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## Situation Report Week of Sept. 1 – Sept. 7

To: Nooksack Tribe Community Members

From: Nooksack Pandemic Response Team, Tribal Government & Emergency Management

Subject: Situational Report

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## Nooksack Tribe's Notable COVID-19 Response Accomplishments Sept. 1- Sept. 7

- Nooksack Tribal Council approves participation in COVID vaccine trial for willing Nooksack Tribal members, recommended by Health Officer Dr. Frank James. A temporary vaccine outreach coordinator and additional physician will be hired to help facilitate the program. More information to come regarding Nooksack participation.
- 10% of Nooksack Northwood Casino employees begin testing with the Clinic. Testing will continue with 10% of employees each week to test all 104 employees.
- NPRT discusses current government hours of operation. Many families with children are juggling the start of virtual school, childcare, and work, during unusual COVID times.
- Nooksack to work with Washington State Department of Health on a localized COVID media campaign with Tribal members.