forum: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Meet and Greet: 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. – Networking Opportunity

Day 2

Breakfast and Registration: 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Forum: 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

We look forward to developing opportunities to build collaborative pathways together!

* Flight, accommodation and dinner expenses for Day 1 of the conference will be available for up to 2 individuals per First Nation community or Aboriginal organization. These costs will be reimbursed, with valid receipts, by the North West LHIN according to its travel policy. Other representatives are encouraged to attend at their own expense.

**Wednesday, March 4
and Thursday, March 5, 2009**

(Breakfast, lunch and refreshment breaks provided both days)

Valhalla Inn, Thunder Bay, ON

There is no registration fee for this Forum, but space is limited. Please register early.

Please **RSVP by February 20**, to the Forum website listed below.

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Online registration is available at www.NWLHINForum.ca or by fax 807-684-9533