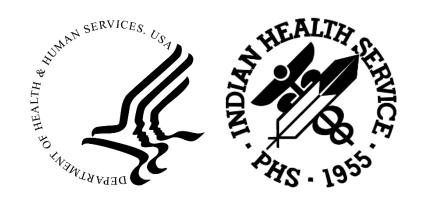
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#### Welcome

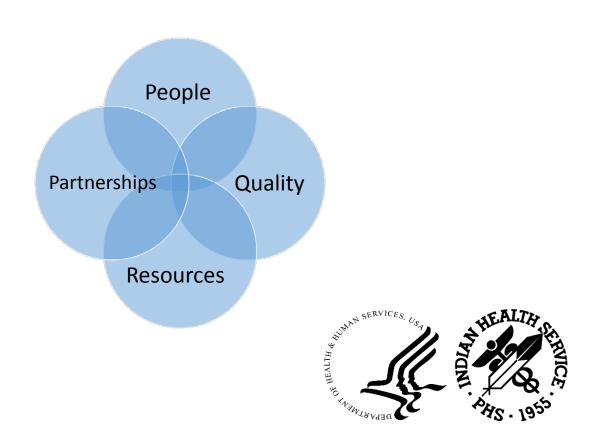


- •Rear Admiral Michael D. Weahkee
  - Acting Director, Indian Health Service



#### **IHS Priorities**

- People
- Partnerships
- Quality
- Resources



## People

- National Director's Awards Ceremony July 28
- National Combined Councils meeting
  - Innovative Strategies for a Quality Workforce
- Navajo Area housing construction
  - Chinle
  - Crownpoint



### Partnerships

- Tribal Self Governance Advisory Committee meeting
- Direct Service Tribes meetings in Massachusetts
  - DSTAC Quarterly Meeting Aug. 1
    National Meeting Aug. 2-3
- PRC Workgroup meeting
- Office of Information Technology listening sessions
  - Written comments due August 25
- Information Systems Advisory Committee



### Partnerships – continued

- Information Technology Service Catalog consultation/confer
  - Written comments due August 4
- Listening Session on Behavioral Health
  - August 15 in Tulsa, Oklahoma
- Great Plains Area consultation
- Albuquerque Area consultation
- Boys & Girls Clubs agreement
- MD Anderson Cancer Center agreement



## Quality

- Visit to Pine Ridge
  - •IHS Acting Director
  - Acting Surgeon General
  - Secretary's Office
- Quality Consortium meeting
- Telemedicine



#### Resources

- •FY 2018 budget update
- Senate Appropriations Subcommittee hearing



## Follow up from last call



