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Subject: Collaborative – WISEWOMAN funding opportunity

Greetings Honorable Tribal Leaders, Partners, and Professionals:

In accordance with chapter [43.376 RCW](#), the [Washington State Centennial Accord of 1989](#), and [DOH Consultation and Collaboration Procedure](#), we are writing to invite Tribes, Urban Indian Organizations, and Recognized American Indian Organizations to apply for up to \$30,000 for women through the CDC's Well-Integrated Screening and Evaluation for Women Across the Nation (WISEWOMAN) program.

This is an opportunity to complete a feasibility study for a Tribal pilot of a cardiovascular disease risk reduction program. The funding period for this opportunity is June 1, 2026 – September 29, 2026. To apply for this funding, please submit a short letter of interest to [WISEWOMAN](#) Program Coordinator, [Tami Davidson](#), with the following information:

- Contact information
- Mission and alignment
- Background and community need
- Feasibility study approach and proposed timeline
- Proposed budget

For more information about this opportunity and the Breast, Cervical, and Colon Health Program, please contact Margaret Chaykin, Program Manager, at Margaret.Chaykin@doh.wa.gov. Or Candice Wilson, Executive Director, Office of Tribal Public Health and Relations (OTPHR), at Candice.Wilson@doh.wa.gov or (360) 819-7626.

Sincerely,

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