# SAON Task: Circumpolar Health Observatory

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No new materials have been posted on the website, but background research is ongoing, especially in creating new datasets on new indicators such as suicide, mental well-being, and health systems performance. There will likely be a substantial update later in 2014 as the Institute for Circumpolar Health Research in Yellowknife, which hosts CircHOB, has received new funding from the Canadian Institutes of Health Research.

A book *Circumpolar Health Atlas*, substantially based on data in CircHOB, was published by the University of Toronto Press in 2012 [edited by Kue Young, ISBN 9781-4426-4456-4]. It received 2nd prize at the International Cartographic Exhibition in Dresden, August 2013