SACRED TRADITIONAL TOBACCO
FOR HEALTHY NATIVE COMMUNITIES

A BALANCED COMMUNITY FOR HEALTH

- Tribal leadership support & engagement
- Cultural connectedness & healing
- Community engagement
- 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.

Provide direct support to quit with culturally specific cessation.

Do not allow cigarette smoking. Use only traditional tobacco.

Incorporate traditional tobacco knowledge and practices into education.

Grow traditional tobacco and provide education for community members.

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

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

Eliminate sale of flavored tobacco and e-cigarette products. Limit marketing of commercial tobacco and ensure youth do not have access.

Keep Tobacco Sacred.