



IHS PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

ABOUT PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

Public Health Nursing at IHS includes Maternal Child Health department, and manage prenatal, postpartum and newborn cases. IHS also offers a Certified Lactation Counselor and Certified Childbirth Educator.

ELIGIBILITY: Native American enrolled in a federally recognized tribe.

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MORE INFORMATION

SERVICES: Home visits, office visits, offering education, physical assessments for prenatal, postpartum and newborns. Focus on high risk prenatal patients, and offer

home visits for all postpartum and newborns.



Provide individual and group breastfeeding and childbirth classes. Offer hands on support with breastfeeding after delivery at hospital

and/or home as requested. Immunizations to infants and adults. Offer presentations in community as requested. Will see children 0-5 based on need and/or referral from medical provider. Offer breastfeeding support throughout the time the child is breastfed. Go into the daycares, Early Head Start and Head Start programs and offer immunizations and hearing screenings.

AVAILABILITY: No limit