Public Service Announcement

Child Welfare Protection- Important Contact Information

Start Date: November 23, 2020
End Date: November 30, 2020
Nunavut-wide **45 sec**

The Department of Family Services would like to remind everyone that we all have a duty to report incidents of child abuse and neglect to the Family Wellness Division by calling your local family services office and speaking with a Community Social Services Worker.

If you are concerned about the safety and wellbeing of a child and/or youth, call your local Community Social Services Office:

- Territory-wide contact: 1-844-FW-CHILD (1-844-392-4453)
- Iqaluit:
    1. Social Services Office: (867) 975-5777
    2. Social Services Emergency: (867) 979-5650
    3. RCMP: (867) 975-1111

Social services and local RCMP contact information for each community can be found on the Family Wellness section of our website at https://www.gov.nu.ca/family-services/information/child-protection.

If you are concerned about the services that a child or youth are receiving or have comments or compliments to share, contact us at 1 855 522-5201 or email us at PublicRelationsFS@gov.nu.ca.

###

Media Contact:

Lucy Aqpik
Communications Specialist
Department of Family Services
867-975-5207
LAqpik@gov.nu.ca

ᐱᕙᓪᓕᐊᔪᑦ ᑐᓴᒐᒃᓴᙳᖅᑎᑕᐅᔪᑦ ᐱᔭᐅᔪᓐᓇᖅᑕᖅᑐᑦ ᐃᓄᒃᑎᑑᖓᓗᑎᒃ, ᖃᓪᓗᓈᑎᑐᑦ, ᐃᓄᐃᓐᓇᖅᑐᓐ ᐅᐃᓈᑎᑐᓪᓗ ᐅᕙᓂ, *www.gov.nu.ca.*
News releases are available in Inuktitut, English, Inuinnaqtun and French on *www.gov.nu.ca*.
Tuhaqtaghat ittut Inuktitut, Qablunaatitut, Inuinnaqtun Uiviititullu talvani *www.gov.nu.ca*.
Les communiqués de presse sont disponibles en inuktitut, en anglais, en inuinnaqtun et en français au *www.gov.nu.ca*.