# Launch of the Alberta Health Services Nutrition Check-Up for Older Adults June 10, 2025 10:00-11:30am MDT

This session will introduce a new online nutrition screening tool the Nutrition Check-Up for Older Adults. Many older Albertans are at risk of poor nutrition, which can lead to frailty, falls, and other health issues. The Nutrition Check-Up takes just a few minutes and asks about common changes in appetite, weight, swallowing, and meal habits. The Nutrition Check-Up also provides a personalized report with practical tips and resources.



Target Audience: Care providers who work with older adults in health care or community programs in First Nation communities

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### Learning Outcomes:

- Understand why routine nutrition screening is important for older adults
- Learn what is included in the Nutrition Check-Up and how care providers and older adults can access it
- Explore and discuss resources available to support older adults' nutrition
- Brainstorm how the Nutrition Check-Up could be shared and used in First Nation communities.

## Speakers:

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Kathleen Gibson, Community Nutrition Advisor, First Nations and Inuit Health Branch, Alberta Region, Indigenous Services Canada





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