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The Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (ODPHP), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), delivers reliable health information to American Indians and Alaska Natives on the healthfinder® Web site, the Federal Government's award-winning gateway to reliable health information. A special section at <u>www.healthfinder.gov/justforyou</u> highlights the 20 most important topics of interest for these populations, based on their recommendations.

The full healthfinder® site brings together information on over 1,100 topics from over 1,700 government agencies and nonprofit organizations. The American Indians and Alaska Natives section includes a total of over 170 topics. The 20 featured topics reflect discussion with American Indian and Alaska Native community leaders, patients, and students. Summary information and reports about this and other ODPHP projects and activities are available online at http://odphp.osophs.dhhs.gov/projects

ODPHP partnered with the Indian Health Service (HHS); the Office of Minority Health (HHS); the American Public Health Association's American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian Caucus; and the National Museum of the American Indian, Smithsonian Institution, to improve health information for American Indians and Alaska Natives on healthfinder®.

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how to find health information for American Indians and Alaska Natives on www.healthfinder.gov

- Go to a computer, connect to the Internet, and open a Web browser (for example, Internet Explorer, Netscape, or AOL).
- In the Web browser address box at the top of your screen, type in http://www.healthfinder.gov/justforyou.
- Press the "Enter" button on your keyboard. (If you want to "bookmark" the Web site so that you don't have to type in the address in the future, press the control key (Ctrl) and the letter "d" at the same time.)
- On the healthfinder® just for you page, choose the <u>American Indians and Alaska</u> <u>Natives</u> link.
- The **American Indians and Alaska Natives** page highlights key health topics identified by members of those communities. There are four ways you can find resources:
 - a. Choose one of the highlighted topics. -
 - b. Choose a letter from the A-Z list to see more topics that start with that letter. For example, if you are interested in "breast cancer," choose the letter "b." —
 - c. Type a topic in the search box.
 - d. View related organizations.

