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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 April 10, 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.



Good Health and Wellness in Indian Country Midpoint Grantee Conference

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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

Business of Indian Agriculture & Food Sovereignty Assessment Workshops

First Nations Development will be holding two three-day trainings that combine workshops on The Business of Indian Agriculture and Food Sovereignty Assessment. Read more [here](#).

When: **June 27-29, 2017**,
Where: **Phoenix, AZ**



AAIP 25th Cross Cultural Medicine Workshop Maintaining Harmony: AI/AN Strategies for Wellness

Cross Cultural Medicine Workshop is designed to provide physicians, medical students, hospital staff, counselors, program staff, and healthcare professionals a greater understanding of Traditional healing practices and improve cultural communication between Native peoples and health professionals. Read more [here](#).

When: **April 27-30, 2017**
Where: **Santa Fe, NM**



2017 NIMHD Health Disparities Research Institute

The National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD) will host the Health Disparities Research Institute (HDRI) from August 14 - 18, 2017. The HDRI aims to support the research career development of promising minority health/health disparities research scientists early in their careers and stimulate research in the disciplines supported by health disparities science. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **May 12, 2017**



Funding for Seeds of Native Health Doubles

The Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community (SMSC) has committed an additional \$5 million in new funding over the next two years to its Seeds of Native Health campaign. As a result, the philanthropic campaign's funding now totals \$10 million and represents the single-largest coordinated philanthropic effort in American history focused on improving Native American nutrition. Read more [here](#).

Healthy Kids! Healthy Futures! Conference

This one-of-a-kind conference promises to be a highly engaging, interactive and motivating event. Held at the beautiful Buffalo Thunder Resort and Casino, attendees will learn new and exciting ways to enhance their youth and community's health and fitness. Network with and learn from tribal & Native experts, organizations and communities working to improve the health and physical activity of Native American children. See what they are doing. Take home tips, knowledge and inspiration for your work. Read more [here](#).

When: **April 26-27, 2017**
Where: **Santa Fe, NM**



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**



Zero Suicide Academy

The Zero Suicide Academy is a two-and-a-half-day training for senior leaders of Indian/Tribal/Urban health and behavioral health care organizations that seek to dramatically reduce suicides among patients in their care. Using the Zero Suicide model, participants learn how to incorporate best and promising practices into their organizations and processes to improve care and safety for individuals at risk. Read more [here](#). Look under "Upcoming Zero Suicide Academies®" and click on the yellow "View Application" button to apply.

Deadline: **May 15, 2017**

Strengthening Native Food Sovereignty to Preserve Native American Culture and Improve Community Health

Environmental factors and federal policies have had a large impact on the health and cultural identity of our Indigenous populations. With increasing rates of diabetes, obesity, and cancer in Native American communities, strengthening Native food systems offers an opportunity to improve Native economies, health, and culture. This course is meant to give an overview of how health departments and public health workers can help strengthen Native food sovereignty, for the purpose of improving Native health and revitalizing Native cultures. Read more [here](#).

Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations Nutrition Education (FY17 FDPNE) Grant

Funding to enhance the nutrition knowledge of Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations participants and to foster positive lifestyle changes through nutrition education. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **May 1, 2017**

USDA Announces \$2.9 Million to Support Tribal Extension Programs

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) today announced \$2.9 million in available funding for projects that make extension programs and resources more accessible to Native American communities. Funding is made through NIFA's Federally Recognized Tribes Extension Program (FRTEP). Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **April 26, 2017**

Spirit of Eagles National Conference 2017—Changing Patterns of Cancer in Native Communities: Strength Through Tradition and Science

We are pleased to announce our upcoming national conference, hosted in partnership by two Comprehensive Cancer Centers: Mayo Clinic and Roswell Park Cancer Institute. Register [here](#).

Deadline: **April 14, 2017**

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**

Native Initiatives Benefits

Through the use of monetary awards and training opportunities, the CDFI Fund's Native Initiatives program creates jobs, builds businesses, and fosters economic self-determination in Native Communities nationwide. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **April 28, 2017**

FY17 AmeriCorps Indian Tribes Grants

The mission of CNCS is to improve lives, strengthen communities, and foster civic participation through service and volunteering. Through AmeriCorps, Senior Corps, the Social Innovation Fund, and the Volunteer Generation Fund, CNCS has helped to engage millions of citizens in meeting community and national challenges through service and volunteer action. AmeriCorps grants are awarded to eligible organizations proposing to engage AmeriCorps members in evidence-based or evidence-informed interventions to strengthen communities. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **May 10, 2017**

FY2018 Indian Highway Safety Program Grant

The BIA OJS Indian Highway Safety Program is advertising requests for proposals for Law Enforcement and Child Protection Seat Grants for FY 2018. Federally recognized tribes are encouraged to apply. Read more [here](#).

Deadline: **May 1, 2017**

Webinars

George Washington University/GW Cancer Center— Why all the Excitement About Logic Models? Using Logic Models for Program Planning and Evaluation for Tribal Agencies

Join OMHRC's Elton Naswood for an introductory webinar on how to prepare successful grant proposals using logic models. Register [here](#). If this link does not work, please let Anisha know.

Deadline: April 27, 2017, 2:00pm ET

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