

# 52 NTHSSA Improvements in 52 Weeks

For the next 52 weeks, the NTHSSA will be celebrating one improvement each week! These weekly reports are one way we're working to recognize some of the staff-led initiatives, that are making a real difference across the organization for both staff and clients. It's all part of our commitment to being responsive, showcase innovation, and demonstrate progress we're proud to be making together.

## Week 37 of 52 (Week of March 9, 2026): Diagnostic Imaging, IRH

**Change Driver:** Diagnostic Imaging staff at Inuvik Regional Hospital identified that the filing and workspace system for imaging requisitions had become cluttered and inconsistent, with ultrasound and mammography requests stored in multiple locations. This made it difficult to efficiently locate, track, and prioritize patient requests.

**Link to System Vision:** This supports 'Better Future' by supporting operational efficiency.

**Improvement Initiative:** To support the change driver, DI staff reorganized the workspace and implemented a chronological filing system for requisitions. Mammography and ultrasound materials were consolidated into their respective booking areas, creating a standardized workflow that improves visibility and tracking of requests, reduces time spent searching for requisitions, and supports more efficient patient booking.



This staff-led initiative, which involved improving organization and workflow, will support faster booking, clearer team communication, and reduced delays for patients awaiting imaging appointments.