

Module One: Starting Points



BEFORE WE GET STARTED...

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Tribal Youth resource Center

- Cooperative partner of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
- Housed at the Tribal Law and Policy Institute
- Work in partnership with the National Native Children's Trauma Center
- OUR PURPOSE: Enhancing the opportunities for Indigenous communities to expand their potential in protecting and nurturing their most sacred asset – the youth.







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Our Training the Next Two Days

- Overview of Juvenile Healing to Wellness Courts (JHWCs)
- Case Management
- Trauma Informed Approach
- Increasing Community
 Engagement and Partnership
 Development



Our Training the Next Two Days

- Recovery and Sustained **Behavior Change**
- Lessons Learned and Case **Studies**
- Observations of Functioning Courts
- Self Care



Polls

Who's with us today?

- What is your level of knowledge of the Juvenile Healing to Wellness Court?
- If you have one, what stage is your Juvenile Healing to Wellness Court?
- Where is your Juvenile Healing to Wellness Court Housed or where will it be housed?

Our Work

- History
- Purpose
- JHWCs Today
- What's Available
- Planning for Future



HISTORY

Tribal Juvenile Healing to Juvenile Drug **Wellness Court** Adult Drug Court **Treatment Court** (2015)Tribal Healing to Tribal Healing to Enhancement Wellness Court Wellness Court Support/Program Sustainability Responses to Underage (2021)

Drinking Initiative (2014)

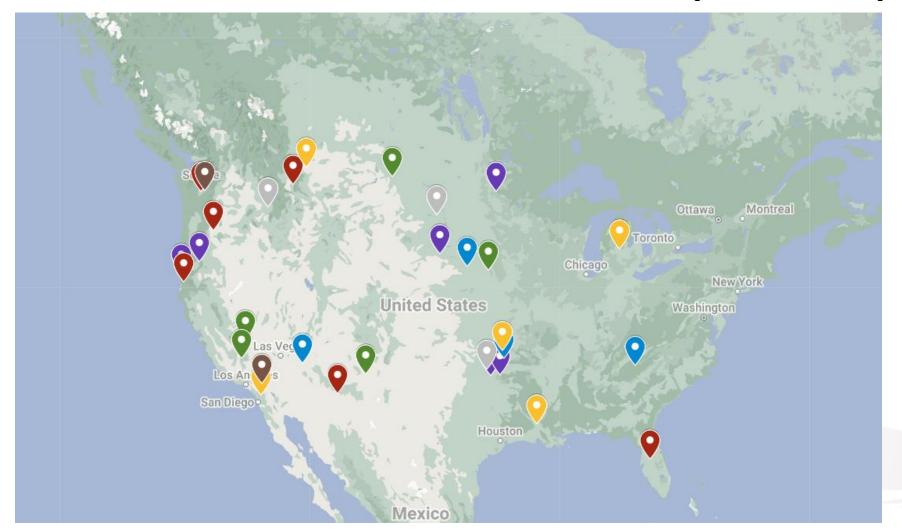
PURPOSE

- Specialized courts that integrate an interdisciplinary and individualized service approach.
- Incorporation of elders, community members and culturally appropriate resources to promote individual healing, connection and/or reintegration into the tribal community.
- Consideration and implementation of the *Wellness Court Key Components*.
- Intervention and support for tribal youth.

JUVENILE HEALING TO WELLNESS COURTS TODAY

- OJJDP CTAS PA8 FY2021- 1st Cohort of both Enhancement Grantees (Continuing) and New Grantees.
- Across Regions funded and unfunded courts.
- General range of services ages 14-21 (See OJJDP Grant Guidelines and also recommendations under the Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Guidelines).
- Innovation and Collaborative Partnerships
- Transformative and Restorative Processes- Circle, Elders Panels,
 Youth/Peer Led Support and Integration of Services to Support Whole Wellness.

OJJDP TRIBAL GRANTEE MAP (JHWC)





FUTURE



PLANNING ASSESSMENT TOOL

- Tribal Youth Resource Center offers a free Organizational Self Review and Grantee Assessment Tool
 - Available Online and in Paper Format
 - Can be conducted individually or with a team
 - Results contribute to the development of the team's strategic plan and the TTA plan to support Tribal Grantees.
 - Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FY21SelfReview

COMMUNITY ASSESSMENT

- Support is available to conduct a community needs assessment.
- Existing Tools-
 - Community Readiness Assessment (Free/Resource is available online)
 - TYRC can provide Technical Assistance related to community-led surveys on JHWC-relevant topics.
 - Additional team members are trained in approaches such as Gathering of Native Americans (GONA)* requires additional planning time to support request for GONA.

Innovative Approach

- Let's discuss the different ways your communities are addressing youth substancerelated behavior
- Does your current programming assist youth in a trauma-informed approach?



CLOSING THOUGHTS...

Today

- 11:45 am 1 pm Module 2: "Principles in Case Management"
- 2 pm 3:15 pm Module 3: "Trauma-Informed Approach to Support Juvenile Healing to Wellness Court Participants"
- 3:30 pm 4:45 pm Module 4: "Developing and Solidifying Partnerships to Support JHWC Operations"

Tomorrow

- 10 am 11:30 am Module 5: "Supporting Youth Recovery and Sustained Behavior Change"
- 11:40 am 1 pm Module 6: "Lessons Learned in Developing a JHWC"
- 2 pm 3 pm <u>Module 7</u>: "A Cross Comparison of Operations and Case Management Strategies in Juvenile Healing to Wellness Courts"
- 3:30 pm 4:45 pm Module 8: "Self-Care and Compassion Fatigue"



