

Tribal Health Reform Resource Center

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Tribal Healthcare Reform Newsletter

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The National Indian Health Board Tribal Healthcare Reform Newsletter provides a brief overview on the current happenings in Indian healthcare reform.

Go to <http://www.nihb.org/tribalhealthreform/> for more information.

Upcoming Dates

7th Annual NIHB Tribal Public Health Summit

April 11-13, 2016
Atlanta, GA

NIHOE Partner Face-to-Face Meeting

April 14, 2016
Atlanta, GA

Kansas Public Health Summit

April 20, 2016
Kansas

33rd NIHB Annual Consumer Conference

September 19-23, 2016
Phoenix, AZ

NIHB releases 2016 Messaging toolkit

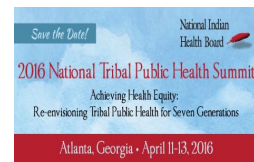
NIHB just released the 2016 Messaging toolkit. The toolkit was designed to help tribal organizations navigate through messaging steps for the American Indian/Alaska Native community to maximize outreach and education efforts. The toolkit is complete with a table of contents, 10 Steps Chart, 10 Steps to Getting your Message Out, Sample Messaging, Example Social Media Posts, How to Use Email, Radio PSA, Radio Pitch.

Please click [here](#) to view the complete toolkit. NIHB will be hosting another webinar in the near future. If you are interested in attending the webinar, please contact Francys Crevier at FCrevier@NIHB.org.

The 2016 Public Health Summit and NIHOE Face-to-Face is in Atlanta this April!

The Public Health Summit will be in Atlanta, Georgia on **April 11-13**. The standard registration ends April 8. Click [here](#) to register for the Summit.

The National Indian Healthcare Outreach and Education Partners (NIHOE) Face-to-Face meeting will be **April 14** following the conference.



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Outreach and Education Half Day Training in Atlanta!

What you need to know about Individual Exemptions, the Employer Mandate, and the Tribal Premium Sponsorship program.



NIHB Tribal Health Reform's Outreach and Education Department will be hosting a half-day training for the National Indian Healthcare Outreach and Education Partners.

The training will be held immediately following the Tribal Public Health Summit on April 14th from 8am-12pm in room 210-211. The training will include American Indian and Alaska Native Individual Exemptions, what Tribes need to know about the Employer Mandate as well as what Tribes should consider for the Tribal Premium Sponsorship program.

The NIHOE Monthly Face-to-Face meeting will follow the training at 1pm.

Any questions, comments or concerns, please contact our Tribal Healthcare Reform Outreach and Education Program Coordinator Francys Crevier at FCrevier@nihb.org.

Need to know about Health Care Policy Updates?

NIHB's Devin Delrow to present at the Tribal Public Health Summit

Devin Delrow, NIHB Director of Federal Relations, will provide an update on federal relations concerning the recent releases of policy changes or potential changes in policy from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and the Indian Health Service. His workshop is during the Tribal Public Health Summit on Wednesday, April 13th at 10:00am.

Topics to covered will include: 100% Federal Medical Assistance Percentage (FMAP), definition of Indian, insurance related issues, Medicare-like rates, purchased and referred care, and the Catastrophic Health Emergency Fund (CHEF) proposed rule.

NIHB wants YOUR Stories!

NIHB wants to share your successes across the nation

NIHB is collecting success stories! If you have any success stories from individuals that have enrolled in the Marketplace, or best practices, or anything else you want to share, let us know! We want to highlight some of these stories on our webpage and show off your hard work.

Please e-mail them to Francys Crevier at FCrevier@nihb.org or share your stories on our facebook page [here](#).



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Sincerely,

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