

## C3a: Tribal Epidemiology Centers Enhance Diabetes Data Quality

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This session will describe the role of the Tribal Epidemiology Centers in assisting IHS, Tribal and Urban programs in the areas of diabetes data management and diabetes data quality improvement processes. Approaches and instruments developed by several Tribal Epidemiology Centers will be discussed.

1. Describe the training materials available to help improve data management and quality.
  - a. GLTC "Diabetes Audit: What to do with negative or missing data; possible solutions."
  - b. USET TEC "Diabetes Report and Instruction Guide: An Overview"
  - c. NWPIHB "Diabetes Data Assessment Tool."
2. Describe how these tools help strengthen local infrastructure and provide essential technical elements needed for sustaining and improving diabetes data management.