

# Overview of CIHI and the Home Care Program

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This introductory session provides an overview of the Canadian Institute for Health Information (CIHI), its mandate, and its work in supporting and protecting Indigenous health data. Participants will learn about the interRAI partnership, Home Care (HC) and Contact Assessment (CA) tools, and how data flows through the Integrated interRAI Reporting System (IRRS). This session establishes the foundation for understanding how home care data is collected, protected, and used.



## Learning Outcomes:

- CIHI's role, mandate, and the work of the Indigenous Health Branch
- The IRRS systems and the interRAI assessment tools used in Home Care and Contact Assessment
- How standardized assessment tools support community-driven home care services

## Speakers:

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Target Audience: Nurses, nurse managers, case managers, home care program managers, health directors, and anyone engaged in home care assessment or reporting

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