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TRIBAL RESOURCE DIGEST



Welcome to Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) tribal resource digest for the week of December 3, 2018. The purpose of this digest is to help you connect with the tools and resources you may need to do valuable work in your communities. We are adding 2 new programs to this newsletter – Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian County (TPWIC) and Tribal Epidemiology Centers Public Health Infrastructure (TECPHI).

Continue to send us photos, features, requests for information useful to you, and anything related to the grants you'd like to share with the community. The *Digest* serves as your personal guide to repositories of open and free resources where you can find content to enrich your program or your professional growth. Please note that CDC does not endorse any materials or websites not directly linked from the CDC website. Links to non-Federal organizations found in this digest are provided solely as a courtesy. CDC is not responsible for the content of the individual organization web pages found at these links. WELCOME TPWIC and TECPHI!!

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Announcements

National Conference on Tobacco or Health

NCTOH is the premier gathering for tobacco control professionals in the United States, which makes it the ideal forum for sharing resources, tools, emerging ideas, evidence-based research, and success stories that help move tobacco control forward. Abstract due: December 12th. Read more and register [here](#).

Date: August 27-29, 2019

Location: Minneapolis, MN

Albuquerque Area Indian Health Board

Call for abstracts for the 14th Circle of Harmony HIV/AIDS Wellness Conference, *Bridging Generations: Thinking Ahead While Always Being Informed by the Past*. Extended deadline for abstracts is December 5. Learn [more](#). Read more [here](#).

Date: March 26-28, 2018

Location: Albuquerque, NM

Call for Proposals: 14th Annual Tribal Leader/Scholar Forum—2019 NCAI Mid Year Conference

The purpose of the Tribal Leader/Scholar Forum is to provide an opportunity for researchers, practitioners, community members, and others to present research and data findings to tribal leaders, policymakers, and tribal citizens during the NCAI Mid Year Conference. The forum is a space intended to connect research and data with current policy initiatives to ensure decisions are strategic, proactive, and result in the best possible outcomes for tribal communities. Proposals—read more [here](#). [Conference web-site](#)

Proposal Deadline: January 11, 2019

Conference Dates: June 23-26, 2019

Location: Reno, NV

CDC's Undergraduate Public Health Scholars (CUPS)

CDC's Office of Minority Health and Health Equity (OMHHE) supports internship opportunities for qualified undergraduate and graduate students to gain meaningful experiences in public health settings. Whether you are looking for a summer internship or a year-long fellowship, the following programs provide valuable exposure to a wide range of public health opportunities. CDC's Undergraduate Public Health Scholars (CUPS) program consists of six internship opportunities taking place at five partner institutions, creating a public health workplace experience to increase student interest in minority health. For information and deadlines for these programs, click [here](#). See attachments in email.

Webinars

GPTCHB Community Health Webinar Series

Contact Jennifer Williams for details regarding the webinar.

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Funding Opportunities

Udall Foundation, in partnership with the Native Nations Institute for Leadership, Management and Policy: *Native American Congressional Internship*

Provides AI/AN students with the opportunity to gain practical experience with the federal legislative process in order to understand first-hand the government-to-government relationship between tribes and the federal government. Read more [here](#).

Application Deadline: January 31, 2019

The UCLA Public Health Scholars Training Program

Provides undergraduate students the opportunity to address health disparities and explore public health through hands-on training, workshops, and leadership and professional development.

2019 Program Overview:

- 8 week full-time summer training program (June 23 - August 16, 2019) with follow-up activities in the fall
- Internship with a partner organization in Los Angeles
- \$3,000 stipend, housing, some meals, metro pass, transportation to and from the program
- Trip provided to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta, Georgia with Public Health Scholars from other programs across the nation. Read more [here](#).

Application Deadline: January 31, 2019

HHS/SAMHSA: *Tribal Behavioral Health Grant Program*

Eligibility is limited to federally recognized American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) tribes, tribal organizations, urban Indian organizations, or consortia of tribes and tribal organizations. Read more [here](#).

Application Date: January 4, 2019

Health Professions Extern Program

IHS Health Professions Extern Program provides externship opportunities for Indian Health Scholarship recipients, as well as other interested health professions students. Students are assigned to Indian health programs in their chosen health or allied health career categories. Read more [here](#)

Application Deadline: January 31, 2019

Sacramento Native American Health Center Community Meal Event

Sacramento Native American Health Center is a non-profit, Urban Indian Health Center located in Sacramento, CA. SNAHC's commitment is to continue and share the legacy of a healthy American Indian / Alaska Native community based on cultural values delivered through a traditional, innovative and accessible patient-centered health home. In addition to having a full range of services, including primary medicine, optical services, comprehensive dental care, and behavioral health services, SNAHC has Native-specific clinical services and programming. As a recipient of the CDC's "Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country" award, SNAHC's CDC funded programming includes quarterly meals for the Native community in the greater Sacramento area. The meals highlight locally harvested, traditional ingredients with the purpose of teaching participants how to shop for, prepare, and cook ingredients in a healthy way. The goal of each meal is to increase connectedness to Native culture, increase familiarity and use of traditional ingredients within Native families, and promote a healthy lifestyle while reducing and or preventing the prevalence of chronic illnesses.

SNAHC's first quarterly meal was held on October 17th, and there were 30 participants in attendance. Attendees ranged from four to eighty-seven years of age, which are important to our cultural values of inclusivity and multi-generational learning. Nutritional and cultural education was provided by Sage LaPena (Nomtipom Wintu), who is a Clinical Medicinal Herbalist, Ethnobotanist, lecturer, teacher, mother and master gardener. Sage prepared a delicious menu that included roasted acorn squash, pinto beans, turkey meat sautéed with onions and garlic, as well as a fresh spinach salad with cranberry and pumpkin seed toppers.

SNAHC's next meal will be a special Winter Solstice event on Wednesday, December 19th, with regular quarterly meals to begin in January of 2019.



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