

Public Health Emergency Preparedness Update



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AIHC's PHEPR Work - National Spotlight

- National Public Health Law Conference 2018
- National Academy of Science – Evidence-Based Preparedness Study
- Department of Homeland Security – Smart Cities Assessment Project
- National Indian Health Board – Public Health Emergency Preparedness and Response Initiative



Work Ahead

- Develop draft language for CDC/ASPR
 - Clarify roles and responsibilities for CDC/ASPR, states, local governments, tribes
 - Clarify process for tribes who choose to work directly with CDC/ASPR
- Develop draft language for DOH
 - MCM Distribution to Tribes Guidance Document
 - Annex 9 revisions
- Develop draft language for LHJ's plans
 - Process for including tribes in communication, decision-making and coordination of response actions during responses



Work Ahead

- Analyze WA Pharmacy MOU
 - Determine whether it is a viable mechanism for tribes to access MCM
 - If not, develop a more appropriate alternative
- Develop Model Tribal MCM Plan
 - Host training webinar
- Develop system for tribes and other PHEPR partners to share essential information



Work Ahead

- Develop curriculum and provide training to tribes and urban programs on Point of Dispensing (POD) planning and operations
- Develop Model Tribal MCM Plan
 - Host training webinar
- Provide information and technical support for tribes to participate in the statewide T-Rex MCM distribution exercise



Work Ahead

- Host MCM distribution planning meetings for each of the 9 regions with tribes, LHJs, DOH and other PHEPR partners
- Host a Mutual Aid Agreement workshop for the tribes and LHJs in Region 9 (Colville, Kalispel, Spokane)

