

## About Us

Community Paramedicine is a new field of pre-hospital care that is funded by the Northwestern Local Health Integration Network (LHIN). The community paramedics are certified by base hospital and work for the City and District of Thunder Bay's municipal emergency service provider the Superior North EMS.



## Current Areas We Service

City of Thunder Bay

Upsala

Marathon

Terrace Bay

Geraldton

Longlac

Schreiber

Nakina

Manitouwadge

## Call Us!

**(807) 625-4617**

**or**

**(807) 625-4609**



Home Visits



Wellness Clinics



ER Admission Avoidance Program



Telehomecare Support



Referrals



105 Junot Ave South  
Thunder Bay ON

# Community Paramedicine



Bringing

## Patient Care

To Your Home & Community

Superior North Emergency  
Medical Services

## Expanding

# The Role of EMS In Our Community

## What is Community Paramedicine?

We provide home visits and wellness clinics for individuals in the City and District of Thunder Bay with complex medical conditions who often need to call 911 for assistance. We visit patients who have been recently discharged by hospitals and help them with their transition back into independent living. We assist clients with their telehomecare equipment and show them how it use it. The overall goal of our program is to keep people living independing in their home longer and safer.



## How Does it Work?

Once you have been referred to our program, the Community Paramedic will call you to set up an intake appointment. We will meet you in your home and complete a brief physical assessment. This includes listening to your lungs, checking your blood pressure, blood sugar and weight. We may identify health factors and/or hazards in your home that may place you at risk for falls. Any issues we encounter during our visit, we obtain your consent to refer you to either your primary care provider (Family Dr, Nurse practitioner) or Community Support Services (Home and Community Care). We work closely with our Primary and Community care providers to ensure your needs are met to live safely and healthier at home longer.



## Is There a Fee?

No. This program is paid for by the NW LHIN and provided by Superior North EMS.

## What Happens to My Personal Information?

Your privacy is important and only shared with other health care agencies with your consent.

## What is Chronic Disease Management?

Self chronic disease management can lead to better management of symptoms, improvements in quality of life and decreased healthcare costs. We will educate you on your specific condition, how to recognize early signs or symptoms when you may be getting worse, provide heathly living habits and referrals to various chronic disease management programs offered by our partners.

The right care.

At the right time.

To the right people