



# California Rural Indian Health Board

## Injury Prevention Program

*Motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of death among American Indians and Alaska Natives aged 19 and younger*

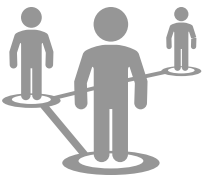
### PROGRAM GOALS

Reduce injuries to children in motor vehicle crashes, working with Pit River Health Service, Toiyabe Indian Health Project, Warner Mountain Indian Health Program, and Greenville Rancheria Tribal Health Program

1. Provide training for Child Passenger Safety Technicians and increase number of certified technicians in each community
2. Provide the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration training course each year in each community
3. Observe and record community members' car seat use
4. Host car seat check events and provide safety seats and education

### PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS Sept. 2015-Feb. 2020

123



Technicians

recruited, trained, and certified as Child Passenger Safety Technicians

18



Events

hosted to check correct safety seat use and to provide education about safety seats

1,141



Safety Seats

distributed to parents/caregivers across the four tribal communities

### Background



Service Population:  
~9,000

Service Location:  
California

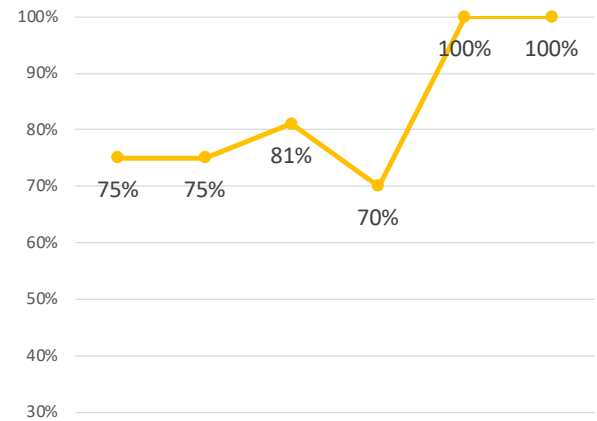
### Partnerships



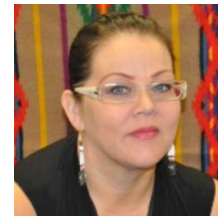
The program partners with the University of California Davis, California Highway Patrol, Departments of Public Health, community health programs, and others

### CRIHB Car Seat Use Rate

Observed Restraint Use by Time Period



Sept 2015 - Feb 2016 Sept 2016 - Feb 2017 Sept 2017 - Feb 2018 Mar 2018 - Aug 2018 Mar 2019 - Aug 2019 Sept 2019 - Feb 2020



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