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Six Nations Health Services, Social Services and Community Organizations Working Together to Support the Community of Six Nations

(Ohsweken, ON) Today, following recent losses on Six Nations of the Grand River Territory, Six Nations Health and Social Services came together to discuss how the community’s departments, programs, services and organizations can collaborate to provide the support needed to the community of Six Nations at this time.

Committed to the health, well-being and safety of each and every individual on the Territory, all community members in need are encouraged to access the around-the-clock services being provided. These services include, but are not limited to counselling, outreach, shelter, mental health services, and crisis support:

- Six Nations 24/7 Crisis Line – 15 Sunrise Court (519) 445-2204 or 1-866-445-2204
- Six Nations Social Services Walk-In Support from 8:30am-4:30pm Monday through Friday – 15 Sunrise Court (519) 445-0408
- Six Nations Mental Health Walk-In Support from 8:30am-4:30pm Monday through Friday – 1745 Chiefswood Road (519) 445-2143
- New Directions Group Grief Recovery Counselling – 1769 Chiefswood Road (519) 445-2947
- Ganohkwarsa Family and Assault Support Services, 24/7 services available with additional staff on hand at this time – 1781 Chiefswood Road (519) 445-4324
- Qualia Counselling Services – 40 Cao Lane (226) 792-8433 call or text

Drop In Services will be provided at the White Pines Wellness Adult Day Centre (1745 Chiefswood Road) on the following days:

- Wednesday, June 28 from 6pm-9pm
- Friday, June 30 from 6pm-9pm

You can also register for the upcoming Grief Recovery Group running July 12 to September 13 from 6:30pm-8:30pm by contacting New Directions Group at (519) 445-2947.

Nia:weh to Six Nations’ Police, Paramedics, and Fire and Emergency Services for the invaluable services they have and continue to provide.

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Six Nations of the Grand River is the most populated First Nation in Canada, with more than 26,000 members. Located in Southwestern Ontario, between Brantford, Caledonia, and Hagersville, it is the only First Nation in North America wherein all six Haudenosaunee nations – Mohawk, Oneida, Cayuga, Seneca, Onondaga and Tuscarora – live together. Six Nations Elected Council is committed to building a strong, prosperous and healthy community through key investments in community priorities, including infrastructure, education, health, culture and land rights. Follow Six Nations Elected Council on Facebook or Twitter @SixNationsEC