

Chi-Miigwetch for your interest in volunteering with our Agency!

Volunteers strengthen the layers of support that ensure children, youth and families are surrounded by family, extended family, community, clan, and Nation to support healthy lifestyles and positive outcomes.



Volunteer drivers graciously provide their time and participate in a network dedicated to cultivating community wellness. Volunteer drivers directly impact the lives and well-being of those around them. Volunteers aid our Agency capacity, by building community resources, leading to more time for workers to focus on serving families directly.

Our Agency honours and values the contributions of all volunteers.

We provide the necessary training, guidance, and resources to facilitate support for our families.

Let's keep our children  
in our communities!



## Niijaansinaanik Child and Family Services

**Volunteer Drive Program**  
**Toll-Free: 1-855-223-5558**

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Who We Serve:  
Henvey Inlet, Dokis,  
Magnetawan, Shawanaga,  
Wasauksing, and Wahnapiatae.  
\*Indigenous and Inuit children,  
youth and families in the  
Nipissing and Parry Sound  
Districts.

Niijaansinaanik Child and Family Services are members of the Association of Native Child and Family Services Agencies of Ontario (ANCFSAO) and the Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies of Ontario (OACAS).

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**Niijaansinaanik**  
OUR CHILDREN



**Desininjiini**  
*Lending a Helping Hand*

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Our Volunteer Drive Program enriches the lives of children, youth, and families participating in our services through means of connection via transportation or familial support within a culturally relevant framework.

Volunteers are provided with age/weight-appropriate child car seat(s) according to Ontario's Highway Traffic Act, CPR/First Aid training, orientation, and resources.

Volunteer drivers are reimbursed for costs associated with obtaining the required documentation to participate in the program.



## Responsibilities & Requirements

Volunteer drivers provide transportation, using their own vehicle, for children, youth, and/or families requiring to attend appointments of activities.

*\*Reimbursed for mileage.*

Documents required for Volunteer Applications:

- Completed Application Form
- Vulnerable Sector / CPIC. Background Check.
- Two pieces of government-issued ID.
- Legally Certified Vehicle and Insurance.
- 3 Years Driver's Abstract.
- Application form with 2 personal references, and any other applicable information.

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## Volunteer Services Coordinator



Our Volunteer Services Coordinator is happy to accommodate your availability and frequency of trips.

- Works collaboratively with the volunteers and Support Services Department primarily to facilitate the transportation of children, youth, and/or families through the Volunteer Drive Program.
- Provides education and awareness on the Volunteer Drive Program and procedures.
- Coordinates and ensures all documentation is complete for the implementation of volunteer drivers.
- Develops content to assist in the support of our volunteer drivers.

## How Do I Apply?

Find or request the application form and Frequently Asked Questions from our Volunteer Services Coordinator, or find the form and information on our website Volunteer page.

The Rights of Anishinaabe Children and Youth are inherent and forever in all care practices.

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