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NEW BRUNSWICK INDIGENOUS CAREER COLLEGE INDIGENOUS SOCIAL SERVICES COMMUNITY WORKER YEAR PLAN (TENTATIVE)

SEPTEMBER 2026 – JUNE 2028

YEAR 1

Semester 1

- September 14 – 17, 2026 **101 Relating to Self**
- September 21 – 24 **102 Relating to Others**
- September 28 – October 1 **103 Inclusive Interpersonal Communication**
- October 5 – 15 **104 Methods of Observing and Recording in Social Sciences**
- October 19 – 22 **105 Professional Communications**
- October 26 – November 5 **106 Counselling Theory and Practices**
- November 9 – 12 **107 Critical Comprehension and Writing**
- November 16 – 19 **108 Indigenous Trends and Issues in Social and Human Services**
- November 23 – 26 **109 Indigenous Health and Wellness in the Social Services Field**
- November 30 – December 10 **110 Counselling Skills**

December 14, 2026 – January 1, 2027 – CHRISTMAS BREAK

Semester 2

- January 4 – 14, 2027 **111 Group Counselling: Theory and Practice**
- January 18 – 28 **112 Lifespan Development**
- February 1 – 4 **113 Indigenous History and Culture in Social Services**
- February 8 – 11 **114 Indigenous Family Dynamics and Supports in Social Services**
- February 15 – 18 **115 Introduction to Psychology**
- February 22 – 25 **116 Professional Practice and Ethics in Social Work**

March 1 – 5, 2027 – MARCH BREAK

- March 8 – 11 **117 Research and Methods in Social Services**
- March 15 – 18 **118 Orientation to Indigenous, Social and Human Services**
- March 22 – April 29 **119 Field Placement: Indigenous Social Services Community Worker**
- May 3 – 6 **120 Crisis Intervention and Trauma Support Exploration**
- May 10 – 13 **121 Field Placement Overview: Indigenous Social Services Community Worker**
- May 17 – 20 **122 Agency Administration and Fundraising in Indigenous Communities**
- May 24 – June 17 **123 Indigenous Social Services Community Worker Project Practicum**

YEAR 2

Semester 3

- September 13 – 16, 2027 **124 Case Management and Advocacy in Indigenous Community Settings**
- September 20 – 23 **125 Indigenous Community Development**
- September 27 – October 22 **126 Field Placement: Building a Pond (Foundational Knowledge)**
- October 25 – 28 **127 Legislation in Social Services of New Brunswick, Canada**
- November 1 – 4 **128 Special Topics in Indigenous Social Services: New Brunswick, Canada**
- November 8 – 11 **129 Orientation to Community Services**
- November 15 – 18 **130 Principles and Behaviours of Intervention**
- November 22 – 25 **131 Workplace Safety for Social Workers**
- November 29 – December 2 **132 Introduction to Sociology**
- December 6 – 16 **133 Canadian Democracy and Indigenous Peoples: A Socio-Political Exploration**

December 20, 2027 – January 7, 2028 – CHRISTMAS BREAK

Semester 4

Continuation of Required Field Placement Hours

- January 10 – February 23, 2028 **119 Field Placement: Indigenous Social Services Community Worker**

March 6 – 10, 2028 – MARCH BREAK

Students completing field placements may be required to continue attending placement during this period to meet the required practicum hours.

- March 13 – April 20 **123 Indigenous Social Services Community Worker Project Practicum**
- April 24 – June 16 **126 Field Placement: Building a Pond (Foundational Knowledge)**

PROGRAM ENHANCEMENT NOTE

Effective September 2026, the Indigenous Social Services Community Worker Diploma will be delivered over two academic years. The approved curriculum, course numbers, course titles, learning outcomes, and academic content remain unchanged. The program extension has been achieved by increasing the required supervised field placement hours associated with existing Courses 119, 123, and 126. No new courses have been added to the curriculum. This enhancement provides students with additional supervised practical experience, allowing greater integration of classroom learning with professional practice while strengthening workforce readiness upon graduation.