

**Tribal OHA-Public Health Division COVID-19 Funding, 2023-2025**

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This document provides an overview of the funds awarded to Tribes for the COVID-19 response in FY22 and beyond. This document is designed to guide Tribes to where to allocate charges associated with the response.

<b>Program Element</b>	<b>65-03 (Tribes)/66-03 (NARA)</b>	<b>65-04 (Tribes)/66-04 (NARA)</b>	<b>65-05 (Tribes)/66-05 (NARA)</b>
<b>Start-end dates</b>	12/31/20-6/30/26	12/31/20-5/31/26	7/1/20-6/30/25
<b>Funding source</b>	Federal Funds – CDC Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity (ELC) grant  Indirect charges allowed	Federal Funds – National Initiative to Address Health Disparities  Indirect charges allowed	Federal Funds – CARES Act Immunization  CARES 4: \$1 million, approved by Tribes  CARES 5: \$1 million, approved by Tribes  Indirect charges allowed

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<b>Deliverables</b>	Budget plan and narrative within 60 days of receiving amendment. Due by August 30, 2021	Budget plan and narrative within 60 days of receiving amendment. Due by August 30, 2021	Quarterly performance reporting.
<b>Funded activities</b>	<p>COVID-19 active monitoring: cultural and linguistic competency and responsiveness; testing coordination; case investigation; contact tracing; isolation; wraparound supports; infection prevention and control for high-risk settings; and community education.</p> <p>These funds may not be used for COVID vaccine planning and distribution. Please refer to “Budget</p>	<p>COVID-19 active monitoring and vaccine planning and distribution.</p> <p>Funds may be used for capital purchases as listed in the budget guidance.</p> <p><b><u>Funds may not be used to purchase vaccines.</u></b></p>	<p>Vaccine planning and delivery; collaborating with partners; assuring cultural and linguistic access; assuring populations most impacted by COVID-19 are served; promote vaccines and improve vaccine confidence in communities of color, Tribal communities, disability communities and others. <b>Please note that the CDC has now approved the use of these funds for routine vaccination work as long</b></p>

			<p><b>as Covid-19 vaccine is offered as part of that work. Purchase of vaccine with these funds is still prohibited by the CDC.</b></p> <p><b><u>Funds may not be used to purchase vaccine.</u></b></p> <p>*Local Vaccine Request Form must be submitted by 1/7/22 if Tribe uses</p>
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	<p>Guidance for PE65 -03 -04 -05 and PE66 -03, -04, -05” for additional information.</p> <p>Tribes/NARA may request to redirect up to 25% of these funds for mPox response activities such as testing, outreach and education, isolation supports. The request should be made to OHA by 10/28/2022 – see updated budget guidance for request requirements. OHA will make one comprehensive request to CDC and then notify the Tribe upon CDC approval.</p>		<p>funds for vaccine incentives. Incentives for COVID-19 primary series and booster vaccination are allowable up to \$100 per recipient.</p> <p>Funds may be used to support mPox vaccines as long as the provider is also a COVID-19 vaccine provider.</p> <p><b>FUNDS MAY NOT BE USED TO PROVIDE mPox VACCINE INCENTIVES.</b></p>

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	<p><b>FUNDS MAY NOT BE USED FOR mPox UNTIL THE TRIBE/NARA RECEIVES NOTIFICATION OF CDC APPROVAL FROM OHA.</b></p>		
<b>Funding model</b>	<p>Equal split across eight participating Tribes/NARA; paid in full upon amendment execution.</p>	<p>Equal split across nine participating Tribes/NARA; paid in full upon amendment execution.</p>	<p>Equal split across nine participating Tribes/NARA; paid in full upon amendment execution.</p>

Everyone has a right to know about and use Oregon Health Authority (OHA) programs and services. OHA provides free help, some examples of help include:

- Sign language and spoken language interpreters

- Written materials in other languages
- Braille
- Large print
- Audio and other formats

If you need help or have questions, please contact Cessa Karson at [alessandra.karson-whitethorn2@dhsosha.state.or.us](mailto:alessandra.karson-whitethorn2@dhsosha.state.or.us), 971-256-1518, or 711 TTY.