



"This is about making our community healthier, yes, but it's also about changing mentality. There is a lot of stigma around some infections, that stigma needs to end. People who get checked and get treated are not the problem: they are the solution," said Kulu Tukalak a member of the Health committee in Puvirnituq.

*The Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services is a public agency created in 1978 under the James Bay and Northern Quebec Agreement. It is responsible for nearly the entire Quebec territory located north of the 55<sup>th</sup> parallel in terms of the provision of health and social services for the inhabitants of the 14 communities.*

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