

# Public Service Announcement

## Nunavut recognizes National Nursing Week

**Start Date:** May 6, 2024

**End Date:** May 12, 2024

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The Department of Health encourages Nunavummiut to celebrate National Nursing Week from May 6 to 12, 2024. This year's theme is *Changing Lives. Shaping Tomorrow*. This is a chance to recognize the contributions and tremendous impact that nurses have on individuals, communities, families, and the future of health care in Nunavut.

This year's theme speaks to the influence of nursing on healthcare innovation and education. In addition to contributing to advancements in research, technologies and patient care practices, nurses have a significant role in shaping the next generation of health-care professionals.

The Department of Health acknowledges the contributions of future nurses in the Nunavut Arctic College Nursing program. Their experience, knowledge and mentorship of students influences the future of the Nunavut nursing profession.

This Nursing Week, please take a moment to offer a word of thanks and encouragement to current, past or future nurses in your community.

On social media, use the hashtag #NursingWeek2024, and share your stories of exceptional nurses, or about a nurse who has left a lasting impression with you. Or leave a note on the Nursing Week posts on the [Government of Nunavut Facebook page](#).

To learn more about a career in nursing in Nunavut, visit the [Nunavut Nurses website](#).

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