

## New Residential Lead Sampling Program

As per new guidelines from the Province of Manitoba, the Town of Niverville is implementing a Residential Lead Sampling Program for residents connected to the municipal water system.

Lead is not naturally found in Manitoba source waters, nor is it found in water entering Niverville's distribution system. However, lead can be introduced into drinking water through the corrosion of lead-bearing materials in service lines to homes and other buildings and in plumbing systems and fixtures.

Lead sampling is a quick and easy process that takes 15 minutes, once a year. Once you sign up, a town employee from our utilities department will contact you to arrange a date and time if necessary for sampling to occur. On that date, a town employee will arrive to take a 1L sample of water from your kitchen tap. Once the sample is taken, the Town will send it to a third-party laboratory for testing. Once results have been received, the Town will share the results with the homeowner within 30 days. If the sample has elevated lead levels, a follow-up test and resample will be required.

While the Town of Niverville encourages all residents connected to municipal water to apply for this program, residents will be contacted based on sampling needs. There is no cost to this program, and sampling is only available to residents connected to the municipal water system.

If you are interested in signing up for this program, scan the QR code or visit [whereyoubelong.ca/town-services/financial-services/utilities/](http://whereyoubelong.ca/town-services/financial-services/utilities/)



## Please Remove Collection Bins Promptly!

The Town of Niverville would like to remind all residents to promptly remove their waste and recycling collection bins by **11:59 PM on collection day**. By doing this, you can help ensure that clearing snow from streets can be done in an efficient manner. It also ensures that your collection bins will not be damaged in the process of snow clearing.

If a bin is damaged due to it not being removed promptly, it would unfortunately be the responsibility of the bin owner to have it replaced.



## Same Day Saturdays Schedule

The Open Health Niverville Same Day Saturday schedule for January 2025 to March 2025 is now available:

- Jan. 25th: Open
- Feb. 1st: Open
- Feb. 8th: Open
- Feb. 15th: **Closed**
- Feb. 22nd: Open
- Mar. 1st: Open
- Mar. 8th: Open
- Mar. 15th: Open
- Mar. 22nd: Open
- Mar. 29th: Open

*Open Health Niverville will be closed for the Louis Riel Day weekend from Feb. 15th to Feb. 17th. We will be open for regular hours on Feb. 18th.*

Open Health Niverville has extended hours on Saturdays for same-day appointments, from **9:00 AM to 12:30 PM**. Same-day appointments are available to both patients and non-patients of the clinic, by appointment only, on a limited basis, and based on provider availability. Availability may vary due to unforeseen circumstances.

You can see a same-day provider for things like minor illnesses, minor injuries, rashes, infections, suture removal, prescriptions, vaccinations, mental health, or preventative care.

Availability for same-day appointments **opens at 9:00 AM the day of**. Please be aware that appointments fill up quickly, and Open Health Niverville may not be able to provide you with a same-day appointment.

To make an appointment, please call **(204) 388-6626**.



## Stay Active and Enjoy Winter with the Niverville Rec Leisure Guide!

Have you checked out our 2025 Winter Leisure Guide? Published each season, our Leisure Guide outlines the classes, programs and events hosted by Niverville Recreation for all ages and interests, including:

- Adult Drop In Sports
- Free Parent - Tot Programs
- MMA Programs
- Spring Break Youth Camps
- Pickleball
- *And more!*

*Check out what's happening on the courts, in the kitchen, on the ice and more from January-March today! Scan the QR Code to view it online, or grab your copy at the Niverville CRRC- located at 501 Centre Street.*



## Notice an Icy or Snowy Street?

Have you noticed an icy or snowy street? Send an email to [snowclearing@whereyoubelong.ca](mailto:snowclearing@whereyoubelong.ca) to let us know about it!

Please be aware that the intention of this email address is to keep our Operations department updated on streets that may need clearing or sanding. This email address does not respond to emails it receives.

If you have a question, comment or concern that you would like a reply to, please email [feedback@whereyoubelong.ca](mailto:feedback@whereyoubelong.ca).

## Job Opportunities with the Town of Niverville!



Are you interested in working in your community? The Town of Niverville currently has job opportunities open across multiple departments, such as a medical receptionist with Open Health Niverville, or maintenance staff with Niverville Rec.

Scan the QR code to the left to apply today, or visit [www.whereyoubelong.ca/living-here/employment/](http://www.whereyoubelong.ca/living-here/employment/)