Sacred Traditional Tobacco for Healthy Native Communities

A Balanced Community for Health (Southwest Region)

- Tribal leadership support & engagement
- Cultural connectedness & healing
- Community engagement
- Youth leadership & youth-led advocacy

**Community Center**
- Enact tribal ordinance that disallows harmful tobacco use inside building and 25 feet outside building.
- Encourage traditional tobacco for gifts and offerings at ceremonies and events.

**Tribal Council and Government Center**
- Enact tribal tobacco policies that will improve community health.
- Prioritize and support positive community health initiatives.

**Community Tobacco Garden**
- Grow traditional tobacco and provide education for community members.

**School**
- Incorporate traditional tobacco knowledge and practices into education.

**Ceremonial Areas**
- Use only traditional tobacco, do not allow commercial cigarette smoking.

**Signage**
- Use signage to promote traditional American Indian cultural values around tobacco and solutions.

**NATIVE LANGUAGE CAMP**
- Engage community with knowledge of cultural practices for traditional tobacco use.

**Tribal Clinic**
- Provide direct support to quit with culturally specific cessation.

**Economic Development**
- Encourage child safe placement of tobacco and e-cigarette products in tribal enterprises.
- Limit marketing of commercial tobacco and ensure youth do not have access.

Ceremonial area in this graphic is representative of the Pueblo tribe.