WHO IS AAIP?

The Association of American Indian Physicians (AAIP) works to pursue excellence in Native American health care by promoting education in the medical disciplines, honoring traditional healing principles and restoring the balance of mind, body and spirit.

AAIP’s membership is made up of American Indian and Alaska Native physicians who are licensed to practice medicine in the United States. AAIP also offers an affiliate level membership for individuals who are not American Indian or Alaska Native physicians.

WHERE CAN I GET VACCINATED?

To find a flu vaccine location near you:
Search vaccines.gov
• Text your ZIP code to 43882
• Or call 1-800-232-0233

Other ways to find vaccine providers:
• Ask your doctor, pharmacist or community health center
• Check the tribal clinic in your area
• Contact your state health department
• Check your local pharmacy’s website

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The Morehouse School of Medicine National COVID-19 Resiliency Network (NCRN) coordinates a strategic and structured national network of national, state/territorial/tribal and local public and community-based organizations that will mitigate the impact of COVID-19 on racial and ethnic minority, and rural populations.
PROTECT OUR COMMUNITY

Our communities are strongest when we all take action.

“\text{I am vaccinated because it is the right thing to do. It’s the way you can protect your family, you can protect your community, and you can protect yourself.}”

- Dr. Arne Vainio
Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe

JOIN OUR FIGHT AGAINST THE FLU

The flu vaccine can keep you from getting sick and reduce the severity of illness in vaccinated people.

Seasonal flu vaccinations can:
- Reduce your risk of getting sick, hospitalized, or dying from the flu.
- Reduce the severity of illness in people who get vaccinated but still get sick.
- Protect people who are more vulnerable to serious flu, like babies, young children, elders and people with certain chronic health conditions.

Haven’t received your flu vaccine yet?
Protect yourself, your family and your community by visiting your tribal clinic for a flu vaccine today.

WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO GET VACCINATED?

Flu vaccination is vital for American Indians and Alaska Natives. When adjusted for age, AI/AN individuals consistently have a higher risk for flu than White individuals.* With health disparities and lower vaccination rates experienced by AI/ANs, it’s even more crucial to stay up to date on all vaccines, including the flu.

American Indians and Alaska Natives are at a higher risk for flu-related pneumonia and bronchitis, hospitalization and death.* This elevated risk hits young children, elders, pregnant women, and those with chronic conditions such as diabetes, heart disease and other lung problems the hardest.

1.3 times more likely to be hospitalized with the flu than white persons*  
40.9% flu vaccination coverage for AI/AN persons*

*CDC, Oct. 18, 2022

Let’s change these statistics and preserve native culture by getting vaccinated today.

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