

Public Service Announcement

Anaanavut Qisingit – Our Mother's Sealskin Work

Start Date: June 21, 2018

End Date: November 30, 2018

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On June 21, 2018, as part of the National Indigenous Peoples Day, Iqaluit Health Services will be launching a video instillation by *Mittimatalik Arnait Miqsuqtiit* Collective (MAMC) called "*Anaanavut Qisingit* – Our Mother's Sealskin Work".

The installation shows Pond Inlet seamstresses demonstrating sealskin processing, mitten and kamik making. The eight-hour installation is a real-time showcase of Inuit women's sealskin sewing.

The three films will be shown on a continuous loop in the clinic area waiting room at Qikiqtani General Hospital until the end of November 2018.

MAMC was founded in 2015 to build a new digital archive of films and photographs for community use. For more information on the women's work you can <u>visit the MAM</u>

<u>Collective Facebook Page</u> or view their 74 masterclass films online <u>www.vimeo.com/mamc</u>.

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