

HOW CAN THERE BE MORE SUPPORT IN THE NORTH IN PARTICULAR NUNAVIK'S HEALTHCARE IN REMOTE LOCATIONS? WESTERN CIVILIZATION DOESN'T UNDERSTAND THE STRUGGLES OF NORTHERN LIVING! HEALTHCARE IN THE NORTH CAN BE MORE CLOSELY RELATED TO HELATHCARE IN SPACE RATHER THAN THE SOUTH!



WHAT EXACTLY IS IT THAT WE ARE REASSEMBLING? WHY DO WE NEED TO REASSEMBLE THIS PLACE? WHAT PARTS ARE BROKEN WITHIN THESE COMMUNITIES? WHAT ARE THE POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS WITH FOREIGNERS INVITING THEMSELVES IN, TO SOLVE ISSUES FOR THESE COMMUNITIES WITHOUT KNOWING THE LAND AND THEIR CULTURE? WE UNDERSTAND LITTLE ABOUT THEM. WE KNOW NO ONE FROM THE COMMUNITY AND SOMEHOW IN THREE DAYS WE ARE TO CREATE A CONCEPT AND A DESIGN, WHICH IS A MORE IMPROVED VERSION OF THE OUTBUILDINGS THAT THESE INDIVIDUALS HAVE SPENT THEIR LIVES RECONSTRUCTING AND REBUILDING ALREADY? WHAT KNOWLEDGE CAN WE SHARE WITH THEM THAT THEY MAY NOT KNOW ALREADY? HOW CAN WE AS YOUNG DESIGNERS HELP SOLVE THESE ISSUES SO QUICKLY ABOUT NUNAVIK'S COMMUNITIES? WE WILL TRULY NEVER UNDERSTAND THESE ISSUES; WE WILL ONLY BE AWARE OF THEM AND BE ABLE TO START A CONVERSATION ABOUT OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH NORTHERN LIFE.

AFTER HAVING A CONVERSATION WITH INDIVIDUALS WHOM HAVE LIVED AMONG PLACES ABOVE THE 55TH PARALLEL, WE EXPLAINED THIS PROJECT TO THEM AND THEY WERE HURT BY THE INTERPRETATION OF THIS COMPETITION. THIS COMPETITION ASSERTS A FAST PAST ENVIRONMENT WHICH IS IN STARK CONTRAST TO THE LIFESTYLES LIVED BY THE PEOPLE IN NUNAVIK AS DISCUSSED WITH ONE CERTAIN INDIVIDUAL. THIS WOMAN EXPRESSED:

"LIFE IS SLOWER. DETERMINED MORE BY WEATHER, HUNTING TRADITIONS AND LET'S WAIT AND SEE ATTITUDES. [SHE] ADOPTED 2 INUIT BOYS AND THEY ARE VERY INTELLIGENT, BUT LIVE DAILY AT A SLOWER PACE. IT'S PART OF THE CULTURE OR 'IN THE BLOOD' SO TO SPEAK. [SHE] USE TO THINK, HER ENVIRONMENT FORMED WHO WE ARE. [HER] BOYS HAVE TAUGHT [HER] THAT THEIR HERITAGE IS VERY STRONG IN HOW [THEY] ACT AND THINK WHICH HELPED FORM THEM."

ACCESSIBLE HEALTHCARE IS ONE OF THE LEADING CONCERNS FOR THE COMMUNITIES OF NUNAVIK. THE ONE DISCERNING FACTOR TO A LACK OF EASILY ACCESSIBLE HEALTHCARE IN THE REMOTE COMMUNITIES IS ITS ISOLATION. ONE COULD COMPARE THE SHIPPING OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES TO AREAS ABOVE THE 55TH PARALLEL TO FLYING THEM INTO SPACE. IN BOTH CASES, SUPPLIES MUST BE PRECISELY INVENTORIED, CALCULATED FOR WEIGHT AND MUST MEET THE DIMENSIONAL REQUIREMENTS TO FIT SECURELY IN THE SHUTTLE OR AIRCRAFT FOR TRANSPORTATION.

THIS MAKES READILY AVAILABLE MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND THE RESTOCK OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES HARD TO COME BY. THIS LEADS US TO THE LACK OF PROVISIONS TO COMBAT BASIC HEALTHCARE ISSUES, HIGH SUICIDE RATES AND HIGH RATES OF ADDICTION. BEFORE WE BEGIN TO HADDVE THE DESIRE TO REASSEMBLE THE NORTH WE NEED TO DECONSTRUCT JUDGMENTAL PERCEPTIONS OF THE NORTH. THE INDIGENOUS PEOPLE OF NUNAVIK HAVE UNIQUE AND REMARKABLE ABILITIES TO TRANSOM THE RESOURCES THAT ARE FOUND INTO FUNCTIONAL AND LIVABLE DWELLINGS. ALTHOUGH THE IMPENDING HOUSING CRISIS THERE, WE SHOULD BE STRIVING TO LEARN FROM THEM IN HARMONY TO GAIN AN UNDERSTANDING AND HELP FURTHER THE BETTERMENT OF THEIR COMMUNITIES. TO DO SO WE MUST INITIATE THE USE OF SOCIAL NETWORKING TO CONVERSE WITH THE COMMUNITY'S LEADERS AND ELDERS. THE GOAL SHOULD NOT BE TO IMPOSE KNOWLEDGE ONTO THE COMMUNITY , BUT TO BE DIRECTLY INVOLVED WITH THE ELDERS AND THE IMUNICIPALIITES AND SEEK THEIR CONSENT TO SHARE INFORMATION, WHICH WILL BENEFIT ALL PARTIES. A DIALOGUE MUST BE FORMED TO GAIN AWARENESS OF THE BENEFICIAL AND DETRIMENTAL EVENTS IN THEIR LIVES, AND TAKE THE NECESSARY STEP FOR THE IMPROVEMENT TO THEIR HEALTH.

WE WILL FINISH OFF WITH A QUESTION: HOW CAN THERE BE MORE SUPPORT IN THE NORTH, IN PARTICULAR NUNAVIK'S HEALTHCARE IN REMOTE LOCATIONS?



PERCEPTION VS. REALITY. COMMUNITY. HOME. HEALTH. RESPECT AWARENESS. ATTITUDE. JUDGEMENT. HOMELAND. HYPERBOREAL. CONSCIOUSNESS. IGNORANCE. MISREPRESENTATION. HALF-KNOWLEDGE. HUMANITY.SUPPORT. SHARING. AVALANCHE. MEDICINE. UNGAVABAY. NATION. COMMUNICATION. NORTH. HEALTH.