

AGENDA AT-A-GLANCE / DAY 1 & 2




Session Time		General Session (Grand Theater)							
9:15 – 9:45 A.M.		Opening Ceremonies: Choctaw Nation Color Guard and Flag Song; Lord's Prayer by LeeAnn Brady and the Choctaw Nation Royalty • Welcome: Choctaw Nation Chief, Gary Batton; Marty Wafford, (Chickasaw Nation) SPTHB Board Chairwoman							
9:45 – 11:00 A.M.		Keynote Presentation: Dr. Evan Adams							
11:00 – 12:00 P.M.		Indigenous Chef Series: Chef Nephi Craig							
12:00 – 1:30 P.M.		L U N C H							
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1:30 – 2:30 P.M.	Male-Experienced Intimate Partner Violence: Myths, Realities, and Repercussions Matthew Kozak and Molly Miller	Obesity Prevention: Strategies and Evaluation Methods for Tribal Communities Bryce McGowan, MPH, MED	Community Conversations on Sacred Trust: Screening and Assessment Birdie Werm, MPH, Danica Brown, Evan Elkin, and Cortney Yarholar	Youth Onset Type 2 Diabetes: Treatments, Complications, and the Path to Improved Outcomes Jeanie B. Tryggestad, MD	The Alzheimer's Disease Program Initiative "Seeking Hope" Atheda Fletcher and Gayla Temple	Veteran-Specific Health Risks Christi Sherrill, MPH	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	No Session
2:30 – 2:40 P.M.		B R E A K / N E T W O R K I N G							
2:40 – 3:40 P.M.	Examples of Indigenous Data Collection from Native Connections Grant Ashly Taylor, Carrie Winterowd, Julie Koch, Julia Pavon-Rojas, Lisa Fox, MA, LPC, and Xuewei Chen, Ph.D, Med, CHES	Pacific Northwest Tribal Community Environmental Health Assessments and Traditional Ecological Knowledge Antoinette Ruiz, BA, Nicole Holdaway Smith, MPH, and Ryan Ann Sealy, MPH	A Food Box Intervention to Reduce Blood Pressure and Improve Economic Costs in American Indian Adults with Hypertension: The Chickasaw Healthy Eating Environments Research Study (CHEERS) Joy Standridge, MPH, RDN/LD and Tyra Shackelford	Organizing and Conducting Community Outreach Events Angel Martinez-Thornton, RN, DPP Lifestyle Coach	A trauma-informed approach to Indigenous movement, meditation and holistic wellness Anna Leigh Finkbonner and Vina Brown	The Silent Crisis in Men's Health Ami Shah, MPH and Sonia Prevost-Derbecker BA, B.Ed	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	No Session
3:40 – 3:50 P.M.		B R E A K / N E T W O R K I N G							
3:50 – 4:50 P.M.	Every Day is Ceremony: A Culturally Responsive Intervention to Wellness Danica Brown and Karin Dean, BS	Building a Roadmap to Health Equity: Strengthening Public Health Infrastructure in Indian Country Julianna Reece	Healthy People 2030: A Road Map for Public Health Elizabeth Dee	Expanding the Oral Health Workforce: A Dental Therapy Toolkit for Oklahoma Alexandria Holt	Lessons learned from multi-modal media campaigns. A case presentation from the Tribal Vaccine Equity Project Chiharu Kato and Hannah Swartz, MPH	Consideration of heritage language and culture on TIPS campaign Richard Mousseau, Kelsey Evans, AS, and Higinio Herrera, BS	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	No Session
6:30 – 8:00 P.M.		F R E E M O V I E N I G H T – Celebrating the 25th Anniversary of Smoke Signals starring Dr. Evan Adams and Adam Beach at the Grand Theater							

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7:30 – 8:15 A.M.		Flow and Restore: Join Anna Leigh Finkbonner and Vina Brown of Rooted Resiliency for a movement session to help relax the muscles and the mind with a restorative yoga essence — Pecan/Willow Room							
9:30 – 9:45 A.M.		Opening Ceremonies: Invocation TBA • Welcome: SPTHB Executive Director, Nicolas Barton and TEC Director, Tracy Prather							
9:45 – 11:00 A.M.		Keynote Presentation: Sutton King							
11:00 – 12:00 P.M.		Indigenous Chef Series: Chef Crystal Wahpepah							
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1:00 – 1:45 P.M.	Peer Programs in Native Communities: The Diversity of Recovery Audrey Dietz, Casey Ward-Freeman, Latisha French, Misti Wall, and Teri Leedom, MS, LADC-MH	Identifying Patients for Potential Opioid Use Disorder (OUD) Megan Lowry, LMSW-P	The Innovative Approach of Electronic Behavioral Health Screening in Tribal Health Care Dorothea "Shauna" Humphreys, Miranda Summit, and Herbert McMichael, Ph.D.	Historical to Generational Trauma - My Mother & Me Anita Lena	Clinical Tobacco Treatment in Dental Clinics: A Case Study of a Collaboration between the Oklahoma Hospital Association and the Chickasaw Nation Health System Eric Finley and Kelly Willingham	Working Together Through Collaboration Josh DeBartolo	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	No Session
1:45 – 2:00 P.M.		B R E A K / N E T W O R K I N G							
2:00 – 2:45 P.M.	The Healing Forest & Changing Consciousness Mr. Don Coyhis	The Works of Good Health and Wellness in Indian Country and It's Impact on Tribal Communities Chris Tallbear, Blessing Bedeau, Connie Berryhill, and Stephanie Rupnicki	Co-occurring Autism and Mental Illness within Tribal Nations Crystal Hernandez and Dorothea "Shauna" Humphreys	Electronic Cigarette Use and the Association with Evidence-Based Smoking Cessation Methods among American Indian Cigarette Smokers Ashley Comiford, DrPH, MPH, BS	Community Health Aide Program (CHAP) Julie Seward and Martha Ketcher	Optimizing Population Health Risk-Based Strategies to Improve Tribal Health and Sustainable Operations Paul Isaacs, Elton Malone, Jonathan Myers, and Nicole Kaufman	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	No Session
2:45 – 3:00 P.M.		B R E A K / N E T W O R K I N G							
3:00 – 3:45 P.M.	Stimulant Misuse Among American Indian/Alaska Native Populations and Strategies for Prevention and Mitigation Vi Pham, MPH, CPH and Teresa Stephenson, M.Ed	Cancer among the American Indian Population of Oklahoma: Incidence, Mortality, Screening and Public Health Recommendations Ayesha Boureima Sambo, MPH, CPH	The Navajo Nation Nítch' éí Bee lííá – Air is Life Act: The Passing of a Historic Commercial Tobacco Policy in the Navajo Nation. Hershel Clark and Clinton Isham	Uniting Community through Workgroup Development Aaron Williams, Krystal George, and Kelly Willingham	See, Hear, Feel: How a Strong Intertribal Partnership Supports Healthy, Thriving Indigenous Youth in Kansas Samantha Wahwassuck, LMSW, Jenny Flinders, and Joshua Langi	Food as Medicine for Disease Prevention, Treatment, and Reversal Amit J Shah, MD, MBA and Sarah-Anne Schumann, MD MPH	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	No Session
3:45 – 4:30 P.M.	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	Poster Sessions
4:30 – 9:30 P.M.		S P T H B P O W W O W – Choctaw Events Center							

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AGENDA AT-A-GLANCE / DAY 3

Session Time		General Session (Grand Theater)							
7:30 – 8:15 A.M.		  Mobility and Meditation: Join Anna Leigh Finkbonner and Vina Brown of Rooted Resiliency for a movement session that brings mind-body connection to awareness with breathwork and meditation — Pecan/Willow Room							
9:30 – 9:45 A.M.		Opening Ceremonies: Invocation by TBD • Welcome: Conference Co-Chairs, RD Dickens and Lexi Hill							
9:45 – 11:00 A.M.		Keynote Presentation: Julianna Reece							
11:00 – 12:00 P.M.		Indigenous Chef Series: Chef Nico Albert							
12:00 – 1:00 P.M.		L U N C H							
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1:00 – 1:45 P.M.	Collective Voices: Lifting up Sexual Health Through Innovative Tribal Community Approaches for American Indian/Alaska Native Youth in Washington State Celena Ghost Dog, Asia Brown, and Nicole Casanova, MPH	Harm Reduction & Approaches within Native Communities Lyndi Seabolt	Promoting Urban Native Prenatal Health Through Exercise and Nutrition Courtney Reeder, MPH and Michaela Parrott	Mental Health Status Changes in American Indian/Alaska Native Populations During the COVID-19 Pandemic Brenna Lanoue, MSSc and Mali Souksavath	Lessons Learned from the 2020 Wisconsin Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Oversample of American Indian and Alaska Native Birthing Persons Marissa Hogan, Mireille Perzan, and Meg Diedrick, MPH (she/her)	Open	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	No Session
1:45 – 2:00 P.M.		B R E A K / N E T W O R K I N G							
2:00 – 2:45 P.M.	Removing the Shame and Stigma of Substance Abuse Disorder (SUD) / Addiction with special focus on the impact of opioid use among the Native American population Zach Grimes	Pap-a-Thon: Hosting a Women's Community Health Event Beth Sieloff, MPH	Healthy Native Youth Implementation Toolbox: Using An Online Decision Support System to Choose, Implement, and Grow Culturally-Relevant Adolescent Health Programs in American Indian and Alaska Native Communities Christine Markham and Michelle Singer	Preparing for Future Pandemics to Prevent Health Disparities in Tribal Populations Alison Lovell and Keye Garman	Post-Birth Trauma Care Rae Brand, APO, AAS	Open	Networking Room	Wellness Rooms	No Session
2:45 – 3:00 P.M.		B R E A K / N E T W O R K I N G							
3:00 – 3:30 P.M.		 7TH GENERATION AWARDS CEREMONY – Grand Theater							
3:30 – 4:00 P.M.		GRATITUDE CEREMONY – Grand Theater							

THURSDAY, APRIL 13
DAY 3

HIGHLIGHTS ON DAY 3



7:30 – 8:15 AM
Pecan/Willow Room
Rooted Resiliency
Mobility and Meditation

Join Anna Leigh Finkbonner and Vina Brown for this movement practice that brings mind-body connection to awareness with breathwork and meditation to conclude.



9:45 – 11:00 AM
Grand Theater
Julianna Reece
Keynote Presenter

Dr. Julianna Reece, MD, MBA, MPH, is a Board-Certified, Family Medicine physician with nearly 20 years of experience in direct Primary Care, the majority focused on American Indian/Alaska Native healthcare.



11:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Grand Theater
Nico Albert
Indigenous Chef Presenter

Chef Nico will share a new take on the classic Wild Onions and Eggs, incorporating traditional Cherokee stories that speak to our relationship to the land as Indigenous people, and how reconnecting to traditional foods, especially wild foods, can help us heal.



3:00 – 3:30 PM
Grand Theater
7th Generation
Awards Ceremony

Join us as we honor outstanding leaders in our Indigenous communities by sharing their story and recognizing their efforts with four prestigious awards.



3:30 – 4:00 PM
Grand Theater
Gratitude Ceremony
and Conference Wrap-Up

Expressions of kindness and uplifting those who are keen. Handing out prizes and some thoughtful surprises. Lifting spirits through love and laughter. If you haven't experienced the Gratitude Ceremony, this is the year to be there.