

BEGINNING OF NEW AIR TRANSPORTATION SERVICE ON THE LOWER NORTH SHORE

Blanc-Sablon, November 1st, 2019 – Starting November 1st, 2019, air transportation for all the users, personnel and cargo of the Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux (CISSS) de la Côte-Nord will be provided by Skyjet/Air Liaison and Héli-Express.

From now on, the transportation of users requiring health care that is not available in their area will be scheduled through these two carriers. Users wishing to use another means of transportation than the one appointed by the CISSS de la Côte-Nord, will need to make their own arrangements and assume the costs. Once their trip is completed, they can submit a claim for reimbursement to the CISSS de la Côte-Nord which will process it according to the provisions contained in the User transportation policy in effect at the time of their travel.

It is possible to organize travel arrangements by calling the Transportation department at 1-800-463-4962 or 418-461-2749.

Secondary network

A helicopter from Héli-Express will be used to transport CISSS employees and users from Tête-à-la-Baleine and La Tabatière. The helicopter will fly them to an airport part of the main network, namely Chevery or Saint-Augustin, in order to take a Skyjet/Air Liaison airplane.

A helicopter will be available at the following locations:

La Tabatière: Airport
Tête-à-la-Baleine : Heliport of the CLSC
Chevery: Airport
Saint-Augustin: Airport

Service available to the population

This new air transportation service is also available 6 days a week to the entire Lower North Shore population. Schedules and prices are available on the website: www.airliaison.ca. It is possible to reserve directly on the company website or to call at 1-888-589-8972 (List of service points is appended).

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ANNEX

Air Liaison service locations

City	Phone number	e-mail
Baie-Comeau	418-872-0999	comptoiryqb@airliaison.ca
Blanc-Sablon	418-461-2929	comptoirybx@airliaison.ca
Chevery	418-787-0119	comptoiryhr@airliaison.ca
Havre-Saint-Pierre	418-538-1359	comptoiryqv@airliaison.ca
La Romaine	418-229-2929	comptoirctt5@airliaison.ca
Natashquan	581-982-4906	comptoiryna@airliaison.ca
Québec	418-872-0999	comptoiryqb@airliaison.ca
Saint-Augustin	418-947-2929	comptoiryif@airliaison.ca
Sept-Îles	418-993-5476	comptoiryzv@airliaison.ca
Service à la clientèle	1-888-589-8972	info@airliaison.ca