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NUNAVIK REGIONAL BOARD OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES
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THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE NUNAVIK REGIONAL BOARD OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES HOLDS A SESSION IN QUAQTAQ

QUAQTAQ, June 10, 2013 – The Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (NRBHSS) is pleased to announce that the 91st session of its board of directors is being held June 11 to 13, 2013, in the community of Quaqtaq.

Once a year, the NRBHSS holds one of the sessions of its board of directors outside Kuujjuaq in order to take the pulse of other Nunavik communities.

The NRBHSS and its board of directors would like to thank the population of Quaqtaq for its warm welcome and hospitality.

"It is an honour and a privilege to reach out to the smaller communities, each as important as the next," emphasized Elisapi Uitungak, Chairperson of the NRBHSS board of directors.

Various topics are on the agenda, with the principal ones as follows:

- Parnasimautik visits;
- relocation of the Northern Québec Module;
- service organization;
- strategic regional planning;
- communications plan for the clinical project;
- presentation of the AAQITAUVIK Healing Centre;
- tuberculosis outbreak in Nunavik;
- 2013-2014 budget.

The NRBHSS is a public agency created in 1978 under the **James Bay and Northern Québec Agreement**. *It is responsible for nearly the entire Québec territory located north of the 55th parallel in terms of the provision of health and social services for the inhabitants of the 14 communities.*

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