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This email 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 email was forwarded to you, you may sign up here.

Funding Opportunities

Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program

The National Institute of Food and Agriculture requests applications for the Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program. The program supports the development of Community Food Projects with one-time infusion of federal dollars to make such projects self-sustaining and encourage long term planning activities. The First Nations Development Institute has developed a webinar to aid in the application process.
The archived webinar, "I'm Thinking of Applying for the USDA Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program," is available on the First Nations Development Institute website under Previous Webinars in 2014.

Application Deadline: **March 31, 2014**

Find more information about the [Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program](#) online.

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**Urban Native Nonprofit Human Service Focus Grants**

The First Nations Development Institute and the National Urban Indian Family Coalition are accepting applications from nonprofit organizations that increase the availability and effectiveness of comprehensive community programming in urban Indian centers and communities. The project also supports new and expanded activities in urban Indian environments with the goal of improving opportunities that can be attained in all Native American urban communities.

Application Deadline: **March 31, 2014**

Find more information about the [Urban Native Nonprofit Human Service Focus Grants](#) online.

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**HHS Administration for Native Americans Grants**

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Administration for Native Americans offers a variety of grants for community-based projects to support the principle that social and economic development are inter-related and essential for the development of thriving Native communities.

HHS Administration for Native Americans offers the following funding opportunities, which can be found online by clicking the links below:

- [Native American Language Preservation and Maintenance](#)
- [Native American Language - Esther Martinez Immersion](#)
- [Social and Economic Development Strategies](#)
- [Sustainable Employment and Economic Development Strategies](#)

Application Deadlines: **April 15, 2014**

Find more information on the [Administration for Native Americans website](#).

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**Training**

**Adult Immunization Webinar**

Adult vaccination rates in the U.S. are very low. This webinar from the Virtual Immunization Communication Network presents evidence-based strategies and communication resources to support healthcare and public health professionals in educating and encouraging adults to get vaccinated.
Adults Need Vaccines Too? Strategies to Increase Immunization Awareness and Vaccination Rates
March 20, 2014 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (Pacific Time)

Find more information about the Adult Immunization Webinar online.

Find more reports, resources and other information on the UIHI website, www.uihi.org

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