



TRI-AGENCY QUARTERLY MEETING

with Tribal Leaders, Tribal Health Directors, Tribal Members, Indian Health Services, Tribal Health Programs, and Urban Indian Health Programs

Date: Thursday, February 5, 2026

Session Times: 8:30 AM – 9:00 AM: General Opening Session | 09:00 AM – 10:30 AM: ADHS Tribal Consultation | 10:40 AM – 12:00 PM: AACIHC Town Hall ADHS Tribal Consultation | 01:30 PM – 4:30 PM: AHCCCS Tribal Consultation

Meeting Format: Hybrid (Virtual and In-Person)

In-Person Location: Phoenix Indian School Visitor Center at Indian Steele Park, [300 E. Indian School Road, Phoenix, AZ](#)

Webinar Registration Link: <https://tinyurl.com/Q1TriAgencyTC>

In-Person Registration Link: [Q1 Quarterly Tri-Agency Meeting In-Person Registration Form – Fill out form](#)

 LUNCH ON YOUR OWN 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM			
Time	Topic	Presenter(s)	Reference Documents
1:30 PM – 1:45 PM	Tribal Consultation Overview & Introductions	Britnee Endischee <i>AHCCCS Tribal Relations Coordinator</i>	
1:45 PM – 2:05 PM	Welcome & AHCCCS Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2025-2029 Strategic Plan 2025 Successes HR.1 Updates AHCCCS Moving Forward 	Marcus Johnson <i>CERA Deputy Director</i>	
2:05 PM – 2:35 PM	Federal Relations Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Independent Evaluation Traditional Healing What’s Next SPA Update 	Max Seifer <i>Federal Relations Section Chief & Health Policy Advisor</i> Ryan Melson <i>Federal Relations Specialist State Plan & Health Policy Manager</i>	

2:35 PM – 3:00 PM	Tribal Open Mic	Tribal Leaders, UIO Leaders & Appointed Delegates	
3:00 PM – 3:30 PM	Rural Health Transformation Program (RHTP) Update	Meaghan Kramer <i>Health Policy Advisory Office of the Governor</i>	
3:30 PM – 3:45 PM	Tribal Open Mic	Tribal Leaders, UIO Leaders & Appointed Delegates	
3:45 PM – 4:05 PM	DFSM Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Care Management Overview FFS Prior Authorization DFSM Strategic Planning Traditional Healing 	Leslie Short <i>DFSM Deputy Assistant Director</i> Edelmira Araya <i>DSM Care Management Manager</i>	
4:05 PM - 4:15 PM	Differential Adjusted Payments	Margaret Hackler <i>Valued Based Purchasing/DAP Manager</i>	
4:15 PM - 4:20 PM	Tribal Open Mic	Tribal Leaders, UIO Leaders & Appointed Delegates	
4:20 PM - 4:25 PM	Announcements & Adjourn	Britnee Endischee <i>AHCCCS Tribal Relations Coordinator</i>	
4:25 PM - 4:30 PM	Closing Remarks	Marcus Johnson <i>CERA Deputy Director</i>	