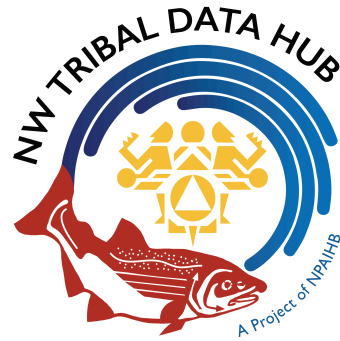


NORTHWEST TRIBAL DATA HUB

Data Fact Sheet

The Northwest Tribal Data Hub (Data Hub), a project of the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board (NPAIHB) Northwest Tribal EpiCenter (NWTEC), offers Tribes in Idaho, Oregon, and Washington secure and easy access to public health data topics such as: drug overdose, suicide, causes of death, cancer, demographics, hospitalizations, and other health issues. Tribes can access, view, interact with, and download data through visual and interactive dashboards. Each Tribe can see aggregated data for their Tribal area, state, and the Northwest region. The primary goal is to provide Tribal communities with reliable data to inform health programing, policy, and support funding proposals. The project aims to expand, offering more health topics.



DATA SOURCES

NWTEC partners with state and federal entities to gather data for Tribes in Idaho, Oregon, and Washington.

State Sources:

- Vital/Health Statistics (birth and death records)
- Cancer Registries (cancer records)
- Hospital discharge data (inpatient hopitilization)
- Syndromic Surveillance data (emergency department, urgent care, & other healthcare visits)
- Reportable communicable disease data
- Trauma data (Idaho only)

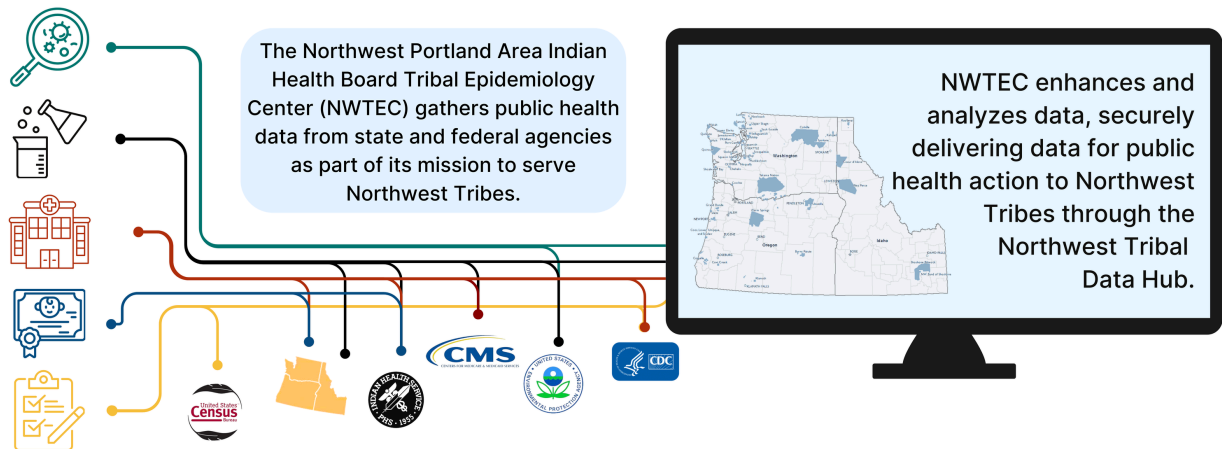
Federal Sources:

- US Census Bureau (demographic, economic, & population data)
- EpiDataMart (IHS clinical encounter data)



Tribal Data Flow

Data are collected from individuals and communities through surveys, official documents, healthcare visits, and environmental monitoring by Tribal, State, and Federal government agencies.



Tribes use public health data to monitor health conditions, assess healthcare access and quality, and enhance overall well-being.

Identifying Tribal Areas

Tribal affiliation or decendancy are not included in most datasets, so the Data Hub uses county codes cross-referenced with Indian Health Service (IHS) Purchased/Referred Care Service Delivery Areas (PRCDA) to identify Tribal areas. This approach provides an approximation of health risks and outcomes within a Tribal area. For more information about your Tribal area, see the [PRCDA Table](#).

Data Updates

The Data Hub team updates dashboard data as new information is received. Update times vary by data source and are dependent on data sharing agreements and the frequency of data receipt.

AVAILABLE DATA

Currently available:

- Drug overdose
- Suicide
- Leading causes of death

Coming soon

- Cancer
- Racial misclassification
- Diabetes
- Heart disease
- Demographics

Requesting additional data

Tribes can request additional data topics by emailing datahub@npaihb.org. Do not send data in the request email to ensure security.

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