



SCHOOL OF  
**PUBLIC HEALTH**

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

## AMERICAN INDIAN PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELLNESS (AIPHW) CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

### *ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF AMERICAN INDIAN HEALTH AND WELLNESS*

The American Indian Public Health and Wellness (AIPHW) Certificate Program prepares students to understand how to work respectfully and effectively with Tribes and American Indian communities, to understand the basis of health services, and study the implication of specific local and federal laws to improve the health issues currently experienced by American Indians.

Participants will examine the **public health and wellness issues facing American Indian communities**, review historical implications, analyze legislation, apply financing requirements, and gain an understanding of the unique American Indian public health system and the complex set of services, activities, collaborations and stakeholders that varies by Tribe and region..

*The aim of this certificate is to increase the knowledge of health professionals and prepare a culturally informed workforce.*

### OPEN TO ALL

While the focus is on American Indians, there are advantages to learning accurate history, other health models, innovative health services, and the importance of a holistic approach of health and wellness for all populations.



  
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