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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.

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.
Conference on AI/AN Maternal/Child Health: Prevention of Birth Defects, Health Promotion, and Disease Prevention
August 12 - 15, 2012 in Salt Lake City, Utah

Once again, the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG) and the Indian Health Service (IHS) will offer an excellent Women's Health update. The ACOG/IHS conference is a four-day multidisciplinary course that focuses on practical approaches to health problems of American Indian & Alaska Native (AI/AN) women and their children. It is specifically designed for Nurses, Advanced Practice Nurses, PAs, and Physicians providing care to AI/AN women in IHS, Tribal and Urban facilities. The core content is designed to update and expand maternity care and women’s health skills. There are hands-on training opportunities, including optional tracks for

- Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics (ALSO) certification;
- Nexplanon (the new version of Implanon) insertion training; and
- Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP) certification.

The faculty includes a diverse group of Indian Health workers past and present.

For additional information, click here or contact Yvonne Malloy, YMalloy@acog.org, 202-863-2580.

Registration is due July 13, 2012.

Resources

HealthCare.gov: Resources on Implementation of the Affordable Care Act

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has developed state-by-state fact sheets on the implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) that are now live on the healthcare.gov website. Click on your state to find materials relevant to the ACA, including regulations, grants, authorities and requests for public comment.

Scholarship

IHS Health Professions Scholarship

The Health Professions scholarship, offered by the Indian Health Service (IHS), provides financial aid covering tuition, required fees and other educational and living expenses for qualified American Indian and Alaska Native students applying to, accepted by or enrolled in health professions programs. Students take on service obligations and payback requirements on acceptance of their scholarship award. Graduate students and junior- and senior-level undergraduate students receive priority unless otherwise specified.

College Preparatory and Pre-Graduate scholarships are also available. For more information on all IHS scholarships, click here.

The deadline has been extended to May 7, 2012.
More reports, resources and other information can be found on the UIHI website, www.uihi.org

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