



Background

To successfully gain access to safe and satisfying employment certain basic skills are required. In the absence of these basic skills the potential for long term success is compromised.

Colonization, residential school syndrome and the resulting inter-generational effects including homelessness, mental health and addiction issues have prevented too many of our people the opportunity to develop these basis skills.

Service

Apaenmowinneen is a six month program. During their journey here participants will revisit the southern direction where they will be provided with every opportunity to develop these basis skills thus positioning them to succeed in the broader urban environment as strong self-confident and self-sufficient Aboriginal men. Offered in a safe and supportive learning environment workshops include:

- communications
- information management
- numeracy
- thinking and problem solving
- personal management
- teamwork
- Aboriginal studies
- traditional activities
- healthy living
- resume and job search skills development

To increase their sense of pride and place as urban Aboriginal men, traditional activities and workshops with Elders and Teachers is an integral component of Apaenmowinneen.

Care Team Members

The Coordinator Client Training is responsible for overseeing the delivery of Apaenmowinneen. As an Aboriginal organization Na-Me-Res strives to meet the physical, mental, spiritual and emotional needs of all clients by providing them access to its multi-disciplinary care team which includes:

- Case Managers
- Traditional Elders and Teachers
- Coordinator Special Needs
- Nurse
- Psychiatrist
- Coordinator Client Training
- Client Care and Client Support Workers
- Oshkabaywis and
- other community services providers as identified.

More Information

This program is available to residents of Sagatay. However, referrals may be accepted. For more information please call the Coordinator Client Training at 416 651-6750 Ext 2232.