

## Press release

## PREVENTIVE DENTAL CARE OFFERED ON THE LOWER NORTH SHORE

**Baie-Comeau, September 25, 2023** – As part of a one-year pilot project starting on October 1<sup>st</sup>, the Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux (CISSS) de la Côte-Nord will offer preventive dental services provided by a dental hygienist in four villages of the Lower North Shore.

These preventive dental services will be provided by a dental hygienist in Chevery, Harrington Harbour, Gros-Mécatina (La Tabatière) and Saint-Augustin, autonomously, without the dentist. Services must be paid during the appointment.

Users will still need to make an appointment for a dental examination with a dentist once a year. The visit of a dentist in municipalities of the Lower North Shore is still planned for several weeks per year.

To make an appointment with the dental hygienist or dentist, contact your local CLSC.

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