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Welcome to Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) tribal resource digest for the week of June 26, 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.



Traditional foods (with a few exceptions) served at the Culture Night at the NIHB Public Health Summit in Anchorage, AK



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Request for Photos

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

Announcements

2017 National Tribal Health Conference Call for Proposals

he National Tribal Health Conference is the leading Indian health event in the nation. The event attracts over 800 Tribal leaders, health directors, advocates, researchers, and federal partners. This year's conference theme, "United Tribal Voices Advocating for Healthy Native People" will provide key opportunities for leaders in Indian health to network, participate in Tribal consultations and listening sessions with federal agencies, and choose from over 80 hours of training on leading Tribal healthcare and public health programs and policy. Proposals due by July 7, 2017. Read more here.

When: September 25-28, 2017 Where: Bellevue, WA



Association of American Indian Physicians Pre-Admission Workshop and Scholarship

he Association of American Indian Physicians (AAIP) aims to identify, recruit, mentor and prepare American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) college students into medicine and other health professions. The purpose of the AAIP College Programs is to provide activities that alleviate common educational barriers for AI/AN college students in efforts to increase the number of qualified applicants, which in turn will result in increased admission and enrollment of AI/AN students into medical and other health professions school.

Read more here.

Application Deadline: July 10, 2017



Al/AN National Behavioral Health Conference

he Al/AN National Behavioral Health Conference is the premier behavioral health event attracting over 500 Tribal behavioral health experts, public health professionals, federal employees, advocates, researchers and community-based providers. This year's conference theme, "Fostering Resilience through Celebration of Tribal Best Practices" will provide evidenced-based, best, wise, or promising behavioral health practices developed in and for American Indian and Alaska Native (Al/AN) communities. Read more here.

When: August 15-17, 2017

When: Tulsa, OK

Summer 2017 CDC/ATSDR Tribal Advisory Committee (TAC) Meeting and 17th Biannual Tribal Consultation Session

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When: August 8-9, 2017 When: Sulphur, OK



Funding Opportunities

Empowered Communities for a Healthier Nation Initiative

he Empowered Communities for a Healthier Nation Initiative will seek to reduce significant health disparities impacting minorities and disadvantaged populations through the implementation of evidence-based strategies with the greatest potential for impact. The program will serve residents in counties disproportionately impacted by the opioid epidemic; reduce the impact of serious mental illness at the primary care level for children, adolescents and/or adults; and reduce obesity prevalence and disparities in weight status among disadvantaged children and adolescents. Read more here.

Deadline: July 31, 2017



The Health Impact Project

he Health Impact Project provides grants to support the use of health impact assessment to improve local health outcomes and to build the capacity of organizations to conduct health impact assessments to bring both health evidence and community voice to decisions made in sectors outside of healthcare.

This opportunity is focused on addressing the social and economic factors that contribute to health, including education, employment, family and social support, and community safety. These factors can be affected by decisions in a range of sectors, such as housing, transportation, criminal justice, community development, and others.

Read more here.

Webinar

Incorporating Public Health Skills To Improve Quality of Life: Examples From Native American Food Systems

he Western Region Public Health Training Center (WRPHTC) is hosting its first virtual conference bringing together public health workers, researchers, and educators to discuss and develop the skills needed to tackle disparities in diet-related disease and food access. Register now. Read more here.

When: August 22-24, 2017



Long-Term Services and Supports: Tribal Nursing Home Stories—Best Practices for Dementia Care

oin CMS.gov to learn how tribal nursing homes can apply best practices to improve care for patients with dementia. Read more here.

When: June 28, 2017 @ 2pm EST

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