Addressing Oral-Systemic Health Inequities in American Indians: A Call to Action

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Learning Outcomes

• Apply interprofessional curricular tools to promote health equity for American Indian populations.

• Enhance the development of cultural humility to provide culturally safe health care for American Indian populations.
Background

Inequities

Institute of Medicine

Call to Action
Oral Health Inequities

Early Childhood Caries

Periodontal Disease

3X

23%

(2010 IHS Oral Health Survey)

(Skrepcinski, et al. 2002)
2013 IOM Workshop Summary

- Historical Trauma and Loss of Land
- Unbalanced Cultural Forces = Ill Health
- Balanced Cultural Forces = Good Health
- Cultural Safety
- Tailored to Unique, Local Community
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TIPS Model

Technology
Instruction
Practice
Service
Technology
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