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## Two management officers of the Nunavik health sector in Kuujjuaq have completed the Inuit Management Training

**Kuujjuaq, June 10, 2021** - School just finished not only for *Nunavimmiut* children but also for those who undertook continuing professional education. That is the case of two management officers of the Nunavik health sector who were enrolled in the Undergraduate Certificate Program in Health and Social Services Management. This certificate, delivered by McGill University, is commonly known as the Inuit Management Training Program.

A few weeks ago, Kitty Gordon, assistant to the director of Public Health at the NRBHSS, and Larry Watt, Executive Director of the Tulattavik Health Centre, successfully completed the Inuit Management Training Program.

The graduation ceremony organized by McGill University was held in the afternoon of June 10, 2021.

"This training program benefits not only those who undertake it but the entire community as well. It is heartwarming to see the hard work and motivation of Kitty and Larry in completing this program. I am very proud. The Nunavik health sector can only improve because of this," stated Minnie Grey, Executive Director of the NRBHSS, who proudly expressed her congratulations to the two new graduates during the ceremony.

For many years now, the organizations of Nunavik have had an agreement with McGill to deliver the Undergraduate Certificate in Health and Social Services Management, a university-level diploma. The program is designed for Inuit managers and decision makers working in the Nunavik health and social services sector.

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## Undergraduate Certificate in Health and Social Services Management (Inuit Management Training):

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