



Resources and Opportunities

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This e-mail is provided by the Urban Indian Health Institute, a division of the Seattle Indian Health Board. It contains opportunities for staff development, grant announcements and other relevant public health information. We hope you find these resources useful. If you have any questions about the information below, or you are unable to open any of the links, please contact info@uihi.org. If this e-mail was forwarded to you, you may sign up [here](#).

Resources

New Health Promotion Materials Available

The Urban Indian Health Institute (UIHI) is excited to announce the upcoming release of new health promotion materials addressing HIV, sexually transmitted infections (STI) and viral hepatitis prevention.

Materials will be available in poster and postcard formats. The UIHI mailed copies of these materials to Urban Indian Health Organizations the week of March 26, 2012. Materials will also be available for electronic download from the UIHI's [Viral Hepatitis and STI Prevention Project materials page](#).

Materials were developed as a part of the UIHI's [Viral Hepatitis and STI Prevention Project](#), with funding support from the Office of Minority Health and Indian Health Service.

We hope these materials will be helpful resources for your agency and your community. Please contact [Jessie Folkman](#), Project Coordinator, with any questions.

UIHI Mapping Projects Released

The UIHI is pleased to release two mapping projects that describe the Urban Indian Health Organization (UIHO) service areas.

- The "2010 Census AI/AN Population Maps" show the number of AI/AN residents in each census tract. Please visit the [UIHO profiles page](#) and select a city to access the map for a specific community.
- The "Healthy and Affordable Food Resources" project brief describes an assessment of healthy food resources in King County, Washington based on public records, store surveys and Geographic Information Systems (GIS) analysis. To access this publication and other UIHI project briefs, please visit the [UIHI project briefs page](#).

Training

Webinar: Developing Logic Models for Program Design and Evaluation April 18th, 11:00 a.m. Pacific Time

- As part of the [Health Equity Project](#), the Seattle Indian Health Board's Urban Indian Health Institute is hosting a free webinar on April 18th at 11:00 a.m. Pacific Time.
- A logic model is a visual representation of how a program is expected to work and can be a useful tool in both programming planning and evaluation.
- The goal of this webinar is to increase the knowledge and skills of attendees in the development of logic models to support program design and evaluation. Focusing on the role of logic models in evaluation, this webinar will explore the components and characteristics of useful logic models.
- This webinar is free, open to the public and will be archived for future viewing.

For information on how to join the webinar, [click here](#).

Announcements

Call for Applications: National Native American Youth HIV/AIDS Council

The [National Native American AIDS Prevention Center \(NNAAPC\)](#) is working in partnership with the [Native Youth Sexual Health Network \(NYSHN\)](#) to assemble a National Native American Youth HIV/AIDS Council. The council will provide opportunities for youth to offer insight and guidance on national programming and advocacy work, as well as an opportunity for Native youth to make an impact on HIV/AIDS prevention efforts for themselves, their networks and community!

Eligible applicants are youth of American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian ancestry between the ages of 18 and 25, who have a commitment to improving the health and well-

being of their communities and combating the HIV/AIDS epidemic.

Please see [the application](#) for more information on how to apply.

NNAAPC with the support of NYSHN will accept completed applications until **April 20th, 2012**.

Health Awareness Topics for April

National Minority Health Awareness Month

April is National Minority Health Month. This year's theme, *Health Equity Can't Wait. Act Now in Your CommUNITY!*, is a call to action and unity for the regions, the state and local offices of minority health, the health departments and all the organizations and partners involved and invested in reducing health disparities. To access resources related to National Minority Health Awareness Month, [click here](#).

STD Awareness Month

STD Awareness Month, an annual observance to raise public awareness about the impact of sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) on the lives of Americans and the importance of preventing, testing for, and treating STDs, is observed in April. It is an opportunity to normalize routine STD testing and conversations about sexual health. Visit the CDC's [STD Awareness Resource Site](#) for materials offered in conjunction with STD Awareness month.

National Child Abuse Prevention Month

Awareness about child abuse and neglect strengthens communities and builds support for children and families in the effort to prevent child abuse. Learn how you can raise awareness during National Child Abuse Prevention Month in April and throughout the year through the [2012 Prevention Month web section](#) on the Child Welfare Information Gateway website.

More reports, resources and other information can be found on the UIHI website, www.uihi.org

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