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Secondhand Smoke Protections in Tribal Communities

Mission and Core Values

To provide commercial tobacco secondhand smoke awareness and resources to New Mexico tribal communities, improving health outcomes.

Respect, Culture, Family Responsibility to Community, Humility, Health, Love, Empowerment, Sustainability, and Community

Tribal Internship Opportunity

Gilbane Co. seeks intern for outreach and community engagement



Gilbane is seeking an internship to support tribal engagement and outreach. If you think this might be you, visit [this website](#) to apply. As a fifth generation family business, Gilbane has built the best team in the industry with a culture of caring that treats every one of their employees as a trusted member of the Gilbane family. If you have the desire to make a real difference in people's lives and become part of a growing organization that treats you like member of the family - check out this internship with Gilbane.

Health Care Providers: Help your patients quit smoking

You can play a key role in fighting tobacco use, the number one cause of preventable death and disease in the United States. No matter what your specialty is, you know the drastic effects that smoking can have on your patients' health. You know the toll secondhand smoke can take on their children and families. Many smokers want to quit. Getting started often takes support and motivation from trusted sources, like you.

The CDC offers a wealth of information for [health care professionals](#), [mental health professionals](#), [pharmacists](#), and [vision professionals](#) to help you help your patients quit commercial tobacco. Learn more by visiting the CDC's website [here](#).



Tobacco in the News

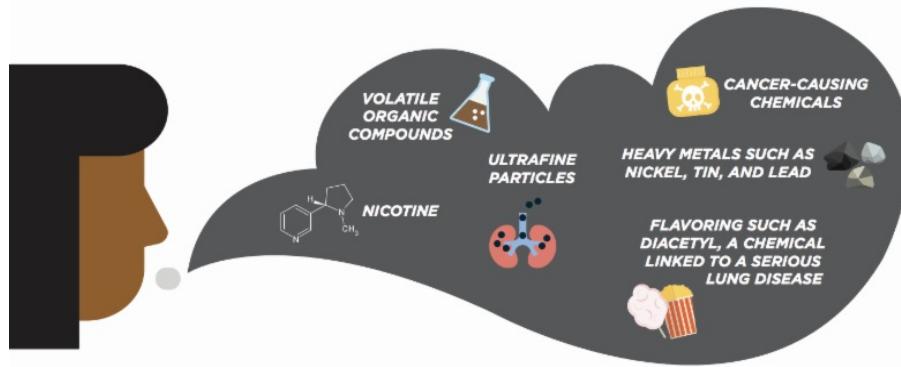
CDC publishes new e-cigarette information

E-cigarettes are known by many different names. They are sometimes called "e-cigs," "e-hookahs," "mods," "vape pens," "vapes," "tank systems," and "electronic nicotine delivery systems." [Click here to read more.](#)

Electronic cigarettes. What's the bottom line?

- E-cigarettes have the potential to benefit adult smokers who are not pregnant if used as a complete substitute

- for regular cigarettes and other smoked tobacco products.
- E-cigarettes are not safe for youth, young adults, pregnant women, or adults who do not currently use tobacco products.
 - While e-cigarettes have the potential to benefit some people and harm others, scientists still have a lot to learn about whether e-cigarettes are effective for quitting.
 - **If you've never smoked or used other tobacco products or e-cigarettes, don't start.**



Event Calendar

Tribal Community Health Summit: The Lifecycle of Commercial Tobacco



Join us for a day covering the lifecycle of commercial tobacco including prevention, point of sale, nicotine addiction, second- and thirdhand smoke, policy change, and cessation. Participants will leave the training with the tools and resources to integrate new tobacco control strategies into their programs.

All who participate in the full training will receive a certificate of completion.

Who should attend: All interested in beginning or strengthening their commercial tobacco prevention and cessation programs

Where: Pueblo of Acoma Tribal Auditorium

When: Wednesday, June 20, 2018 from 10:30 AM to 3:00 PM

How to register: <https://nmiadhealthsummit.eventbrite.com>

Travel stipends are available on a first registered, first served basis. Lunch will be provided.

Contact Lesley Stephens with any questions at lstephens@keresnm.com or 505-314-5467.

What now?

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