

## Introducing the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe Behavioral Health Services School-Based Consulting Clinician Program

The clinician works with multiple community agencies to facilitate linking Native/Tribal children, youth & their families to appropriate services in a timely manner.

This strength-based prevention focused community program will

provide training & education to school staff & administration on a variety of topics related to

Tribal children & their behavioral health needs.



Help is on the way

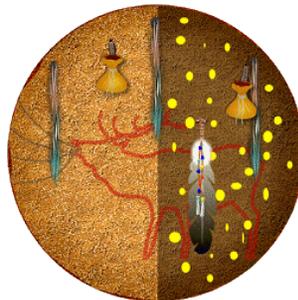
The Consulting Clinician will work in partnership with area schools to identify & respond to the behavioral health needs of Native/Tribal students. Program staff will work collaboratively with schools to ensure Native/Tribal youth & their families have the necessary support to achieve school success.

The referral process is school driven & responsive to needs identified by school staff. Feel free to contact the Consulting Clinician with questions related to behavioral health or tribal culture.

## Clinical background of staff:

- ◇ Fully Licensed Masters Level Social Worker
- ◇ Substance Abuse certification
- ◇ 10+ years of Children's Services experience in the community
- ◇ 3+ years prior experience working with Behavioral Health residential program

## Balancing Traditional teachings with Western methods



## How to access staff:

The School-Based Consulting Clinician can be reached in multiple ways:

- ◇ Direct call 775-4887
- ◇ Email [swinchell@sagchip.com](mailto:swinchell@sagchip.com)
- ◇ Call the reception staff 775-4850

All contact with the Behavioral Health Programs of the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan is strictly confidential according to federal regulations, C.F. R. 42.

In event of a crisis or emergency follow established district/school protocol.

## Behavioral Health Programs: School-Based Program

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Provides immediate access to services for Native youth, children & their families

- ◆ *A program of the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe's Behavioral Health services.*
- ◆ *Linking Native children & their families to services as needed, when needed.*
- ◆ *Providing behavioral health training to school staff & administration.*
- ◆ *Qualified, experienced culturally sensitive behavioral health clinician available to respond to student & staff needs.*
- ◆ *Provides short-term focused therapy.*
- ◆ *Provides culturally sensitive assessment when needed.*



Assisting Native students in following their dreams

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