

The National Indian Health Board is pleased to inform all tribal leaders of this opportunity offered by Leadership for Healthy Communities.

A Special Opportunity for Tribal Leaders



LEADERSHIP FOR HEALTHY COMMUNITIES

Advancing Policies to Support Healthy Eating & Active Living

Tribal Leader Event Scholarship Opportunity *Deadline August 26!*

2011 Childhood Obesity Prevention Summit

Making the Connection: Effective Approaches to Preventing Childhood Obesity

September 8-9, 2011

The Renaissance Downtown Hotel in Washington, D.C.

The 2011 Childhood Obesity Prevention Summit will focus on the significant social and economic benefits of preventing and reducing childhood obesity, and the importance of making it a policy priority, particularly in challenging economic times. Workshops and plenary sessions will demonstrate how policy-makers can champion "win-win" policies that support other policy areas, including economic development, job market expansion, and academic achievement while helping to improve children's health. The summit will provide policy-makers with tools, information, and opportunities to collaborate with and across sectors - public and private - to help reverse the childhood obesity epidemic by 2015.

Scholarships to pay for all expenses are available for tribal leaders! If you would like to receive a scholarship, please identify yourself as a tribal leader in an email and send it to

info@leadershipforhealthycommunities.org by Friday, August 26, 2011

The National Indian Health Board (NIHB) advocates on behalf of all Tribal Governments and American Indians/Alaska Natives in their efforts to provide quality health care. The only organization of its kind, NIHB advocates on behalf of all 565 federally-recognized Tribes in the development of national Indian health policy. Since 1972, the NIHB has advised the U.S. Congress, HIS federal agencies, and private foundations on health care issues of American Indians and Alaska Natives.