The OHCA TGR team visited numerous tribal communities throughout the state. The goal of these outreach efforts is to connect with SoonerCare members and partners to increase awareness of the SoonerCare program and build collaborative partnerships.

**Presentations**

- Tribal Health Revenue Improvement Conference (THRICE)
- Southern Plains Tribal Health board (SPTHB) Quarterly Meeting
- Inter-tribal Council of the Five Tribes Quarterly Meeting
- National Indian Health Board (NIHB)
- Tribal Epidemiology Center (TEC) Conference

**TRIBAL CONSULTATIONS**

- 6 Meetings
- 56 Items Considered
- 23 Tribes/Organizations Represented on Average
- 16 Tribal Attendees on Average

**Timeline of Events**

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**SFY 2018**
OHCA is dedicated to collaborating with diverse partners, which make it possible to provide much needed information and resources to SoonerCare families and individuals.

Partnerships
- Federal Agencies
- Private Business Entities
- Charitable Organizations
- Oklahoma State Agencies
- Tribal Governments
- National Organizations
- Local Municipalities
- Inter-State Agencies

Enrollment
Enrollment partnerships with 43 ITUs and tribal governments have resulted in several AI/ANs being connected to the SoonerCare program, increasing access to care and services within the tribal community.

TOTAL APPROVED APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED BY ITU AGENCY VIEW PARTNERS IN SFY 18.

20,610

“The moving of pharmacy reimbursement to the OMB rate, will be life changing for Indian country in Oklahoma.”

ROBYN SUNDAY-ALLEN | CEO, OKLAHOMA CITY INDIAN CLINIC

“We at the Southern Plains Tribal Health Board cherish our relationship and partnership with the Oklahoma Health Care Authority because of the positive impact it creates!”

NICHOLAS J. WAHPEPAH | SOUTHERN PLAINS TRIBAL HEALTH BOARD

Spotlight
The OHCA TGR team leads multiple projects that support tribal health care programs.

PCP CHANGE
Increase AI/AN provider choice to include real-time selection of an ITU as a primary care provider (PCP).

TRANSPORTATION
In an effort to address transportation needs in tribal communities, OHCA facilitated SoonerRide tribal specific reimbursement agreements for tribal transportation providers.

FOUR WALLS
OHCA promulgated policy and contract changes to allow for continued ITU reimbursement for services provided outside of the clinic setting.

TMAM
OHCA contracts with tribal partners to provide outreach and linkage to the SoonerCare program. In SFY 2018, the number of TMAM partners increased as well as the amount of quarters claimed.