



SOUTHERN UTE INDIAN TRIBE

July 24, 2020

Dear Tribal Members,

The COVID-19 pandemic has not discriminated against any particular geographically area. While close to half of the enrolled tribal membership reside on and around the Southern Ute Reservation, it is important to recognize the tribal members who reside off-reservation.

Tribal Council Affairs has researched and compiled resources that will be helpful understanding impacts of the coronavirus in the area that you reside. The resources include areas where there are large populations of tribal members. Tribal Members who reside in an area that is not included on this list, can research their state and local health and education departments and (small) business resources. It is important to note that school specific information would more appropriately reside on the school district website(s).

Tribal Members who reside off-reservation are eligible for a number of tribal programs, and although the Tribe is still under the tribal “Stay at Home” Order departments are continuing to work remotely to provide continuity of services. A comprehensive list of modified tribal operations is available on the Tribal Member Portal and available upon request. To request the comprehensive list please contact Tribal Council Communication Specialist, Ms. Lindsay Box, at 970.563.2313 or via email at lbox@southernute-nsn.gov

Below is a list of resources as of Friday, July 24, 2020.

Albuquerque Area

NM Health Department Information

Website: www.nmhealth.org {Red Button – Coronavirus Updates}

Facebook: @nmdoh

Instagram: @NMDOH

Twitter: @NMDOH

COVID-19 Business Resources: www.gonm.biz/about-us/covid-19-response

Department of Education: www.newmexico.gov/education/

Bernalillo County Health Department Information

Website: www.berncounty.gov/health-and-public-safety/

Facebook: @BernalilloCounty

Instagram: @berncounty

Twitter: @BernCounty

Department of Education: www.newmexico.gov/education/

Phoenix Area

AZ Health Department Information

Website: www.azdhs.gov

Facebook: @azdhs

Instagram: @azdhs

Twitter: @AZDHS

COVID-19 Business Resources: www.azcommerce.com/covid-19/financial-resources/

Department of Education: www.azed.gov

Maricopa County Health Department Information

Website: www.maricopa.gov/5302/Public-Health

Facebook: @maricopacountyaz

Instagram: @maricopacounty

Twitter: @maricopacounty

COVID-19 Business Resources: www.maricopa.gov/5548/COVID-19-Resources

Denver Area

Colorado Health Department Information

Website: www.colorado.gov/cdphe

Facebook: @CDPHE

Instagram: @cdphe

Twitter: @CDPHE

COVID-19 Business Resources: www.choosecolorado.com/covid19/

Department of Education: www.cde.state.co.us

Tri-County Health Department Information

Website: www.tchd.org

Facebook: @cotchd

Instagram: @tchdhealth

Twitter: @TCHDHealth

Texas

Texas Health Department Information

Website: www.dshs.texas.gov

Facebook: @TexasDSHS

Instagram: @texasdshs

Twitter: @TexasDSHS

Department of Education: www.tea.texas.gov

Oklahoma

Oklahoma Health Department Information

Website: www.ok.gov/health/

Facebook: @oklahomahealth

Instagram: @healthyoklahoma

Twitter: @HealthyOklahoma

Department of Education: www.sde.ok.gov

Utah

Utah Health Department Information

Website: www.health.utah.gov

Facebook: @UtahDepOfHealth

Instagram: @utahdepofhealth

Twitter: @UtahDepOfHealth

Department of Education: www.schools.utah.gov

We are entering the fifth month of this pandemic, and we hope that this message finds you and your loved ones in continued health during these trying times. Please continue to follow the public health orders issued by the jurisdiction to which you reside to aide in the fight to slow or stop the spread of COVID-19.

The Southern Ute Indian Tribe's COVID-19 Call Center is operating Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. by dialing 970.563.0214.