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KBIC RESPONSE TO COVID-19

The Keweenaw Bay Indian Community is closely monitoring the COVID-19 virus situation and is taking the proper steps to protect the health and safety of our Community members, customers and employees. The Tribe received notice that all K-12 school buildings are ordered to be closed from Monday, March 16 to Sunday, April 5, 2020, in order to slow the spread of COVID-19.

The Tribe may experience a reduction of staff. However, every attempt will be made to maintain overall services. KBIC Health Systems will remain open for seeing patients and dispensing medication. Normal business hours will be maintained. If you are experiencing symptoms, please call ahead prior to going to the clinic.

The best thing to do is to educate yourself about the virus. A good source of up to date information is the Center for Disease Control website at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/index.html> to view frequently asked questions and responses.

Home delivery of senior meals will continue. Congregate meals will be available for pick up at the Ojibwa Seniors beginning Monday, March 16.

The Tribe will update the Community as changes occur.

LAKE SUPERIOR BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

"Home of the Midnight Two-Step Championship"