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## **Call for Presentations**

Do you feel you have something to share with at the Nokiiwin Education Gathering 2020? Please fill out a *Presentation Proposal Form* by **4:00 pm on May 15, 2020** for consideration.

## Please note

We are offering payment to our presenters, except in the case where they are already being compensated by another organization. The amount of compensation will vary based on individual circumstances.

This is an **online gathering**. You will be asked to present over Zoom or a similar video conferencing service. Nokiiwin staff will help you with technical issues.

The theme of the gathering is **Trauma-Informed Education**. We want to make sure students of all ages who have experienced trauma are having their needs met in our education system. Presentations that relate closely to this theme will be given priority.

We want to support our people in our communities. If you are a member of one of the five Nokiiwin communities or have worked closely with our communities in the past, your presentation proposal will be given priority.

We are expecting a wide variety of participants in this gathering, including teachers, education assistants, education directors, and others involved in education. We want to ensure that the presentations offer something for each group.

Nokiiwin believes that education is a lifelong journey. Presentations can focus on education for people of any age.

Nokiiwin places a high priority on the restoration of Anishinaabe language and culture. We believe this to be a crucial part of healing and moving forward. Priority will be given to presentations given from an Indigenous, and particularly Anishinaabe, perspective.

A package of materials will be mailed out to participants. It will be possible to send papers, books, and other objects so that participants have access to them during your presentation.

You have a choice between a 1-hour session or a 3-hour session. Sessions will be scheduled between 9 am and 4 pm, June 23 – 26.

Please contact Scott Baker at learning@nokiiwin.com or 807-629-9362 if you have any questions.