

**Northern Arizona American Indian
Maternal Child Wellness Forum**

Twin Arrows Navajo Casino Resort, Flagstaff, AZ

September 12, 2013

- 8:00 am **Registration and Check In**
- 9:00 am **Welcome, Opening Comments, and Blessing**
Mr. Rex Lee Jim, Navajo Nation Vice President (*invited*)
- 9:15 am **Women's Health and Pregnancy Health**
Merry-K Moos, BSN, MPH, FAAN
(Including obesity, maternal chronic diseases--with a focus on diabetes control prior to conception, alcohol and other drug use, and folic acid supplementation relative to the disproportionate needs of the American Indian population)
- 10:15 **Multicultural Approaches to Preconception Health – Panel discussion**
Moderated Q & A with Merry-K Moos
Panelists include: Amanda Leib, MD; Ursula Knoki-Wilson, CNM, MSN, MPH; Linda Ross, Native Healer, and Hopi representative
- 10:45 am **Break**
- 11:00 am **Inherited Genetic Disorders (An overview of conditions prevalent in Navajos and other Athabascans)**
Diana Hu, MD
- 12:00 pm **Safe Sleep**
Navajo Area PHN
- 12:15 pm **Working Lunch (provided)**
- 12:30 pm **Traditional Wisdom: Supporting Breastfeeding**
Suzan Murphy, RD, MPH, CDE, IBCLC
- 1:30 pm **Navajo Area Mortality and Birth Defects Report / Update**
Epidemiologist, Navajo Epidemiology Center
- 2:15 pm **Family Presentation**
- 3:00 pm **Break**
- 3:15 pm **Vaccine Preventable Diseases and Immunizations in American Indian Children**
Raymond Reid, MD
- 4:00 pm **Closing Comments**
- Adjournment**