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# Public Service Announcement

## Kugaaruk Health Centre on emergency services only

**Start Date: December 7, 2025**
**End Date: To be determined**
**Kugaaruk, Nunavut** **45 sec**

The Department of Health is advising Kugaaruk residents that the health centre will be operating on emergency services only until further notice.

This measure follows the declaration of a local state of emergency due to the breakdown of the water treatment plant.

**What this means for residents:**

- Only urgent and emergency medical care will be provided.
- Non-urgent appointments and services are temporarily suspended.
- Please call ahead before visiting the health centre.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we work to ensure the safety and well-being of the community. Updates will be shared as soon as more information becomes available.

For emergencies, contact the health centre directly at **867-769-6441**. Calls made after office hours will be directed to the nurse-on-call.

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