## Jordan's Principle

## Information for Northwest Territories Evacuees:

As the situation remains fluid, the most current information for NWT Evacuees can be found here: <a href="https://www.gov.nt.ca/en/public-safety">https://www.gov.nt.ca/en/public-safety</a>

Jordan's Principle is a child-first initiative that aims to ensure that First Nations children in Canada can access the products, services, and supports they need when they need them. Jordan's Principle is available to any child who meets one of the following eligibility criteria:

- Registered or eligible to be registered under the Indian Act;
- Has at least one parent/guardian who is registered or eligible to be registered under the Indian Act:
- Recognized by a First Nation as a member for the purposes of Jordan's Principle;
- Ordinarily resident on reserve.

If you are interested in receiving assistance on where and how to access services, in navigating systems in the Alberta Region or gathering information/documentation for the application/submission process to Jordan's Principle, we recommend utilizing the First Nations Health Consortium (FNHC). FNHC is an Alberta Service Coordination agency, linking First Nation families to service providers, individuals requiring resources, and navigating/coordinating services for First Nation children and families.

## You can reach FNHC at:

• Toll Free #: 1-844-558-8748

• General Email: <a href="mailto:nochild4gotten@abfnhc.com">nochild4gotten@abfnhc.com</a>

Evacuees who would like to submit a Jordan's Principle request should submit the request to the region where the child normally resides (i.e. Northern Region).

**Contact information Northern Region:** 

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