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# CHAP Tribal Advisory Group Meeting August 13, 2019

### **Meeting Agenda**

- Overview
- CHAP TAG Roster Updates
- Tribal Consultation Updates
- Next Steps
- September Meeting
- Other Business

### **CHAP TAG Roster Updates**

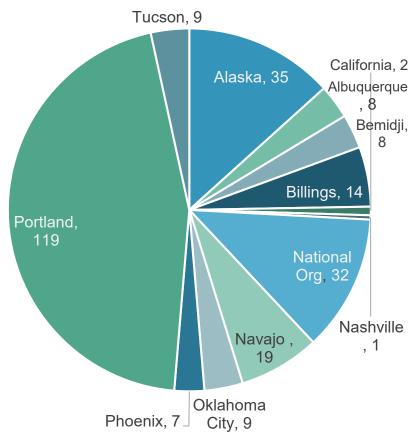
- Federal Co-Chair
- Executive Sponsor Updates
- Vacancies & New Members

# **Tribal Consultation Updates**

- Consultation initiated a 30-day commented period on May 7, 2019 for comments on the draft National CHAP policy
- Received requests from Tribes to extend the comment period an additional 30 days.
- Comment period closed on July 8, 2019

# **Tribal Consultation at a Glance**

- IHS received input from 37 Tribes, Tribal Organizations, and national organizations
- This yielded 264 individual comments





#### Resources

- General
  - <u>IHS Dear Tribal Leader Letter (6/2016)</u>
  - <u>IHS CHAP Press Release (1/2017)</u>
  - IHS Policy Statement on CHAP Expansion
  - <u>Alaska CHAP</u>
- Behavioral Health Aide
  - <u>Behavioral Health Aides: A Promising Practice for Frontier Communities</u>
  - An Action Plan for Behavioral Health Workforce Development
  - <u>Alaska Behavioral Health Aide Program</u>
- Community Health Representative
  - IHS Community Health Representative Program
  - Indian Health Manual Part 3 Chapter 16: Community Health Representatives <u>Program</u>
  - <u>National Association of CHR</u>
- Dental Health Aide
  - Alaska Dental Health Aide Program
  - Sample Dental Therapy Curriculum for Community Colleges
  - Current Use of DHATs in Indian Country and Beyond

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