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TRIBAL RESOURCE DIGEST

Welcome to Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s (CDC) tribal resource digest for the week of August 28, 2017. 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.



*GHWIC presenters with Michelle Archuleta at the
2017 Diabetes Health Promotion Disease Prevention Conference
Photo courtesy of Derek Gordon*

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Request for Photos

Please send any photos of GHWIC work (community gardens, events, team meetings, etc.) to Anisha Quiroz, AQUIROZ@cdc.gov with a short description of the photo.

Announcements

2017 15th Annual American Indian Health Research Conference

The annual American Indian Health Research Conference provides a daylong event with national speakers, researchers, students, and community members. This is an opportunity to learn about how to do research with American Indian communities, what research needs to be done in American Indian communities, for students to present their research with American Indians, and opportunities to partner between communities, tribal colleges, and researchers.

When: **October 14, 2017**
Where: **Grand Forks, ND**



Nuka Health Care Innovation Conference

Developed by Alaska's Southcentral Foundation, the Nuka System of Care ("Nuka") is recognized as one of the world's leading models of health care redesign. It is also the name given to Southcentral Foundation's whole health care system, which provides medical, dental, behavioral, traditional and health care support services to more than 65,000 Alaska Native people. Join other primary care and community health leaders, direct-care providers, consultants and academics for our first-ever Nuka Health Care Innovation Conference. Read more and register [here](#).

When: **October 23-24, 2017**
Where: **Portland, OR**



Native Heart Health Symposium: Issues and Innovations

The 2-day gathering will bring together various professionals in the Southeast region who are invested in American Indian health with a special focus on heart health. We will be offering optional continuing education units (CEU) through Western Carolina University's Division of Educational Outreach. Our aim is to attract attendees who represent various Southeastern tribal entities, state agencies, federal agencies, clinicians, public health practitioners, researchers, and community members at large. Read more [here](#).

When: **October 25-26, 2017**
Where: **Harrah's Cherokee Casino & Resort—Cherokee, NC**

Smoke-free Casino Resources

The Americans for Non-Smokers Rights: www.no-smoke.org
Keeps track of smoke-free casinos

- Includes toolkits, stories, factsheets and studies on smoke-free casinos that can be used as tools for gaining support of casinos becoming smoke-free. There are even a few examples of governor letters of support.

APHA's Tribal Public and Environmental Health Think Tank

- Link to YouTube video: "[Tobacco: Honoring our Traditions and our Health](#)" depicts tobacco prevention efforts in Wisconsin Tribal communities, highlighting the importance of reclaiming traditional tobacco.
- Additional smoke-free casino resources and stories on APHA's TPEHT website: <https://apha.org/topics-and-issues/environmental-health/partners/think-tank>
- Become a member of the Tribal Public and Environmental Health Think Tank: <https://www.apha.org/topics-and-issues/environmental-health/partners/think-tank/who-they-are>

Funding Opportunities

Native Agriculture & Food Systems College Scholarships

First Nations Development Institute (First Nations) is now accepting applications for the fourth year of its "First Nations Native Agriculture and Food Systems Scholarship Program" that aims to encourage more Native American college students to enter the agricultural sector in Native communities. First Nations will award five scholarships of \$1,000 each to Native American college students majoring in agriculture and related fields, including but not limited to agribusiness management, agriscience technologies, agronomy, animal husbandry, aquaponics, environmental studies, fisheries and wildlife, food production and safety, food-related policy and legislation, food science and technology, horticulture, irrigation science, nutrition education, and sustainable agriculture or food systems. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **September 28, 2017 @ 5pm MDT**

2017 Indian Health Service Zero Suicide

The Indian Health Service Zero Suicide Initiative provides grants to improve the system of care for those at risk for suicide by implementing a comprehensive, culturally informed, multi-setting approach to suicide prevention in Indian health systems. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **October 12, 2017**

Webinars

Collaborative Strategies Addressing the Opioid Crisis in Tribal Communities

HS/Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), in partnership with the Muckleshoot Tribe, Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe, White Earth Nation, and the Indian Health Service (IHS)'s National Committee on Heroine, Opioids, and Pain Efforts present this webinar. Read register [here](#).

When: **August 30, 2017 @ 3:00 pm ET**



Great Plains Tribal Chairmen's Health Board Community Health Webinar Series

The Community Health Department will be hosting monthly webinars for tribal partners. Contact information below regarding times and dial-in information.

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Date	Topic	Presenter(s)
9/13/17	Using the Indigenized Traditions to Make Health Choices	Thosh and Chelsea
10/11/17	Active Living Everyday	Kendra Roland, Cancer Prevention
11/8/17	LEAN Essentials	Eugene Giago, PC
12/13/17	Making PSE Changes in Tribal Communities	Shannon Udy, PSE Health Educator

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