



Nunavimmiuts

A nation with a unique way of life
 An endearing culture and cheerful people
 A different and exciting social life, at the heart of an extraordinary nature

Nunavik's Population Is Young

64% of residents are not yet 35 years old
 One third of the population is under 14 years old
5,5% of the population is over 65 years old

One of the Highest Birth Rates in Canada

2,99 children per woman in Nunavik
1,38 children per woman in Québec
 Motherhood usually starts in the early twenties

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Proud to be part of the team

Ungava Tulattavik Health Centre

The Ungava Tulattavik Health Centre (UTHC) offers safe, accessible and quality health and social services to the **seven Inuit communities of the Ungava Bay Coast**, as well as rehabilitation services to the **fourteen communities of Nunavik**.

Health and social services programs are adapted to the needs of the population and the realities of the region, in accordance with the James Bay and Northern Québec Agreement and the Act respecting health services and social services.

50 000 km² of territory served north of the 55th parallel
 7 communities
 + 255 residential accommodations for staff
 + 25 institutional buildings

1025 employees
 \$150M annual budget
 7 CLSCs
 1 Hospital



Meaning in Inuktitut

Kangiqsujaq: *the large bay*, as the village is in Wakeham Bay
Quaqtaq: *intestinal worm*, a beluga hunter would have found it in his feces while he was there
Kangirsuk: *the bay* because the village is located on the edge of Payne Bay
Aupaluk: *where it is red* in reference to the iron oxide rich soil
Tasiujaq: *which resembles a lake* because the village is located on the banks of the Leaf River whose shape is similar to a lake
Kuujjuaq: *the great river* in connection with the Koksoak River that flows by the village
Kangiqsualujjuaq: *the very large bay*, also known as George River

Safe and Faithful to Community Values

Kuujjuaq Hospital

6,460 physical health consultations
 917 medical evacuations by air
 5,155 medical imaging tests
 1,453 hospitalizations
 15 beds
 129,954 laboratory procedures



164 nurses
 22 general practitioners
 25 specialties
 5 dentists
 4 pharmacists
 34 trainees



Services

- General medicine
- Obstetrics and gynecology
- Pediatrics
- Psychiatry

- Community and Public Health
- Pre-hospital services at home
- Intensive care
- Extended care

Children, Wealth for the Community

156 annual follow-ups. All mothers are supported by a multidisciplinary team (midwife, doctor, nurse and social worker).

103 deliveries per year

4 midwives

Workplace Training Program

Regular visits to the villages of Ungava Bay for pregnancy follow-ups. Midwives provide prevention, promotion and education services to the population and training in neonatal resuscitation for doctors and nurses.



Resting Places in Kuujjuaq

▶ TUSAAJIAPIK

Elders' home that can accommodate 12 people

▶ ISURRIVIK

Residence for adults with loss of autonomy:

4 long-term residents

2 short-term places for respite

▶ INILLAVIK

Accommodation for patients and accompanying persons in transit in Kuujjuaq:

20 rooms

2 common rooms

Community Services

Audiologists, occupational therapists, respiratory therapists, physiotherapists.

Suicide prevention officers, criminologists, psychoeducators, psychologists, recreationists, sexologists, social, street and wellness workers.

Youth Protection

91 professionals ▶ 35 in Kuujjuaq

10 professionals in the 6 villages of Ungava Bay

Rehabilitation for Young People in Difficulty

8 points of service

- 6 in Nunavik
- 1 in Montréal
- 1 in Dorval

4 Rehabilitation Centers

- 1 open center for boys in Salluit
- 1 closed center with intensive supervision for boys in Montreal
- 2 open centers for girls in Inukjuak and Dorval

4 Group Homes

- 2 homes with mixed clientele for children from 6 to 12 years old in Kuujjuaq and Kuujjuarapik
- 2 homes with mixed clientele for adolescents aged from 12 to 17 in Kuujjuaq and Puvirnituk

Essential Programs

- Children, Youth and Families Program
- Psychosocial Services for adults
- Home care
- Community Wellness Program
- Tusaajiapik Elders' House
- Maternity Service