

# HHS Resources & Funding Opportunities – What's New for Tribes!

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# Regional Tribal Operations Committee

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# What's New for Tribes!

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- Health and Human Services
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Partnerships  
and  
Networks

# Health and Human Services

- Affordable Care Act-ACA (2010) permanently reauthorizes the Indian Health Care Improvement Act.
- On June 27, 2013, the Obama Administration issued a final rule providing all American Indians and Alaska Natives who are eligible to receive services from an Indian health care provider, such as the Indian Health Service (IHS) or tribally-operated facilities and Urban Indian clinics, an exemption from the shared responsibility payment.

Email address for updated ACA and related regional *news*!

[Region9ORD@hhs.gov](mailto:Region9ORD@hhs.gov)

Final rule available: <https://www.federalregister.gov/public-inspection>



# Federal Regional Council (FRC), Region IX

## Tribal Affairs Committee

- **FRC:** Consortium 19 separate federal Departments and Agencies ~30 different program offices in Region and Outer Pacific, to work in a coordinated manner, to be more efficient & effective in Region IX.
- **Tribal Affairs Committee:**
  - ▣ Enhance interagency collaboration on Tribal matters and improve channels of communication with Tribal leaders and program directors;
  - ▣ Maximize limited resources through coordination and partnership;
  - ▣ Assist, where practicable, in the resolution of priority Tribal issues and inclusion and notification of Central Office of the issues requiring their involvement.

# National Indian Health Board

## □ **Native Diabetes Wellness Program**

- 31.2% of AI/AN four year olds are currently obese, which is a rate higher than any other racial or ethnic group studied (CDC, 1998-2008 MMWR Weekly)

- June 2009, the **Obesity Prevention and Strategies for Native Youth Initiative**-urged by Tribal Leaders and Tribal Organizations, NIHB is now leading the effort to reverse the devastating impacts of this epidemic for Indian Country.

**Traditional Food Project- 17 cooperative agreements with Tribes & Tribe Org's, encourage & incorporate traditional, sustainable ecological approaches to diabetes prevention**

- **First Lady's "Let's Move!" in Indian Country Campaign - May 31, 2011**
- For more information view: <http://www.nihb.org>

# ***Let's Move! In Indian Country***

## ***Preventing Childhood Obesity***

- **Become a *Let's Move! In Indian Country* Community**
  - ▣ **First Lady's "Let's Move!" in Indian Country Campaign - May 31, 2011**
- **Steps for Commitments:**
  - ▣ Creating a Healthy Start on Life-Reducing the risk of obesity in early childhood by helping families make healthy choices;
  - ▣ Developing Healthy Schools-Providing health learning communities for Native Students,
  - ▣ Increasing physical activity-Creating capacity for physical education, sports and outdoor recreation programs,
  - ▣ Increasing Access to Affordable Healthy Foods-Support the establishment of a food policy council
  - ▣ To Join and submit commitments:  
[letsmoveinindiancountry@doi.gov](mailto:letsmoveinindiancountry@doi.gov)



# *Let's Move! in Indian Country strategies*

## □ Help Families Make Healthy Choices

- ▣ Mothers who breastfeed have a lower risk of diabetes and certain cancers,
- ▣ Promote local partnerships that provide access to healthy childhood activities,
- ▣ Improve food choices for children in public venues,
- ▣ Form a coalition tasked to identify local barriers to healthy living,
- ▣ Host cooking demonstrations and nutrition education sessions with families to learn more about healthy eating.

**Tips and Tool Kit visit: [www.letsmove.gov/indiancountry](http://www.letsmove.gov/indiancountry)**

# Indian Health Service

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The Federal Health Program for American Indians and Alaska Natives

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## Welcome to the Division of Program Statistics Web Site

The Division of Program Statistics (DPS) produces the Indian Health Service's statistical information and publications that measure and document the progress in assuring access to health care services and improving the health status of the American Indian and Alaska Native populations we serve. The DPS data and publications are the most important tools to support the IHS's mission and goal. They are also the historical and foundational documents that will support the new health initiatives.

Our primary customers are those that the IHS mission and goal directly addresses, primarily the American Indian and Alaska Native people, Tribal leaders, Tribal organizations, and the Urban Indian Health Programs. Additional customers include: the Indian Health Service Area offices and Headquarter's offices, divisions, and programs, the Department of Health and Human Services, the Office of Management and Budget, the U.S. Congress, federal and state agencies, various countries, academia, researchers, and students. Most customers are served by the statistical information included in the DPS major publications, memoranda, and by special data requests.

### Follow the Links Below for the Most Recent Publications



#### Most Recent Trends In Indian Health



#### Most Recent Regional Differences in Indian Health

## Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)-Key resource for Outreach materials and tribal products

- **American Indian/Alaska Native**
  - <http://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/American-Indian-Alaska-Native/AIAN/CMS-Tribal-Products.html>
  - View AIAN Outreach Events on CMS Programs (2013 CMS events in progress)
  - Sign-Up to order FREE Outreach materials on Medicare, Medicaid/CHIP or ACA Marketplaces of your local events
- **View [www.cms.gov](http://www.cms.gov) or [www.HealthCare.gov](http://www.HealthCare.gov)** for additional important information on CMS and HHS Programs

# Administration for Community Living

## Administration on Aging

- **Operating Division Components:**
  - ▣ Administration on Aging
  - ▣ Office of Disability
  - ▣ Administration of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities
- **Title VI: Services to Native Alaskans, Native Hawaiians and Native Americans:**
  - ▣ Office of American Indian, Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Programs
  - ▣ National Resource Centers on Native American Aging
  - ▣ New Grant Targets Native American Elder Abuse
  - ▣ *Nutrition & Caregiver programs and More...* view at <http://www.aoa.gov>

# Administration for Community Living/ Administration on Aging

- 2013 National Title VI Training and Technical Assistance Conference and Tribal Consultation, August 5-8, Washington Plaza Hotel, Wash. D. C.;
- To improve and strengthen Title VI programs and renew commitment to quality services for older American Indians, Alaskan Natives and Native Hawaiians;
- For, Title VI Directors, including Native American Family Caregiver Support Program, elder advisory committee members, and Title VI program staff.
- For more information: National Resource Center on Native American Aging
- <http://www.nrcnaa.org> Ann Miller (800) 896-7628

# Substance Abuse Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)

- **Mission:** To develop, coordinate, and communicate SAMSHA's policies and resources to improve behavioral health in Tribal/Village communities.

## **SAMHSA**

**<http://www.samhsa.gov/obhe/tribal-affairs.asp>**

## **Native American Center for Excellence (NACE)**

**<http://nace.samhsa.gov>**

*On-going training, support, resources, workshops and more...*

## **SAMHSA Grants by States:**

**<http://samhsa.gov/Statesummaries/index.aspx>**

## **Office of Justice Programs**

**<http://www.ojp.gov/programs/aiana.htm>**



# Administration for Children and Families

## ☐ **ACF Programs for Native Americans:**

- ☐ Administration for Native Americans
- ☐ Office of Child Care: Child Care and Development Fund
- ☐ Family Violence Prevention and Services Grants
- ☐ Office of Community Services
- ☐ Office of Head Start
- ☐ Child Support
- ☐ Personal Responsibility Education Program
- ☐ Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
- ☐ TANF Child Welfare Coordination

# Administration for Children and Families

## Administration for Native Americans (ANA)

- **Funding Opportunities**
- **ANA Funding Opportunity Announcements**
- Example: ANA published FY 2013 Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs) for:
  - Native Languages
  - Sustainable Employment and Economic Development Strategies (SEEDS)
  - Environmental Regulatory Enhancement (ERE)
  - Native Asset Building Initiative (NABI)
  - Social & Economic Development Strategies (SEDS)
    - **Advocating Assets: How Asset Development Strategies Address Poverty Reduction in Native American Communities (video and webinar)**

**And more.....** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ana>

# Office for Civil Rights (OCR)



- HHS released the [2012 HHS Environmental Justice Strategy and Implementation Plan](#), which provides goals, strategies and actions to address environmental justice in minority and low-income populations and Indian tribes.
- For more information: [www.hhs.gov/ocr/civilrights](http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/civilrights)

# Office of Population Affairs (OPA)

## Title X Program, Family Planning Program

- **Mission:** The only federal grant program dedicated solely to providing individuals with comprehensive family planning and related preventive health services.
- \*Competing the Navajo Nation service area in FY2014\* (*announcement will be posted on Grants.gov within next couple of months*)
- <http://www.hhs.gov/opa/title-x-family-planning>

# Office on Women's Health (OWH)

**Vision: “all women and girls achieve the best possible health”**

□ **2013 Priorities:**

- Affordable Care Act (ACA)
- Prevention of Violence Against Women & Intersection of HIV/AIDS
- Breastfeeding
- Cardiovascular Disease
- Older Women

□ **Funding, Training and Support and more....**

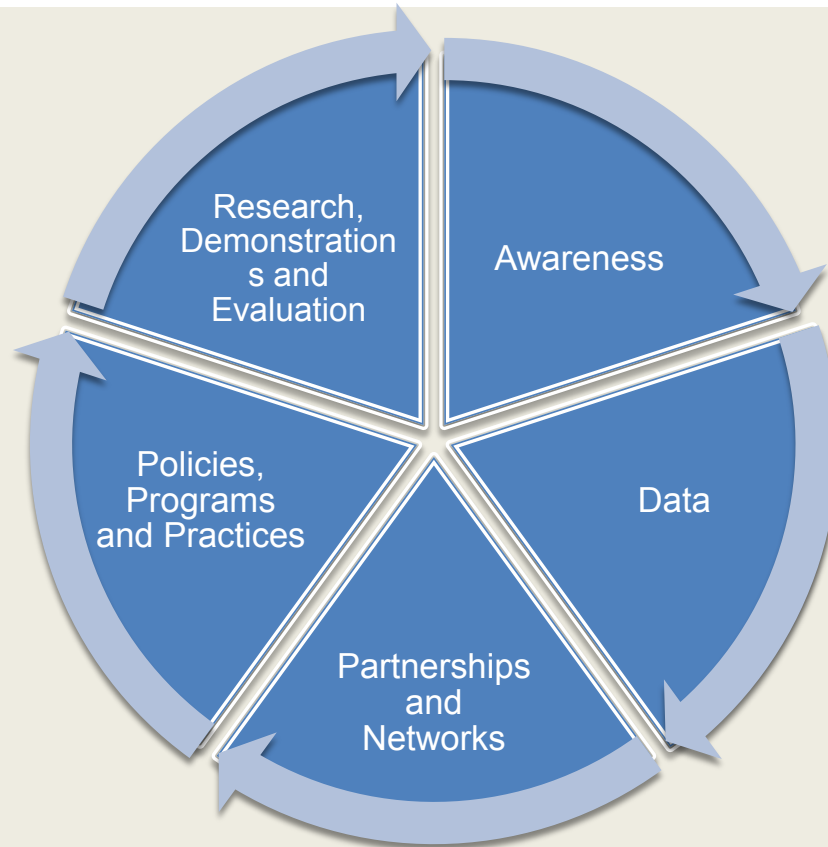
- Make the Call, Don't Miss a Beat (funding) <http://womenshealth.gov/heartattack/>
- National Women and Girls HIV/AIDS Awareness Day (funding) [www.womenshealth.gov/nwghaad/](http://www.womenshealth.gov/nwghaad/)
- BodyWorks (training) - [www.womenshealth.gov/bodyworks](http://www.womenshealth.gov/bodyworks)
- Quick Health Data Online (training) - [www.healthstatus2020.com/owh](http://www.healthstatus2020.com/owh)
- Capacity Building and Technical Assistance: grant writing, event planning, training]

**Regional info & listserv:** Kay Strawder, Regional Women's Health Coordinator 415-437-8124, [kay.Strawder@hhs.gov](mailto:kay.Strawder@hhs.gov)

**Women's Health Information Center: 1-800-994-9662**

# Office of Minority Health (OMH)

**Mission:** To improve the health of racial and ethnic minority Populations through the Development of health Policies and programs that will eliminate health disparities.





# Office of Minority Health

## Office of Minority Health Resource Center

- Mission, **OMH**, to improve the health of racial and ethnic minorities through policies, programs that will eliminate health disparities.
- **OMH RC**: nation's largest repository of information on health issues specific American Indians/Alaska Natives, African Americans, Hispanics, Native Hawaiians and other Pacific Islanders.

### □ Resources

- Knowledge Center
- Information Specialist
- Resource Persons Network

Communications  
Capacity Building Team  
Technology

### □ Products

- Library Services
- Information Services
- Health Campaigns
- Web Services

OMH Publications  
Technical Assistance  
Networking and Outreach  
Training: Grant Writing; Logic Model- online

- *Money and More \$\$\$... mailing list* <https://minorityhealth.hhs.gov> or
- 1-800-444-6472

# Knowledge Center, OMHRC

- ❖ The nation's largest repository of information on minority health issues, health equity and health disparities.
- ❖ Database records contain information on:
  - Minority health organizations  
(national, regional, state, Tribal, and local)
    - Organizations
    - Community programs
  - Documents on or related to minority health
    - documents (books, reports, etc.)
    - Approximately 35,000 articles
    - Sources of health information in over 24 languages and over 40 formats
  - Sources of funding
    - Federal programs and grants, and public/private foundations

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## Knowledge Center: Catalog Search

Search our library catalog to find books, reports, journals, media, articles, and organizations related to the health status of racial and ethnic minority populations.

### Simple Search

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→ Simple search for quick results on all document types

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→ Organization search to find national, state or local groups

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### Knowledge Center Library Acquisitions

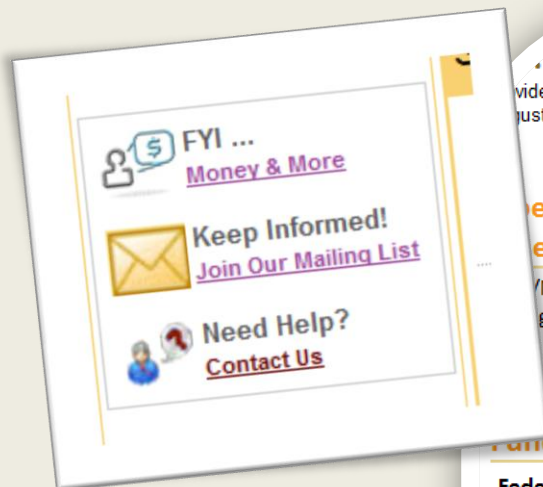
View the monthly list of new books and articles added to the collection.

# Information Services, OMHRC



- ❖ Customized responses to telephone, e-mail and mail inquiries on all minority health issues;
- ❖ Customized FREE funding searches;
- ❖ Informal Technical Assistance provided via telephone and in person to individuals, Tribal organizations, community-based, faith-based, and other community organizations.

# Information Services, OMHRC



## Minority Resources...Money & More

provided by the Office of Minority Health Resource Center  
August 15, 2012

### Open for Public Comment: Expert Panel Report on the Management of Sickle Cell Disease

NHLBI National Blood Disorders Program's announces a call for public comment on the latest draft on Sickle cell disease guidelines, "Expert Panel Report on the Management of Sickle Cell Disease". Comments are being accepted through **August 31, 2012**. [Learn More](#)

## Funding

### Federal Grants

- HHS/Agency for Health Care Research and Quality: Individual Awards for Postdoctoral Fellows (F32) National Research Service Awards (NRSA) Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)
- HHS/National Institutes of Health: Time-Sensitive Obesity Policy and Program Evaluation (R01) Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)

### Minority Population Specific: \$500k or less . . .

- HHS/National Institutes of Health: Limited Competition: NIMHD Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) Initiative in Reducing and Eliminating Health Disparities: Dissemination Phase (R24) Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)
- HHS/Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health: FY13 Announcement of Anticipated Availability of Funds for Family Planning Services Grants (Republic of Palau) [View Full Announcement](#)

### \$500k or more . . .

- HHS/NIH/The National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute: Limited Competition: Pregnancy as a Window to Future Cardiovascular Health. [View Full Announcement](#)

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## FYI: Minority Resources...Money & More

Provided by the Office of Minority Health Resource Center's Information Services Team  
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## **\*Rescheduled\* OMHRC's Webinar: *the Glass: Navigating Sexual Health & HIV Stigma with African Immigrants and Refugees*. July 12!**

The HHS Office of Minority Health Resource Center's National African Immigrant Project is providing a webinar targeting clinicians that work with African immigrants with HIV and its co-morbidities. The webinar, *Breaking the Glass: Navigating Sexual Health & HIV Stigma with African Immigrants and Refugees*, will address HIV stigma as it pertains to African clients, MSM in the African community, FGM, gender issues and medical adherence. The webinar will address some of the cultural barriers that prevent African clients from accessing treatment and care and adhering to prescribed medications. The *Breaking the Glass: Navigating Sexual Health & HIV Stigma with African Immigrants and Refugees?* webinar will be held on **July 12, 2013 from 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm ET**.

Space is limited. <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/283242858> 

## Funding

### Federal Grants

*Minority Population Specific: \$500k or more . . .*

- HHS/National Institutes of Health: Native American Research Centers for Health (NARCH) (S06) Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)
- HHS/Administration for Native Americans: Native Asset Building Initiative Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)

*Minority Population Specific: \$500k or less . . .*

- HHS/The Administration for Children & Families: Human Services Research Partnerships -Puerto Rico Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)
- HHS/Administration for Native Americans: Sustainable Employment and Economic Development Strategies (SEEDS) Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)

*\$500k or more . . .*

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#### *\$500k or more . . .*

- HHS/Health Resources & Services Administration: Providing Support for the Collaborative Improvement and Innovation Network (CollIN) to Reduce Infant Mortality Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)
- HHS/National Institutes of Health: Sexually Transmitted Infections Cooperative Research Centers (STI CRC) (U19) Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)

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#### *\$500k or less . . .*

- HHS/National Institutes of Health: Developing a Point-of-Care Device for the Diagnosis of Sickle Cell Disease in Low Resource Settings SBIR (R43/ R44) Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)
- HHS/Health Resources & Services Administration: Social and Behavioral Interventions to Increase Solid Organ Donation Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)

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### Non Federal Grants

#### *\$500k or more . . .*

- The National Science Foundation: NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM) Grant. [View Full Announcement](#)

#### *\$500k or less . . .*

- American Heart Association: Childhood Obesity Rapid Response Grant. [View Full Announcement](#) [PDF | 330KB] [📄](#)
- Healthy Smiles, Healthy Children: 2013 - 2014 Access to Care Grant. [View Full Announcement](#) [PDF | 51KB] [📄](#)

### Scholarships/Fellowships

- US Department of State: The 2013-2014 Virtual Student Foreign Service (VSFS) einternship. These einternships are virtual and students have a flexible virtual work schedule during the academic year, allowing both academic and einternship goals to be met. [View Full Announcement](#)
- American Society of Clinical Oncology: Leadership Development Program. Participants in this year-long program will learn valuable leadership skills and gain exposure to the roles and mission of ASCO and the Society's powerful place in developing the future of cancer care. [View Full Announcement](#) [📄](#)

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# Capacity Building, OMHRC

## Native American Project

Videos Produced in Cooperation with IHS and  
and with support from OMHRC

### *Positive Encounters*

[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mK4kcVR\\_wao&feature=youtu.be](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mK4kcVR_wao&feature=youtu.be)

### *Facing HIV/AIDS*

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4TGsTaSt7A8&feature=youtu.be>

### *Protect Yourself and the Ones You Love: Get Tested for HIV*

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z-4pm0decT4&feature=youtu.be>



# *'Circle of Life'* educational tool:

- The **'Circle of Life'** tool is a multimedia HIV/AIDS/STI prevention curriculum for American Indian/Alaska Native youth...
- ▣ Based on the medicine wheel. Designed for American Indian/Alaska Native youth, the program educates youth in sixth to eighth grade about health...
- ▣ View at: <http://www.minorityhealth.hhs.gov>

# Communications, OMHRC



## Towards Health Equity

From the Office of Minority Health Resource Center  
May 14, 2013



### HHS Releases Blueprint to Advance Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services in Health and Health Care

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) released the enhanced National Standards for Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services (CLAS) Standards April 24 in Washington, D.C., updating guidelines that were previously released by the HHS Office of Minority Health (OMH) in 2000. The National CLAS Standards provide a blueprint to help organizations reduce disparities and improve health care quality, while serving our nation's diverse communities.

[Read the full story](#) | [View the press release](#) | [See Dr. J. Nadine Gracia's blog post](#)

#### More Resources:

- [Download the enhanced National CLAS Standards and The Blueprint](#)

### In This Newsletter ...

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[Office for Civil Rights Initiative to Strengthen Language Access Hospitals](#)

[CMS Announces Opportunity to Apply for Marketplace Navigator Grants](#)

[Submit Nominations for OMH's Advisory Committee on Minority Health](#)

# Population Data, and Links....



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## Obesity and American Indians/Alaska Natives

- American Indian/Alaska Native women are 70% more likely than White women to be obese.
- American Indian/Alaskan Natives are 1.6 times as likely to be obese than Non-Hispanic whites.
- American Indian or Alaska Native adults (30.4%) were as likely as Black adults (30.8%) and less likely than White adults (40.9%) and Asian adults (62.8%) to be a healthy weight.<sup>1</sup>
- American Indian or Alaska Native women (29.4%) were less likely than Black women (36.6%) and more likely than White women (20.3%) and Asian women (5.8%) to be obese.<sup>1</sup>

**Age-adjusted percentage of persons 18 years of age and over who are overweight but not obese, 2010. (Persons are considered overweight if they have a Body Mass Index (BMI) of 25 or greater.) National Health Interview Survey (NHIS)**

American Indian/Alaska Native	Non-Hispanic White	American Indian/Alaska Native/ Non-Hispanic White Ratio
29.6	33.7	0.9

Source: CDC 2012. Summary Health Statistics for U.S. Adults: 2010. Table 31.  
[http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/series/sr\\_10/sr10\\_252.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/series/sr_10/sr10_252.pdf) [PDF | 3MB]

**Age-adjusted percentage of persons 18 years of age and over who are obese, 2004-2006. (Persons are considered obese if they have a Body Mass Index (BMI) of 30 or greater.)**

	American Indian/Alaska Native	White	American Indian/Alaska Native/ White Ratio
Men & Women	39.4	24.3	1.6
Men	38.7	25.5	1.5
Women	39.7	23.0	1.7

# National Native American Heritage Month, November

## Celebrating and honoring indigenous people across the country



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*National American Heritage Month*

**NATIONAL NATIVE AMERICAN  
Heritage Month 2012**



Pay tribute to the rich ancestry and traditions of American Indians and Alaska Natives.

Office of Minority Health

## National American Indian Heritage Month - November

[National Native American Heritage Month](#)  
A Proclamation by the President of the United States of America.

November is Native American Heritage Month. A time when the nation collectively recognizes the achievements, contributions and rich culture of the American Indian/Alaska Natives.



# Public Private Partnerships

- **Nurturing Community Partnerships Small & Large:**
  - ▣ Department or Regional Stores
  - ▣ Pharmacies, universities, municipalities, foundations, public libraries, providers and others
- **Why? Never hurts to ask.**
  - ▣ Low cost or free space; food& beverages free or low cost; free give-aways, sponsorship
- **Bi-directional Rewards: Short-term and Long-Term**
  - ▣ Builds trust, builds relationships overtime, builds community and sustainability
  - ▣ Offer your organizational banner prominently displayed indicating event sponsorship
- **Show statistics:**
  - ▣ Demonstrate to partners your community invests in them too!
  - ▣ Show potential partners benefits of investing in your community.

# Funding Trends and Research

## Tribal Environmental Health Cross-Cutting Issues

- ❑ Men's Health and Fatherhood Initiatives
- ❑ Teen Pregnancy Prevention
- ❑ Tobacco Cessation and Reducing Tobacco Use
- ❑ Injury Prevention
- ❑ Data Gaps and Local Health Disparities/Sharing Data
- ❑ Federal Funding Go to: <http://www.grants.gov>
  - ▣ Government Benefits; Student Loans, Small Business, Start-Up Loans  
Grant Writing information, and more.....

# Grant Writing, Data, and more...

- **Indian Health Service** [www.ihs.gov](http://www.ihs.gov)
  - Trends in Indian Health-Regional Differences in Indian Health 2002-2003
- **EPA:** <http://www.epa.gov> (Proposal and budget writing)
- **Administration for Native Americans:** Applicant Training and T.A.
  - <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ana>
- **Federal Grants:** <http://www.grants.gov> (Grant writing and data links)
- **Office of Minority Health:** (Grant Writing and Logic Model, data)
  - <http://www.minorityhealth.hhs.gov>
- **Office on Women's Health:** (Grant writing and data)
  - Quick Health Data Online [www.healthstatus2020.com/owh](http://www.healthstatus2020.com/owh)
- **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention:** (Grant writing and data)
  - <http://www.cdc.gov>

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