

Timeline of Events

Indian Health Care

Improvement Act (IHCA)

TECs established by IHCA as a way to provide enhanced public health support to American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) peoples. TEC core funding is provided by the Indian Health Service.

2 More TECs Established

United South and Eastern Tribes & Urban Indian Health Institute TECs

4 More TECs Established

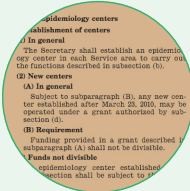
Navajo, California, Rocky Mountain & Oklahoma TECs

IHCA Permanently Reauthorized

TECs acknowledged as public health authorities granting access to AIAN data, data sets, monitoring systems, delivery systems, and other protected health information.

Good Health and Wellness in Indian Country (GHWIC)

The CDC's largest investment to improve health among AIAN people is the GHWIC program focused on preventing chronic disease through policy, systems, and environmental changes.



1996



4 TECs Established

Phoenix, Portland, Great Lakes & Alaska TECs

2000



2003



1 More TEC Established

Great Plains TEC

2005



2006



1 More TEC Established

Albuquerque TEC

2010



2013



reporting health data for AIAN populations. It also describes the work that the TECs do, individually and collectively, to provide AIAN communities with the best public health surveillance and interpretation of health data.

2014



2017



Tribal Epidemiology Centers Public Health Infrastructure Program (TECPHI)

Funded by the CDC, the TECPHI Program is funded to increase TEC capacity, infrastructure, and sustainability activities in order to better meet the TEC seven core functions.