

## **PhD-level student sought for CIHR project:**

Illiap Paanganik Qaujisarniq: Tailoring Cervical Cancer Screening Services for Inuit Women of Nunavik

A McGill Research Team is seeking a **PhD-level student** to help conduct a participatory, community-based research study aiming to improve cervical cancer screening access and outcomes for Inuit women in Nunavik, Northern Quebec.

### **Responsibilities**

In collaboration with the research team, the student will participate in all areas of research, including theoretical and methodological dimensions. They will help to develop educational and promotional activities and tools, and implementation of a screening strategy (HPV self-sampling), collect and analyse qualitative and quantitative data, conduct mixed methods analysis, assist with data management and data quality, and participate in preparing reports and manuscripts.

### **Requirements**

This is an excellent opportunity for a PhD-level student in disciplines such as anthropology, nursing, epidemiology, public health, or equivalent, who is looking for a graduate project involving field work in a Northern (Indigenous) environment. Inuk scholar encouraged to apply.

The ideal candidate will:

- Have an MSc or MA in disciplines such as: anthropology, epidemiology, family medicine, nursing, social work, sociology, public health.
- Have experience working with participatory methodologies
- Have experience working with Indigenous communities
- Be bilingual (French and English)
- Have basic research experience (e.g., some experience with qualitative analysis and statistical software).
- Have excellent organizational and interpersonal skills.
- Have the ability to work independently as well as collaboratively
- Have occasional flexibility in schedule – this position will require field work in the North

### **Start date:**

Fall 2019: Full financial support (PhD level) to be provided.

For information, or to submit a CV (with two references), please contact:

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