



# Jordan's Principle Summit

SHARING, LEARNING, AND GROWING:  
IMAGINING THE FUTURE  
OF JORDAN'S PRINCIPLE



**September 12-13, 2018**

RBC Convention Centre, 375 York Avenue  
Winnipeg, MB

The Jordan's Principle Summit is an opportunity for First Nations to come together to: honour the legacy of Jordan's Principle; share lessons learned and promising practices for the implementation of Jordan's Principle to date; and to discuss the shared priorities and future vision of Jordan's Principle.

## ***Who Should Attend?***

- First Nations Leadership and Community Members
- Health, Social, and Education Practitioners, Service Providers, and Innovators
- First Nations Service Coordinators, Health Directors, and Technicians

## ***Avoid The Registration Line Up!***

Register and check in for the Summit at the RBC Convention Centre, located at 375 York Avenue in Winnipeg, Manitoba on Tuesday, September 11, 2018 between 4:00pm and 8:00pm to be eligible for a great prize!

## ***What is Jordan's Principle?***

Jordan's Principle is a child-first principle named in memory of Jordan River Anderson, a First Nations child from Norway House Cree Nation in Manitoba. Born with complex medical needs, Jordan spent more than two years unnecessarily in hospital while the Province of Manitoba and the federal government argued over who should pay for his at-home care. Jordan died in the hospital at the age of five years old, never having spent a day in his family home.

Jordan's Principle aims to make sure First Nations children have access to all public services in a way that is reflective of their distinct cultural needs, that takes full account of the historical disadvantage linked to colonization, and that ensures they do not experience any service denials, delays or disruptions because they are First Nations.

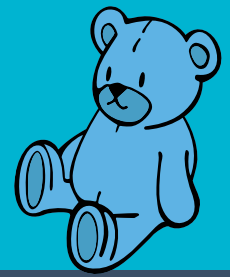
Please watch for updates at [www.afn.ca](http://www.afn.ca)

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## Summit Overview

The Assembly of First Nations (AFN) Jordan's Principle Summit will provide an opportunity for delegates to hear how Jordan's Principle is being implemented across the country and to discuss the future vision of Jordan's Principle. This will be an opportunity to share personal experiences, learn from practitioners and policy makers, and grow together to ensure that Jordan's Principle meets the needs of all First Nations children and families, both now and in the future.

There will be a keynote addresses from Dr. Cindy Blackstock, Executive Director of the First Nations Child and Family Caring Society of Canada, and Carol Hopkins, Executive Director of the Thunderbird Partnership Foundation.

There will also be panel discussions, paired with interactive and interesting workshops where participants can both learn about Jordan's Principle and share their own experiences.

### Summit topics will include:

- Information on how to access Jordan's Principle;
- Innovative practices from across the country on the implementation to date of Jordan's Principle;
- The integral role of local Service Coordinators;
- Mental health and wellness;
- Family perspectives on Jordan's Principle; and
- Discussing the long-term vision for Jordan's Principle.

### Tuesday, September 11, 2018

- **4:00PM - 8:00PM**

*Summit Registration open  
at RBC Convention Centre*

- **5:00PM - 7:00PM**

*Welcome Reception*

### Wednesday, September 12, 2018

- **7:30AM - 4:00PM**

*Summit Registration opens*

- **9:00AM - 5:00PM**

*Plenaries, Panel Discussions  
and Breakout Sessions*

- **7:00PM - 9:00PM**

*Special Social Event*

### Thursday, September 13, 2018

- **8:00AM - 12:00PM**

*Summit Registration*

- **9:00AM - 4:30PM**

*Plenaries, Panel Discussions  
and Breakout Sessions*

## Date and Location

The AFN will host the Jordan's Principle Summit on September 12-13, 2018, at the RBC Convention Centre, 375 York Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3C 3J3.

## Travel to Winnipeg

There are a number of small discounts that can be accessed on Air Canada and Westjet Airlines. For the applicable codes, please see below. If you have any questions, please send an email our Summit email address at [jordansprinciplesummit@afn.ca](mailto:jordansprinciplesummit@afn.ca).



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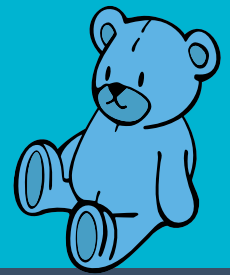
Coupon Code: **G55AF80**

Promo Code (Travel Agents Only): **WAA17**



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## Hotel Accommodations



### 1. Alt Hotel Winnipeg

310 Donald Street  
Winnipeg, MB  
R3B 2H3

Room Rate: \$144/night (one queen bed) and \$164/night (two queen beds)

To reserve a room at the Alt Hotel Winnipeg, there are three options:

- Option 1: Through the hotel's website (<http://www.althotels.com/winnipeg>), using the following link:  
<https://reservations.travelclick.com/97435?groupID=2291788#/guestsandrooms>
- Option 2: Through the hotel's website, using the Group's Block Code: **1809AFN**.
- Option 3: Directly through the hotel (1-844-946-6258), mentioning the Group Name / Block ID:  
**National Indian Brotherhood/AFN - 5588294.**



### 2. Radisson Hotel Winnipeg Downtown

288 Portage Avenue  
Winnipeg, MB  
R3C 0B8

Room Rate: \$139/night

To reserve a room at the Radisson Hotel Winnipeg Downtown, please call the Radisson reservations at toll free at 1-800-333-3333, mentioned the Summit code: **Jordan's Principle Summit**.

You can also book through the Radisson Hotel website using the following link:

[https://www.radisson.com/reservation/itineraryEntrance.do?hotelCode=MBWIN-NIP&promotionalCode=JORDAN&startDate=to-day&startDateOffsetDays=1&numberNights=1&rateSortFilter=\(sort\(availableRates\)\)](https://www.radisson.com/reservation/itineraryEntrance.do?hotelCode=MBWIN-NIP&promotionalCode=JORDAN&startDate=to-day&startDateOffsetDays=1&numberNights=1&rateSortFilter=(sort(availableRates)))

**DEADLINE:**  
**Room rate available only until**  
**August 28, 2018**

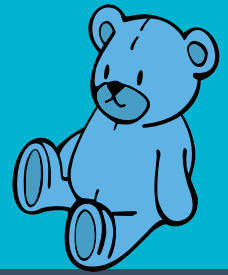
## Corporate Sponsorship Opportunities

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## DELEGATE REGISTRATION FORM

**There is no registration fee for this Summit**

Please note that online registration is also available on the AFN website ([www.afn.ca](http://www.afn.ca))

### CONTACT INFORMATION *(Please print)*

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

First Nation/Organization/Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Town/City: \_\_\_\_\_

Province/Territory: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

### ALLERGIES

Note that two breakfasts and two lunches will be provided during the Summit; please indicate any allergies.

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### ACCESS FOR PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

The summit venue is accessible for people using mobility devices and all handout materials will be available in accessible electronic format on request. If you have any other accessibility requirements in order to participate fully in the Jordan's Principle Summit (ex. blind or vision impaired, deaf or hearing impaired, mobility and manual dexterity difficulties), please let us know on this form.

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The completed registration forms should be submitted to the attention of Tash Cote, Registration Coordinator, Jordan's Principle Summit, Assembly of First Nations, 55 Metcalfe Street, 16th Floor, Ottawa, ON, K1P 6L5 or by fax to (613) 241-5808 or email to [tcote@afn.ca](mailto:tcote@afn.ca), Registration Coordinator.