

Some Anishinaabemowin Terms for Parts of One's Body

From Nichols and Nyholm Dictionary

	Plural	Noun Class	English
(n)indaamikan loc (n)indaamikanaang	-an	nid	my chin; my jaw
(n)inde'	-an	nid	my heart
(n)indenaniw	-an	nid	my tongue
(n)indengway loc (n)indengwaang		nid	my face
(n)indenigom loc (n)indenigomaang	-ag	nad	my nostril
(n)indi(y) also (n)indiyaash loc (n)indiyaang		nid	my rump
(n)indinimaangan loc (n)indinimaanganaang	-an	nid	my shoulder
(n)indiniigan loc (n)indiniiganaang	-ag	nid	my shoulder-blade
(n)indis	-iin	nid	my navel
(n)indoodooshim loc (n)indoodooshimaang	-ag	nad	my breast
(n)indoon	-an	nid	my mouth
(n)indoondan loc (n)indoondanaang	-an	nid	my heel
(n)indooskwan loc (n)indooskwanaang	-an	nid	my elbow
(n)ingidig loc (n)ingidigwaang	-wag	nad	my knee
(n)ingondashkway loc (n)ingondashkwaang		nid	my throat
niibid also niwiibid loc niibidaang	-an	nid	my tooth

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niinindib also niwiinindib loc niinindibaang		nid	my brain
niinizis also: niwiinizis	-an	nid	my (single) hair
niiyaw	-an	nid	my body
niiyaas	-an	nid	my flesh
(n)injaanzh	-an	nid	my nose
(n)injiid also (n)injiidiish		nid	my rectum
nikakwan loc nikakwanaang	-an	nid	my shin
nikan	-an	nid	my bone
nikaad	-an	nid	my leg
nikaakigan loc nikaakiganaang		nid	my chest
nikaatig loc nikaatigwaang	-oon	nid	my forehead
nimaamaa	-yag	nad	my eyebrow (hair)
nimisad loc nimisadaang		nid	my stomach
ninik loc ninikaang	-an	nid	my arm
nininj	-iin	nid	my hand; my fingers
ninow loc ninowaang	-ag	nad	my cheek
nipan	-an	nid	my lung
nipigemag	-oon	nid	my rib
nipikwan loc nipikwanaang	(-an)	nid	my back
nishkanzh	-iig	nad	my (finger-, toe-)nail
nishkiinzhig	-oon	nid	my eye
nishtigwaan	(-an)	nid	my head

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nitawag	-an	nid	my ear
loc nitawagaang			
(n)inzhaga'ay		nid	my skin
loc (n)inzhaga'aang			
(n)inzid	-an	nid	my foot
loc (n)inzidaang			
(n)inzow		nid	my (animal's) tail
loc (n)inzowaang			
gaagijigaade	vai		'have a sore leg'
gaagijinike	vai		'have a sore arm'
gaagijizide	vai		'have a sore foot'
gaagijininjii	vai		'have a sore hand'
mangizide	vai		'have a big foot'
mamaangizide	vai		'have big feet'
mangininjii	vai		'have a big hand'
dewigaade	vai		'have an aching leg'
dewinike	vai		'have an aching arm'
dewininjii	vai		'have an aching hand'
bookonike	vai		'have a broken arm'
bookogaade	vai		'have a broken leg'
bookonikeshin	vai		'fall and break one's arm'
bookogaadeshin	vai		'fall and break one's leg'
mashkawaakwajininjiwaji	vai		'have a frozen hand'
mashkawaakwajizidewaji	vai		'have a frozen foot'