



ROCKY MOUNTAIN TRIBAL LEADERS
TRIBAL HEALTH SUBCOMMITTEE

JULY 29 & 30, 2021
RMTLC Conference Room
2929 3rd Avenue North
Suite 300
Billings, MT 59101

AGENDA

THURSDAY, JULY 29, 2021

9:00: PRAYER AND BLESSING

9:05: WELCOME REMARKS AND SUBCOMMITTEE VISION & CHARTER:
DOMINIC MESSERLY, Chair, Tribal Health Subcommittee

9:45: TRIBAL REPRESENTATIVE INTRODUCTIONS AND COMMENTS

10:15: 15 Minute Break

10:30: MR. MITCH THORNBRUGH, Director, Office of Information Technology, IHS HQs
CONFIRMED

IHS IT/EHR Development Update

Q&A

11:15: JULY 15, OMB Tribal Consultation Update: DOROTHY DUPREE

12:00: BREAK FOR LUNCH

1:00: GUEST PRESENTER: CONFIRMED

MS. KITTY MARX, CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES (CMS)

Director, CMCS, Division of Tribal Affairs

- PRESENTATION, The CMS Tribal Technical Advisory Group, Role and Policy

2:00: TRAINING: 25 CFR PART 900, SUBPART H, §105L: LEASE PROVISION CONFIRMED

IHS, MICHELLE BEGAY, Director, Tribal Office, Billings Area

IHS, PAULA M. PONCHO, Area Realty Management Officer, Alaska Area

3:30: 15 Minute Break

3:45: COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDE PROGRAM (CHAP) UPDATE: CONFIRMED

MR. BYRON LARSON, CHAP Consultant, Fort Belknap Tribal Community

4:30: BREAK FOR THE DAY



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FRIDAY, JULY 30, 2021

9:00: RECAP OF DAY ONE: DOROTHY A. DUPREE

9:15: GUEST PRESENTER

MS. JUSTYNA REDLINSKI, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services **CONFIRMED**

Ms. Kitty Marx, Director, CMCS, Division of Tribal Affairs **CONFIRMED**

Ms. Cynthia Gillaspie, CMS, Medicaid and Tribal Health, Region VIII **CONFIRMED**

Federally Qualified Health Centers

- PRESENTATION

10:15: A NEW ERA IN TRIBAL PUBLIC HEALTH – MEETING OVERVIEW

RMTLC AUGUST 17–19 HEALTH CONFERENCE

DYANI BINGHAM, RMTLC **CONFIRMED**

10:30: DPHHS Seeks Public Comment on Proposal to
Expand Behavioral Health Treatment Services

Public comments due: September 7, 2021

Tribal Health Board discussion

DOROTHY DUPREE, RMTLC

11:00: TRIBAL HEALTH SUBCOMMITTEE

CONSIDERATIONS: REGIONAL TRAINING INSTITUTE

TRAINING NEEDS

MEETING SCHEDULE: 2021 AND 2022

12:00: END OF MEETING

CLOSING REMARKS: DOMINIC MESSERLY, CHAIR

CLOSING PRAYER: