

IMPLEMENTATION OF A WIRELESS INTERNET (WI-FI) ACCESS SERVICE FOR USERS AND STAFF OF THE CISSS DE LA CÔTE-NORD

Baie-Comeau, April 26th, 2019 – The Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux (CISSS) de la Côte-Nord is pleased to offer a new free wireless Internet (Wi-Fi) access service in its facilities from April 29th.

This new service will improve the experience of users, visitors and staff, and it corresponds to the values of the person-centered approach adopted by the CISSS de la Côte-Nord. From now on, you will be able to browse the Internet throughout the whole territory by choosing the Wi-Fi network “**CISSS-Public**”.

Note that the Internet signal may vary depending on where the person is in the facility. Moreover, certain website may not be accessible, notably those with potentially offensive, pornographic or hateful content, or content inciting violence.

Services on the Lower North Shore

The service will also be offered in the different facilities of the Lower North Shore. However, given the current limitations of the high-speed Internet, users will not be able to watch videos or movies, for example. As soon as the technology is available, the CISSS will make sure to optimize the service offered.

While using the technology infrastructures already in place in the different buildings, this project also required an additional investment of \$12 000, which also allows improving the Internet access to carry out the establishment’s clinical and administrative activities.

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