October 22, 2012

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.

Funding Opportunities

Paul B. Beeson Patient-Oriented Research Career Development Award in Aging

The National Institute on Aging (NIA) is pursuing this initiative to encourage and assist the development of future leaders in the field of aging by supporting clinically trained (primarily physician) faculty members early in their careers to gain additional research training and to establish independent programs in aging research.

Award Amount: $200,000
Letter of Intent Deadline: November 6, 2012
Application Deadline: **December 6, 2012**

More information about the *Award in Aging* can be found online.

---

**NIFA Community Food Projects Competitive Grant Program**

The National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) requests proposals for the Community Food Projects Grant Program. Community Food Projects should be designed to meet the food needs of low-income people, increase the self-reliance of communities in providing for their own food needs, and promote comprehensive responses to local food, farm, and nutrition issues and/or meet specific state, local, or neighborhood food and agriculture needs. The goal of the program should focus on infrastructure improvement and development, planning for long-term solutions, or the creation of innovative marketing activities that mutually benefit agricultural producers and low-income consumers.

Application Deadline: **November 28, 2012**

More information about the *Community Food Projects Grant Program* can be found online.

---

**Training Opportunity**

**TRAINING 3 Improving HPV Vaccination Practices in a Clinical Setting Webinar**

Two vaccines are currently available to prevent the human papillomavirus (HPV) types that cause most cervical cancers. Both vaccines are highly effective in preventing the targeted HPV types in men and women, as well as the most common health problems caused by them. This webinar is designed to inform clinicians about the HPV vaccine and promote increased usage in the clinical setting.

**Improving HPV Vaccination Practices in a Clinical Setting**  
**October 30, 2012:** 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Registration Deadline: **October 27, 2012**

More information about the *HPV Webinar* can be found online on the TRAINING 3 website.

---

**Conference**

**March of Dimes Annual Perinatal Conference for Health Professionals**

The 2012 March of Dimes Perinatal Conference for Health Professionals will feature presentations on perinatal quality collaboratives, public health initiatives to eliminate birth disparities and best practices to improve maternal and neonatal outcomes.

**November 7, 2012**  
Overland Park, KS

More information about the *2012 Conference* including registration information, speakers and hotel information can be found online on the March of Dimes website.
**Employment Opportunity**

**MCH Director Position at the Great Plains Tribal Chairman's Health Board**

The Great Plains Tribal Chairman's Health Board seeks a highly-motivated individual to serve as the Director of Maternal Child Health. The Director of MCH will manage and oversee special projects, evaluate program operations, identify opportunities to develop and implement program process improvements and develop plans for implementing new MCH initiatives and provide technical assistance. This position requires an MPH degree.

More information about the MCH Director Position can be found on the Great Plains Tribal Chairman’s Health Board Employment Opportunities webpage.

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

---

**Urban Indian Health Institute**

**Seattle Indian Health Board**

PO Box 3364
Seattle, Washington 98114
(206) 812-3030