

NAN Community Evacuations

2021

EVACUATION HOST
COMMUNITY
INFORMATION &
RESOURCES:

Thunder Bay



To Our NAN Members,

Our thoughts and prayers are with all those communities threatened by the forest fires and smoke coming far too close to home. As evacuations have begun and members have been relocated to host communities, we hope that the following resource guide is helpful in navigating your temporary living situation. May the creator watch over you and bring you home safe.

-Nishnawbe Aski Nation

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Host Community: Thunder Bay

Profile

Population: Approximately 110 000

City Website: www.thunderbay.ca/en/index.aspx

Community Resources

Health Services

| Organization Name | Description of Service | Phone Number | Email Address | Website | Address | Fee for service (Y/N) | Notes |
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| 911 Emergency | Fire, police or ambulance | 9-1-1 | | | | | |
| Heath Sciences Centre | Hospital | 807-623-8511 | | | | | |
| TB District Health Unit-COVID-19 Testing | COVID-19 Testing | | | www.tbdhu.com/testinginfo | | | |
| TB District Health Unit-COVID-19 Vaccines | COVID-19 Vaccines | Provincial Vaccine Booking Line 833-943-3900 | | www.tbdhu.com/covidclinics | | | General information about the Provincial Vaccine Booking system: 1-888-999-6488. |
| Anishnawbe Mushkiki | Health | 807-623-0383 | | mushkiki.com/?fbclid=IwAR17Wkn7ol6ks2byTEhGoffsWuNUk4vdGLRdfp_Z0ZE5kAIz7CibsY5QOxM | | | Provides overall health and development for all people by providing clinical care and integrated chronic disease prevention and management, family-focused maternal and child health care, addictions counselling, youth empowerment, |

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| | | | | | | | traditional wellness and cultural programs. |
| Elevate | Health Supports for Chronic Diseases | 807-345-1516 | | elevatenwo.org | | | We are a community-based, not-for-profit organization that provides services, opportunities and programs to improve the lives and empower people living with, affected by or at risk of HIV, AIDS, and Hepatitis C in Thunder Bay and Northwestern Ontario. Office closed, but lobby is open for harm reduction supplies. Elevate website has updates on Superior Points, Salvation Army, Path 525 and Thunder Bay Counselling |
| Matawa First Nations Health Coop | Health and Wellness Support | 807-344-4575 or 800-463-2249 | | facebook.com/MatawaFirst Nations | | | Offering assistance through telephone support. Nursing Services are available Mon-Fri: 8:30am -4:30pm toll-free 1-833-625-3611. Provides support for the following: Health Information, Mental Wellness assistance and counselling, Community support and guidance, questions about COVID-19, Medication Refills, Urgent care matters that require a doctor |

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| Norwest Community Health Centre | Health and Wellness Support | 807-622-8235 | | | | | | The NorWest Community Health Centres Thunder Bay site is open for scheduled essential services by appointment only. To ensure the safety of clients and our staff changes have been made to our programs and services. Our team of health care providers, therapists, dietitians and community health workers are providing care through phone appointments and virtual visits. Essential in-person appointments will be made as needed. All visitors and clients will be screened prior to entering the building, one by one at the main client entrance (back parking lot). Rapid Access Addiction Services (RAAM) will remain open for scheduled appointments only and will be offering phone and virtual visits. Path 525 (supervised injection site) remains open 7 days per week, 10:00am to 6:00pm. |
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Mental Health and Addiction Support Services

| Organization Name | Description of Service | Phone Number | Email Address | Website | Address | Fee for service (Y/N) | Notes |
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| Thunder Bay Counselling | In-Community (Out-Patient) | 807-684-1880 | community@tbaycounselling.com | tbaycounselling.com | | | |
| Mental Health Out-Patient with St. Joseph's Care Group | In-Community (Out-Patient) | 800-209-9034 | | sjcg.net | | | |
| Northwind Counselling | In-Community (Out-Patient) | 807-622-5790 | counselling@northwindfm.org | counselling.northwindfm.org | | | |

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| Maamawi Counselling Centre | In-Community (Out-Patient) | 807-622-3884 | info@maamawi.ca | maamawi.ca | | | |
| Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre CAMHU | In-patient Adult | 807-684-6000 | tbrhsc@tbh.net | tbrhsc.net/programs-services/mental-health-program/ | | | |
| Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre AMH | In Patient Youth | 807-684-6000 | tbrhsc@tbh.net | tbrhsc.net/programs-services/mental-health-program/ | | | |
| Ooshke Bemahdesewin Program | Indigenous based | 807-623-8200 | | Referrals through: northwestaccesspoint.ca | | | |
| IRS Resolution Health Support Program | Indigenous based | 866-925-4419 | | sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1581971225188/1581971250953 | | | |
| St Joseph's Care Group - Balmoral Centre - Rapid Access Addictions Medicine Clinics | Detox | 807-623-6515 | | sjcg.net | | | |
| NorWest Community Health Centres - RAAM | In Community Treatment | 807-622-8235 or 866-357-5454 | | norwestchc.org/locations/thunder-bay | | | |
| Managed Alcohol Program at Shelter House | In Community Treatment | 807-623-8182 | info@shelterhouse.on.ca | shelterhouse.on.ca/services/kwae-kii-win/ | | | |
| Ontario Addictions Treatment Centre - North | in Community Treatment | 807-768-2910 | | oatc.ca/clinic-locations/thunder-bay-north-clinic | | | |
| Ontario Addictions Treatment Centre - South | in Community Treatment | 807-622-2900 | | oatc.ca/clinic-locations/thunder-bay-south-clinic | | | |
| Thunder Bay Indigenous Friendship Centre | NNADAP | 807-345-5840 | info@tbifc.ca | tbifc.ca/contact | | | |

| Thunder Bay Counselling | Residential Treatment | 807-684-1880 | community@tbaycounselling.com | tbaycounselling.com | | | |
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| Alpha Court | Mental Health & Addictions Case Management and Programming | 807-683-8200 | | alphacourt.ca | 221 Wilson Street, Thunder Bay, ON, P7B 1M7 | | |
| Children and Family Support Programs/Services | | | | | | | |
| Organization Name | Description of Service | Phone Number | Email Address | Website | Address | Fee for service (Y/N) | Notes |
| Biidaajiwun Community Centre | Community Health & Outreach: crafts/cultural services family nights youth nights Ojibway Language circles health events | 807-474-3542 Fax:807-622-8859 | biidaajiwun@gmail.com | | 134 Frederica St W Thunder Bay, ON P7E 3V7 | | Operates a drop-in, community health outreach centre with a variety of programs and services: crafts/cultural services family nights youth nights Ojibway Language circles health events |
| DSO | Developmental Services | 1-855-DSO-NORD; (855-376-6673) | dsontario.ca/about-us/contact-us | dsontario.ca/agencies/dso-northern | 245b Bay Street, Thunder Bay, ON P7B 6P2 | | |
| Community Living Thunder Bay | Developmental Services | 807-622-1099 | info@cltb.ca | cltb.ca | 1501 Dease Street, Thunder Bay, ON | | |
| June Steeve-Lendrum Family Resource Centre | Family Resource Centre | 807-345-0311 Fax: 807-345-0320 | | | 283 Pearl St Thunder Bay, ON P7B 1E5 | | Danielle Bobinski: Coordinator Amie Cryderman- Intensive Child and Family Worker Offers an apartment complex for single mothers on site, programming offered by Dilico Anishinabek Family Care Offers a variety of support services to residents, including: Addictions services Advocacy and referrals Community kitchens Crisis counselling and support Parent and child drop in programming Parenting and life skills programs |

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| | | | | | | | Pre/post-natal classes and breastfeeding support Specialized programs for teen parents Youth Outreach Services |
| Jordan's Principle | NAN Coordinator: Cecile Hookimaw IFNA Coordinator: June Trout KO Coordinator: Tiffany Gervasi | 807-737-1902 807-737-1381 ext. 5755 | chookimaw@nan.ca jtrout@ifna.ca tiffanygervasi@kochiefs.ca | nan.ca/resources/jordans-principle | | | |
| Tikinagan Child and Family Service | Child and Family Service | 807-737-3466 or 800-465-3624 | | | | | |
| Poplar Hill (Local Tikinagan Child and Family Service) | Child and Family Service | 807-772-1161 | | | | | |
| Deer Lake & North Spirit (Local Tikinagan Child and Family Service) | Child and Family Service | 807-775-9817 807-775-9816 807-775-9815 807-776-0232 807-776-0291 | | | | | |
| Pikangikum (Local Tikinagan Child and Family Service) | Child and Family Service | 807-773-1121 807-773-1147 807-773-1021 | | | | | |
| Dilico Anishinabek Family Care | Child Welfare - Indigenous | 807-623-8511 | | dilico.com/article/contact-19.asp | | | |
| Children's Aid Society of The District of Thunder Bay | Child Welfare - Non-Indigenous | 807-343-6100 1-800-465-3905 | | | | | |

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| Beendigen Anishinabe Women's Crisis Home and Family Healing Centre | Shelter to Indigenous women and children experiencing Violence | Contact Brenda: 807-631-6175 807-622-5445 807-622-1121 Toll-free crisis line 888-200-9997 Thunder Bay: 807-346-HELP (807-346-4357) | | beendigen.com facebook.com/Beendigen | 112 Ontario St, Thunder Bay, ON P7B 3G2 | | provide safety and shelter to indigenous women and children experiencing violence, and to facilitate the cycle of healing through the delivery of culturally appropriate programs and services to individuals and families. |
| Faye Peterson Transitional House | Temporary shelter | 807-345-0450 or 800-465-6971 | | fayepeterson.org facebook.com/fayepetersonhouse | Their location is confidential, and is only given out to women who need to stay with them. | | The Faye Peterson House provides a safe and supportive temporary shelter environment, crisis services, counselling, outreach, transitional support, advocacy, early childhood education, and support groups to women, youth and their children. |
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Support for Basic Personal Needs

| Organization Name | Description of Service | Phone Number | Email Address | Website | Address | Fee for service (Y/N) | Notes |
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| RFDA - City-wide Food Bank | Must Call 2-1-1 to register for food hampers | 211 | | foodbanksnorthwest.ca/ facebook.com/RFDAThunderBay/ | | | ALL CLIENTS MUST BE REGISTERED FROM THIS POINT ON - there will be no registration on site - further dates will be added when confirmed - Call 2-1-1 to register. 4 Thunder Bay Locations: South End: The Gathering Place (239 Amelia St W) East Core: Thunder Bay Food Bank (129 Miles St E - Catholic Action Centre) West Central: Redwood Park Church (532 Edward St N) North End: Salvation Army (545 Cumberland St N) |

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| Dew Drop Inn | Take out Meals | 807-345-0481 | | dewdropinnthunderbay.ca facebook.com/dewdropinnt hunderbay | 292 Red River Rd | | Take out meals offered every day, check website and Facebook for updates and hours. |
| Grace Place | Take out Meals | 807-473-3538 | graceplacetbay@gmail.com | graceplacethunderbay.com facebook.com/GracePlaceT B | 235 Simpson Street Thunder Bay, | | Doing take out Mon, Tue, Wed, 1 - 4 |
| Ontario Native Women Association (ONWA) | Food Hampers | 807)-623-3442. Support from Elders - call 888-664-7808 | onwa@onwa.ca | onwa.ca facebook.com/ONWA7 | 150 City Rd Thunder Bay | | They will be preparing and delivering hampers (Go Bags) for Indigenous Women, Children, Elders and those with mobility issues. |
| Roots to Harvest | Food Hampers | 807-285-0189 | info@rootstoharvest.org | rootstoharvest.org facebook.com/rootstoharvest | 450 Fort William Rd Thunder Bay, | | Roots to Harvest uses food as a tool to connect people to one another and build belonging and dignity through meaningful programs, initiatives and advocacy. We envision a reality where people are welcomed, inspired and involved in an equitable and resilient community. Occasionally distribute food hampers. |
| Shelter House | Emergency Shelter | 807-623-8182 | | shelterhouse.on.ca/updates facebook.com/shelterhouse tbay | 420 George st. Thunder Bay, ON | | Serving approximately 800 individuals a day through our feeding program, our emergency shelter, and our 24-hour walk-up window. |
| Salvation Army | Emergency Shelter | 807-344-7319 | | satbcars.com facebook.com/thunderbaysalvationarmy | 545 Cumberland Street. Thunder Bay, ON | | 6:00pm for Southward Residents, 7:00pm for Northward Residents, must call for locations. |

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| Urban Abbey | Emergency Shelter | 807-768-8923 | admin@urbanabbey.ca | urbanabbey.ca/?fbclid=IwAR3oGzuF4urXk57mf82ULsPNlhG7sTf6CmfRrdY4tQLx9mFbOatFVCA2Nk8 facebook.com/urbanabbeycanada | 308 Red River Road, Thunder Bay, P7B 1B1 | | Urban Abbey is also now providing shelter and services to populations in the City of Thunder Bay who would regularly shelter elsewhere but are most vulnerable to COVID 19 due to other underlying conditions. |
| Alpha Court | Subsidized Housing | Please call 807-683-8200 to speak with an on-call worker. | | alphacourt.ca facebook.com/pages/category/Mental-Health-Service/Alpha-Court-Community-Mental-Health-and-Addiction-Services-775530435792559 | 221 Wilson St, Thunder Bay, ON, P7B 1M7 | | Alpha Court provides subsidized housing and case management services to individuals with a serious mental illness and/or a drug / alcohol addiction. |
| The District of Thunder Bay Social Services Administration Board | Housing Services | 807-766-2111 or 877-281-2958 | contact-us@tbdssab.ca | tbdssab.ca | 231 May Street South, Thunder Bay ON P7E 1B5 | | |

Social and Recreational Programs/Services

| Organization Name | Description of Service | Phone Number | Email Address | Website | Address | Fee for service (Y/N) | Notes |
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| Thunder Bay Public Library | Community-Based Educational | 807-345-8275 | | tbpl.ca | 216 S. Brodie St., Thunder Bay, ON | | |
| ONWA | Community-Based Indigenous | 807-623-3442 | | onwa.ca | 380 Ray Boulevard, Thunder Bay, ON | | |
| Nokiiwin Tribal Council | Community-Based Indigenous | 807-474-4230 | | nokiiwin.com | 384 Fort William Road, Thunder Bay, ON | | |
| Adult Learning Centre | Adult Education | 807-475-7211 | cblg@tblg.org | tblg.org | 106 Cumberland ST. N, Thunder Bay, ON | | |

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| Oshki Pimache-O-Win | Adult Education | 807-626-1880 | info@oshki.ca | oshki.ca | 2nd Floor, 106 Centennial Square, Thunder Bay, ON | | |
| Shkoday | Aboriginal Head Start | 807-768-2342 | admin@shkoday.com | shkoday.com | 1610 John Street Road, Thunder Bay, ON | | |
| Our Kids Count | Community Service Provider | 807-623-0292 | | ourkidscount.ca | 704 Mckenzie Street, Thunder Bay, ON | | |
| Boulevard Lake and Chippewa Park | Beaches | | | thunderbay.ca/en/recreation/beaches-and-splash-pads.aspx | Boulevard Lake: at 400 Lyon Blvd. West (north end of Algoma Street). Chippewa Park: Sandy Beach Road off City Road | N | Both include supervised and unsupervised. Please see the website for hours of operation. |
| Splash Pads | A great way to cool off and get exercise in the summer months and are free to people of all ages. | | | thunderbay.ca/en/recreation/beaches-and-splash-pads.aspx | | N | County Park, Franklin Street, Marina Park, North End Park. Please see the website for locations and hours of operation. |
| City Parks | Thunder Bay Parks maintains 129 active parks and more than 55 km of paved recreational trails. Many of the parks are large and offer diverse opportunities for fun and relaxation. City neighbourhoods offer smaller parks and greenspaces, most with playground equipment. See the website for a list of our featured parks. | | | thunderbay.ca/en/recreation/city-parks.aspx | | N | Many include sports fields and amenities, splash pads, skate parks, picnic areas, or disc golf. |

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| <p>The City's waterfront includes Prince Arthur's Landing and Marina Park, the Baggage Building Art Centre and the Prince Arthur's Landing Splash Pad.</p> | <p>Marina</p> | <p>807-345-2741</p> | <p>marina@thunderbay.ca</p> | <p>thunderbay.ca/en/recreation/marina.aspx</p> | <p>located on the Sleeping Giant Parkway along Thunder Bay's waterfront, and is integral with Prince Arthur's Landing and Marina Park.</p> | <p>N</p> | <p>The City's waterfront includes Prince Arthur's Landing and Marina Park where you can find the Baggage Building Art Centre and the Prince Arthur's Landing Splash Pad. Throughout the year, many family-fun City events are held at the Waterfront - it's an active community gathering place. The Marina is adjacent to Delta Hotels Thunder Bay Waterfront and Thunder Bay's bustling North Core area featuring dining and entertainment opportunities.</p> <p>Attendants and on-site security are on duty from 9 am - 9 pm, seasonally.</p> |
| <p>Campgrounds</p> | <p>The City of Thunder Bay operates two campgrounds for visitors and residents to enjoy. These campgrounds offer cabins (Chippewa Park Campground only) and traditional RV, trailer and tent campsites.</p> | <p>Chippewa Park Campground: 807-623-3912 Trowbridge Falls Campground: 807-683-6661</p> | | <p>thunderbay.ca/en/recreation/campgrounds.aspx</p> | <p>See website for locations.</p> | <p>Y</p> | <p>Chippewa Park Campground is an outstanding destination for family fun, scenic beauty, and relaxation - right on the shore of Lake Superior. Take in an awe-inspiring view of the Sleeping Giant. Trowbridge Falls Campground is nestled in the whispering woods beside the cascading rapids of the Current River.</p> <p>The campground features a park, hiking trails, biking trails and access to popular swimming and wading spots on the river. City shopping and services are nearby.</p> |

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| Canada Games Complex | Fitness Center | 807-684-3333 | | thunderbay.ca/en/recreation/canada-games-complex.aspx | 420 Winnipeg Ave. Thunder Bay, ON | Y | <p>The Canada Games Complex was constructed in 1981 to host the aquatic events of the 1981 Canada Summer Games in Thunder Bay, Ontario. It is run by the City of Thunder Bay and its features include a swimming pool, indoor fitness areas, a fitness testing area, and an indoor running track.</p> <p>Swimming, fitness programs, clubs and groups, birthday parties, squash, and children and youth programs.</p> |
| Mount Mckay | Outdoor Space, Trails | 807-622-3093 | | superiorhiking.com/top-of-mt-mckay | | Y | <p>Located on Fort William First Nation. 500 ft panoramic view of Thunder Bay. A beautiful hike or drive to the scenic view.</p> <p>Toll has to be paid in order to go up.</p> |
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Economic Supports

| Organization Name | Description of Service | Phone Number | Email Address | Website | Address | | Notes |
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| June Steeve-Lendrum Family Resource Centre | Family Resource Centre | 807-345-0311 Fax: 807-345-0320 | | | 283 Pearl St Thunder Bay, ON P7B 1E5 | | <p>Danielle Bobinski: Coordinator Amie Cryderman- Intensive Child and Family Worker</p> <p>Offers an apartment complex for single mothers on site, programming offered by Dilico Anishinabek Family Care</p> <p>Offers a variety of support services to residents, including: Addictions services Advocacy and referrals Community kitchens Crisis counselling and support</p> |

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Spiritual Supports

| Organization Name | Description of Service | Phone Number | Email Address | Website | Address | Fee for service (Y/N) | Notes |
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| Thunder Bay Indigenous Friendship Centre | Friendship Centre | 807-345-5840 | info@tbifc.ca | tbifc.ca/contact tbifc.ca | 401 Cumberland St N, Thunder Bay, ON P7A 4P7 | | |
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Emergency Management Supports (Staffing/Resources)

| Organization Name | Description of Service | Phone Number | Email Address | Website | Address | Fee for service (Y/N) | Notes |
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| Ambulance/ems | Ambulance/EMS | 807-684-6000 | | | | | |
| Police | Thunder Bay Police Services | 807-684-1200 | | thunderbaypolice.ca/contact-us | | | |
| Fire | Thunder Bay Fire Rescue | 807-625-2764 | anummikoski@thunderbay.ca | thunderbay.ca/en/city-services/contact-fire-rescue.aspx | | | |
| NAN Legal Services | Legal Services | 807-474 4377 | | nanlegal.on.ca/contact-us | 138B Mission Road, Fort William First Nation, ON, P7J 1K7 | | |
| Kinna-aweya Legal Clinic | Legal Services | 807-344-2478 or 888-373-3309 | | kalc.ca | 86 S. Cumberland St., Thunder Bay, ON P7B 2V3 | | |
| Legal Aid Ontario | Legal Services | 800-668-8258 | info@lao.on.ca | legalaid.on.ca | 40 Dundas Street West, Suite 200, Toronto, Ontario M5G 2H1 | | |

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| Probation and Parole (Adult) | Probation & Parole | 807-343-7521 | | | 189 Red River Rd, Thunder Bay, ON P7B 1A2 | | |
| Probation and Parole (Youth) | Probation & Parole | (807) 475-1400 | | | 435 James St S, Thunder Bay, ON P7E 6S7 | | |