

# NCCDPHP GOOD HEALTH AND WELLNESS IN INDIAN COUNTRY TRIBAL RESOURCE DIGEST

Welcome to Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s (CDC) tribal resource digest for the week of May 15, 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.

*Camas Plant  
Skokomish Community Garden  
May 2017*



Read more about this plant [here](#)

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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](mailto:AQUIROZ@cdc.gov) with a short description of the photo.

## Announcements

### GirlTrek

#### Walking as a revolutionary act of self-care

“ We are excited to share our official TED Talk featured today on the front page of TED.com. In the coming months millions of people (#speaklife) will be exposed to the big idea of GirlTrek through this platform. Before we prepare for what that means and what is next, we want to take a moment to say thank you. We did not stand on that stage alone. We carried the stories, love and prayers of thousands of women and countless supporters with us.

Celebrate our shared victory by watching this video below and then **sharing it through your networks.**”

-T. Morgan Dixon and Vanessa Garrison

Watch the TED Talk video [here](#).



### 2017 Diabetes in Indian Country Conference

IHS, Tribal, and Urban SDPI grantees, clinicians, and community health providers will:

- LEARN the latest information and earn CME/CE credits\*
- NETWORK with other grantees and clinicians
- SHARE best practices
- SHOWCASE their successful work in AI/AN communities

Read more [here](#).

When: **September 19-21, 2017**

Where: **Albuquerque, NM**



### 19th AAIP National Native American Youth Initiative

The Association of American Indian Physicians (AAIP) is accepting applications for the 19th National Native American Youth Initiative (NNAYI), which will be held on the George Washington University campus in Washington D.C., July 1-9, 2017. American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) high school sophomores, juniors and seniors, ages 16 - 18, who have an interest in the health field and/or biomedical research are encouraged to apply. Read more [here](#).

When: **July 1-9, 2017**

Where: **Washington, DC**

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### Second Annual Conference on Native American Nutrition

Join us for this annual conference that brings together tribal officials, researchers, practitioners, and others to discuss the current state of Indigenous and academic scientific knowledge about Native nutrition and food science, and identify new areas of work. Read more [here](#). Register [here](#).

When: **September 18-20, 2017**

Where: **Prior Lake, MN**



### Rural Prevention and Treatment of Substance Abuse Toolkit

This toolkit provides evidence-based examples, promising models, program best practices, and resources that can be used by your organization to implement substance abuse prevention and treatment programs. Read more [here](#).



### Violence and Abuse in Rural America

Violence and abuse are critical problems throughout the United States and their effects in rural America are often exacerbated by limited access to victim support services, familial connections with authority figures, and transportation barriers, among other challenges. Visit this new guide to learn ways that healthcare providers can support victims of violence, and find news, funding, and resources to support programs addressing a wide range of abuses. The guide was created by Amy Degerstrom, RHInfo information specialist, with input from Kathleen Belanger, Stephen F. Austin State University; Lenard Kaye, Maine Center on Aging; and Anna Marjavi, Futures Without Violence. Read more [here](#).

## Funding Opportunities

### USDA Announces \$6.3 Million in Available Funding to Combat Childhood Obesity

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) today announced \$6.3 million in available funding for projects to help combat childhood obesity, which affects more than 12 million children in the United States. Funding is made through NIFA's Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI), authorized by the 2014 Farm Bill. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **June 28, 2017**

## American Indian and Alaska Native Early Head Start Expansion

The Administration for Children and Families solicits applications from public or private non-profit organizations, including community-based and faith-based organizations, or for-profit agencies that wish to compete for funds that are available to provide American Indian and Alaska Native Early Head Start Expansion services to infants, toddlers, pregnant women, and their families. Funds in the amount of \$5,000,000 will be available to provide American Indian and Alaska Native Early Head Start Expansion program services to eligible infants, toddlers, pregnant women, and their families. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **June 16, 2017**



## Rural Cooperative Development Grant, Department of Agriculture

The primary objective of the RCDG program is to improve the economic condition of rural areas by assisting individuals or entities in the startup, expansion or operational improvement of rural cooperatives and other business entities. Grants are awarded competitively on an annual basis to Rural Cooperative Development Centers who in turn provide technical assistance to individuals and entities. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **June 30, 2017**



## Community Assistance in Conservation and Outdoor Recreation, National Park Service

The National Park Service Rivers, Trails, and Conservation Assistance program supports community-led natural resource conservation and outdoor recreation projects across the nation. Our national network of conservation and recreation planning professionals partners with community groups, nonprofits, tribes, and state and local governments to design trails and parks, conserve and improve access to rivers, protect special places, and create recreation opportunities. Project applicants may be state and local agencies, tribes, nonprofit organizations, or citizen groups. National Parks and other Federal agencies may apply in partnership with other local organizations. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **June 30, 2017**

## SAMHSA Zero Suicide Grant

SAMHSA announced new funding for the Zero Suicide grant program. The purpose of this program is to implement suicide prevention and intervention programs, for individuals who are 25 years of age or older, that are designed to raise awareness of suicide, establish referral processes, and improve care and outcomes for such individuals who are at risk for suicide. Grantees will implement all components of the Zero Suicide model throughout their health system.

Eligibility: Up to \$700,000 per year for states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. Territories. Up to \$400,000 per year for tribes and tribal organizations; community-based primary care or behavioral health care organizations; emergency departments; and local public health agencies. Total funding for the program is \$7.9 million dollars (\$2 million for tribes and tribal organizations). Length of program is up to 5 years. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **July 18, 2017**

## Webinar

### NNN Webinar: "Tribal BRFSS Toolkit Presentation"

The Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan's National Native Network and the Indian Health Services Clinical Support Center (Accredited Provider) present a webinar series: Cancer Risk Reduction in Indian Country. Recording will be available on NNN website. Register [here](#).

When: **May 23, 2017 at 3:00pm ET**



## National Council of Urban Indian Health: Hepatitis C and HIV: Strategies to Improve Linkage to Care in Urban Indian Communities

Hepatitis C (Hep C) and HIV disproportionately affect American Indian and Alaska Native communities at staggering levels, although they are both preventable diseases. This webinar will provide a status of both HepC and HIV diagnosis and treatment in Indian Country to ensure awareness of the disease prevalence and reveal opportunities to provide treatment coverage to your patients. Part one will provide current information on the disease and strategies to educate medical professionals on testing and treatment, while Part 2 will provide a proposed affordable model of care (testing, treatment and coverage options) that can be utilized by urban Indian health programs and their clients. Register [here](#).

When: **May 24, 2017 at 2:00pm ET**

## Contact Information

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