Resources and Opportunities
Provided by the Urban Indian Health Institute
A Division of the Seattle Indian Health Board

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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.

Funding Opportunities

Partnership to Support Depression Programming (PSDP)

The Seattle Indian Health Board's Urban Indian Health Institute (UIHI) is pleased to announce an opportunity for Urban Indian Health Organizations (UIHOs) to participate in a facilitated partnership and strategic planning process. Supported by a cooperative agreement through the Office of Minority Health, the partnership is intended to encourage leveraging of resources and peer learning to strengthen depression programming. Strategic partnerships offers opportunities to disseminate innovative approaches to address depression, increase resources available to support programming and create sustainable peer-to-peer networks aiding UIHOs with program evolution. Two selected UIHOs will
receive up to $6000 for participation in partnership activities.

To learn more about this partnership opportunity please visit the complete Funding Opportunity Announcement and Application. For more information join the informational PSDP webinar on November 15, 2012 at 11:00 am (Pacific Time). Directions for accessing the webinar are available on the UIHI website.

For questions about this funding opportunity or the application process contact Aren Spark at aren@uihi.org or (206) 812-3046.

PHA End Childhood Obesity Innovation Challenge

The Partnership for a Healthier America (PHA) and the honorary chair First Lady Michelle Obama are working to end the childhood obesity crisis within a generation. PHA is inviting anyone with a great idea for how to end childhood obesity to enter the End Childhood Obesity Innovation Challenge. The finalists will win a trip to Washington, D.C., where they'll present their idea before a panel of judges and all attendees at the PHA's Building a Healthier Future Summit on March 6-8, 2013.

Award Amount: $10,000
Challenge Deadline: November 15, 2012

More information about the End Childhood Obesity Innovation Challenge can be found on the PHA website.

Go Red for Women Multicultural Scholarship Fund

The American Heart Association and Macy's proudly announce the Go Red for Women Multicultural Scholarship Fund. The Go Red Multicultural Scholarship aims to address gaps in treatment by increasing diversity in the medical field and ensuring all Americans have an opportunity to work with their healthcare providers to make the best choices that lead to good health.

Award Amount: $2,500
Application Deadline: November 30, 2012

More information about the Go Red Multicultural Scholarship Fund can be found online.

Conquer Cancer Foundation Awards

The Conquer Cancer Foundation of the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) is offering a Medical Student Rotation Award and a Resident Travel Award to facilitate the recruitment and retention of individuals from populations underrepresented in medicine to cancer careers and increase access to quality care for underserved communities

Application Deadlines: December 3, 2012

More information about the Medical Student Rotation Award and the Resident Travel...
Announcement

We R Native Website and Contest

The We R Native Website is a national multimedia health resource for Native teens and young adults created by the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board. The website features a text messaging service, a Facebook page, a YouTube channel, a Twitter feed, and a Tumblr page, as well as discussion boards, medically accurate information, and monthly contests.

Who R You Contest

This month's contest invites AI/AN youth between 13 and 21 years to submit a photo, video, paragraph, drawing, song, or text message that represents Native pride and what makes you proud about your culture and traditions.

Contest Deadline: November 20, 2012

More information about November's Who R You Contest can be found on the website. Visit the We R Native website to access these resources.

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