

Photography Contest

Rules & Regulations

The North West Local Health Integration Network (the "LHIN") invites residents of Northwestern Ontario to submit a digital photograph for use by the LHIN in its newsletter, website and other editorial and promotional materials. Images should reflect the people, life and landscapes of Northwestern Ontario.

All entries must be accompanied by a completed entry form. A signature of a guardian is required for individuals under the age of 18 years. If the submitted photograph includes images of people who can be recognized, your entry must also include a signed Consent form for each individual in each photograph. If the individual in the photograph is under 18 years of age, then the signature of the individual's guardian is required. Should the LHIN identify any other consents or releases that may be needed you must be prepared to obtain them. A maximum of 10 images to be submitted per applicant.

By signing the contest entry form you agree to the contest rules and you warrant and represent that the photograph you submit is your own original work, that it is an authentic and accurate depiction of the subject matter presented, and that no other party has any right, title, claim or interest, including copyright, in the photograph. It is your responsibility to ensure that publication of the photographs raises no legal claims. Accordingly, you hereby agree to compensate the LHIN and its licensees fully regarding any claims arising out of the use of your photograph(s).

By submitting a photograph for consideration you grant to the LHIN and its licensees an unrestricted, royalty-free, worldwide, perpetual license to display, distribute and reproduce the photograph, in whole or in part, in any medium now existing or subsequently developed for editorial purposes without further review or participation from you. This includes, but is not limited to, publishing the submitted photograph(s) in print or electronic form for promotional purposes without further compensation. You further agree that the LHIN is not required to use your name in association with the photograph, but may at its discretion use your name and the name of your community in association with the photograph.

Photos entered must not have been previously published. The LHIN reserves the right to refuse a submission based on unsuitability.

Names of contest winners and their photographs will be published on www.northwestlhin.on.ca.

All entries will be retained by the LHIN.

The LHIN is not responsible for entries that are lost, damaged, or delayed during transmission or transportation.

The contest is open to all Ontario residents of the LHIN, except directors and employees of the LHIN and staff of the sponsoring company. This includes their immediate families, cohabitants, agents or contractors.

All entries must be submitted on CD-ROM, and postmarked on or before Friday, November 30, 2007 and must be received by 4:30 p.m. (EST), Thursday, December 6, 2007. Mail or deliver entries to: North West Local Health Integration Network Photography Contest, 975 Alloy Dr., Suite 201, Thunder Bay, ON P7B 5Z8.

The winners will be selected by a panel of judges in Thunder Bay, Ontario by Thursday, December 13, 2007. Winners will be notified by 5 p.m. EST on Thursday, December 13, 2007. Decision of the judges is final.

Grand Prize: Canon Powershot A720IS Digital Camera, Camera Bag, 1GB Memory Card, Gorillapod, Batteries, \$70 of photofinishing*

2nd Place Prize: Digital photo frame, 512MB Memory Card, \$30 of photofinishing*

3rd Place Prize: Epson Printer package, \$25 of photofinishing*

*Photofinishing courtesy of Primary Foto Source, Thunder Bay.

Entry Form

To submit your entry to the North West LHIN Photography Contest, please fill out the form below and provide a digital copy of your image(s) in .jpeg or .tif format, at the highest resolution possible on CD-ROM.

Please mail or deliver entries to: North West LHIN Photography Contest
Attention: Kristin Shields
975 Alloy Drive, Suite 201
Thunder Bay, ON P7B 5Z8

All entries must be postmarked on or before Friday, November 30, 2007 and must be received by 4:30 p.m. EST, Thursday, December 6, 2007.

Participants are required to read official contest Rules & Regulations and attach original signed waivers where applicable.

This entry form will double as a release for your image(s) as per the requirements stated in the official contest Rules & Regulations.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

By signing this form you are agreeing to the official contest Rules and Regulations and releasing your image(s) to be used accordingly by the North West Local Health Integration Network.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If you are under 18, have a parent or guardian complete below:

Print Name of Parent or Guardian	Signature	Date	Relationship to minor (mother, father, etc.)

Consent Form

With respect to the attached photograph (the "photograph"), I hereby grant to the North West Local Health Integration Network (the "LHIN"), and its licensees, and to the photographer of the photograph, the worldwide, irrevocable right to use and re-use, publish and re-publish the photograph, in whole or in part, individually or in conjunction with printed matter, or in composite form, and in any medium, including electronic, for editorial, commercial, promotional, and/or trade purposes.

I hereby waive my right to inspect or approve any copy that is used in connection with the photograph and release and discharge the LHIN, its licensees, and the photographer from any and all claims arising out of use by the LHIN, its licensees, of the photograph for the purposes described above, including any claims for libel and invasion of privacy.

I am over the age of eighteen. I have read the foregoing and fully understand its contents.

Name of person appearing in the photograph	Please Print	Signature	Date

Complete Mailing Address:

If a minor, have a parent or guardian complete below:

Print Name of Parent or Guardian	Signature	Date	Relationship to minor (mother, father etc.)

Complete Mailing Address:
