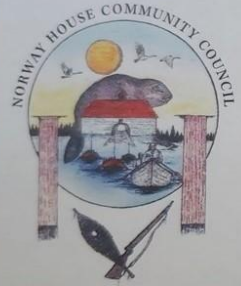




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**Approval Process for Travel under the Orange Gauge:
MARCH 30 – APRIL 16, 2021**

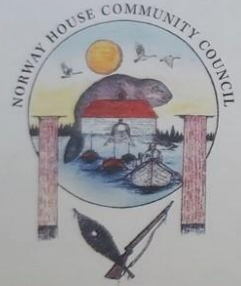
1. All requests for travel in or out of Norway House must be done **MONDAY TO FRIDAY** 8:30am to 4:30pm by contacting the Risk Assessment Officers (Margaret Maxwell (204) 301-3004) and Lucy Muswagon (204) 359-5359) to complete the Risk Management Assessment Form and to sign the request to travel form.
2. Travel requests with the completed Risk Management Assessment forms will be reviewed daily by the PAT Team and signed by 2 of 3 PAT.
3. Upon return to the community, the traveller must complete the travel log. The travel log is important as this determines whether the individual self-monitors or self isolates by using the Risk Assessment Scale Tool.
4. Medical approval will be managed and approved by Manager of TAP.
5. Construction and occasional services must submit their travel requests 48 hours prior and must get TESTED and will be managed by Lucy Muswagon in with compliance to NHCN Protocols and company protocols.
6. As per the Public Health Order, Individuals who travelled internationally or inter-provincially must go into mandatory self-isolation (quarantine) for 14 days from the date of arrival to Manitoba regardless of test results or symptoms. All travellers are required to get a test on the day of arrival before coming to Norway House,

They should make an appointment with a provincial testing site or visit a drive-thru test site and indicate at the time of testing that they have been out of the country and share the location of travel. Re-testing is advised if an asymptomatic individual develops symptoms at any point unless the individual had already tested positive. Individuals who test positive for COVID-19 and have had close contact to a traveller should identify this contact to public health during the public health investigation and follow-up.



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There are exemptions to isolation for essential workers as identified in the Public Health Order.

7. Requests to attend funeral will be managed by Muchipunowin in consultation with PAT as per the applicable policy and position within the community gauge. Anyone coming to Norway House to attend a funeral or wake who is not a resident must be tested.

Muchipunowin will inform the family they are bringing in. All others who are requesting to travel into Norway House will be informed by PAT.

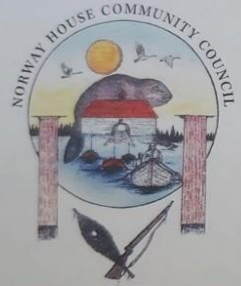
As this is strongly suggested by Chief Medical Officer, all testing be done prior to anyone entering a First Nation or Indigenous & Northern Community, testing is free and available at:

- Garry Centre – 330 Garry Street
 - Thunderbird House – 715 Main Street
 - MPI Drive-Thru Testing Site – 125 King Edward St
 - Thompson Clinic Testing Centre – Plaza Mall
 - The Pas Testing Centre – 328 Fischer Avenue
8. Any community member who does not have approval to enter the community will be taken directly to the Alternative Isolation Accommodation and will self-isolate for 14 days.
 9. Any requests for visits by extended family to the community must be recommended by the relative who will allow them into their home.



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Guidelines for Travel under the Orange Gauge are as follows:

- Essential: Essential personnel are those delivering food, fuel and medical supplies, hydro officials, highways officials, RCMP, medical staff, Emergency Team, Telecommunications, childcare, custody, Government Representative.
- Health and Safety: scheduled medical appointments approved by TAP; confirmed dental appointments; leaving from or returning from unsafe situations (family violence), attending treatment program.
- Anyone who fails to attend their scheduled appointments will be required to isolate upon return (this is due to not knowing the activities of the individual who has left the community and returns)
- Vehicle repair & maintenance: those repairs/maintenance that must be done by the dealer; or cannot be done here.
- Any Norway House Band Member or extended family who will be traveling into Norway House must be approved prior to them coming in. The person must complete and submit a Risk Management Assessment and 7 day-activity logs with their request and only those approved to come in.
- People travelling out of town and returning to Norway House shall submit a travel log upon return. Failure to do so shall put traveler on isolation list.
- People who leave the community without prior approval will be required to isolate at the AIA site for 14 days upon return. (This is due to not knowing the activities of the individual who left the community and returns)