CONSORTIUM OF NATIONAL NETWORKS – Networking2Save
Partnerships for Tobacco Control Programs working with Special Populations to Advance Health Equity

CDC supports a consortium of 8 national organizations to advance the prevention of commercial tobacco use and cancer in populations experiencing tobacco- and cancer-related health disparities.

The Networking2Save approach intends to encourage organizations to work together to prevent and control tobacco-related cancers in special populations through partnerships with public health programs, data and information systems, practice and service, and resources.

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| Asian American/Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander Communities | ASPIRE Network [Appealforhealth.org](http://appealforhealth.org) | Asian Pacific Partners for Empowerment, Advocacy & Leadership (APPEAL) | Camille Mendaros [cmendaros@appealforhealth.org](mailto:cmendaros@appealforhealth.org) (510) 891-1254 | • Research and data advocacy  
• Customized and individualized technical assistance  
• Educational materials  
• Policy recommendations |
| Geographically defined Communities (location based) | Geographic Health Equity Alliance (GHEA) [www.geohealthequity.org](http://www.geohealthequity.org) | Community Anti-Drug Coalition of America | Andrew Romero [aromero@cadca.org](mailto:aromero@cadca.org) (703) 706-0560 x273 | • Customized and individualized technical assistance  
• Trainings  
• Community-based partnership development  
• Program development |
| African-American Communities | National African American Tobacco Prevention Network [www.naatpn.org](http://www.naatpn.org) | National African American Tobacco Prevention Network (NAATPN), Inc. | Delmonte Jefferson [djefferson@naatpn.org](mailto:djefferson@naatpn.org) (919) 680-4000 | • Speaking engagements  
• Grassroots organizing  
• Fundraising and grant writing  
• Marketing and PR |
| People with Mental/Substance use disorders | National Behavioral Health Network for Tobacco and Cancer Control (NBHN) [www.bhthechange.org](http://www.bhthechange.org) | National Council for Behavioral Health | Taslim van Hattum [TaslimyH@thenationalcouncil.org](mailto:TaslimyH@thenationalcouncil.org) (202) 684-7457 | • Customized and individualized technical assistance  
• Communities of Practice  
• Educational sessions  
• State Summits |
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<td>National LGBT Cancer Network&lt;br&gt;</td>
<td>Dr. Scout&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:scout@cancer-network.org">scout@cancer-network.org</a>&lt;br&gt;(401) 267-8337&lt;br&gt;Karen Naimool&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:karen@cancer-network.org">karen@cancer-network.org</a></td>
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<td>Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, Inc.&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:jhudson@itcmi.org">jhudson@itcmi.org</a>&lt;br&gt;(906) 632-6896 x152</td>
<td>Joshua Hudson&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:jhudson@itcmi.org">jhudson@itcmi.org</a>&lt;br&gt;(906) 632-6896 x152</td>
<td>• AI/AAN awareness training&lt;br&gt;• Intergovernmental cooperation and tribal sovereignty training&lt;br&gt;• Regular webinars&lt;br&gt;• Cessation Community of Practice</td>
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<td>National Alliance for Hispanic Health&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:mgaitan@healthyamericas.org">mgaitan@healthyamericas.org</a>&lt;br&gt;(202) 797-4336</td>
<td>Marcela Gaitan&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:mgaitan@healthyamericas.org">mgaitan@healthyamericas.org</a>&lt;br&gt;(202) 797-4336</td>
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<td>Patient Advocate Foundation</td>
<td>Dwana “Dee” Calhoun&lt;br&gt;<a href="mailto:d.calhoun@selfmadehealth.org">d.calhoun@selfmadehealth.org</a>&lt;br&gt;(757) 509-0227</td>
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