

# Health or Behavioral Health Incident on Tribal Lands That Exceeds Daily Operations

## Purpose Statement

This document functions as a checklist. It includes relevant steps and contacts across Tribal, federal, and state partners who may be involved in a health incident on Tribal lands that exceeds daily operations.

As sovereign nations, Tribes have authority over their lands and people. However, federal partners have a legal obligation to support Tribes during such events and may provide leadership in response efforts, at the request of the Tribe.

