SACRED TRADITIONAL TOBACCO FOR HEALTHY NATIVE COMMUNITIES
A BALANCED COMMUNITY FOR HEALTH (SOUTHWEST REGION)

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

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.

Enact tribal tobacco policies that will improve community health. Prioritize and support positive community health initiatives.

Grow traditional tobacco and provide education for community members.

Encourage traditional tobacco for gifts and offerings at ceremonies and events.

Provide direct support to quit with culturally specific cessation.

Incorporate traditional tobacco knowledge and practices into education.

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.

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

Engage community with knowledge of cultural practices for traditional tobacco use.

Use only traditional tobacco, do not allow commercial cigarette smoking.

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