



# PCMCH Statement Recognizing National Indigenous Peoples Day, 2021

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This National Indigenous Peoples Day, we celebrate and honour the diverse cultures, contributions, accomplishments, unique traditions and voices of First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples, and support their calls for equity in healthcare.

For generations, many Indigenous peoples and communities have celebrated their culture and heritage on or around June 21 because of the significance of the summer solstice; National Indigenous Peoples Day has been recognized nationally for the last 25 years.

This is also a time to reflect upon and recognize that there is still much work to be done to advance the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada's Calls for Action. PCMCH is committed to working with Indigenous colleagues and leaders in fostering an equitable and inclusive healthcare system.

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