

Save the Date



The National Indian Council on Aging will be holding their biennial conference in partnership with the 2020 National Title VI Training & Technical Assistance Conference in Reno, Nevada, next year at the Nugget Casino Resort, August 17-21, 2020. Registration opens on Sunday, August 16, 2020.

The National Indian Council on Aging, Inc. (NICOA) is a 501 (c) (3) not-for-profit organization founded in 1976. Our mission is to advocate for improved comprehensive health, social services, and economic wellbeing of American Indian and Alaska Native (AI/AN) elders. NICOA provides testimony before federal, state, and tribal policymakers on behalf of older AI/AN elders. The board is comprised of 13 AI/AN elders representing regions from across the United States. The membership meets biennially to elect new board members and to establish the NICOA aging policy agenda for the next two years. The biennial meeting is the place where elders can come to educate and recommend solutions to policymakers to help improve aging services across Indian Country.

The conference attendees represent over 2,000 AI/AN elders, stakeholders, elected tribal representatives, government agencies, and Aging Network providers. The conference is the elders' forum; the place to voice concerns and to receive up-to-date information and resources to help elders age at home and in their own communities.

Watch the NICOA website at nicoa.org for up-to-date registration information. We look forward to having an exciting conference. **Workshop proposals are being accepted now.**

Tentative 2020 Conference Agenda

The conference will **begin at 8 a.m. on Monday, August 17** and we will **conclude** with the **Cultural Dinner on Friday, August 21 at 5:30 p.m.** Please make your travel reservations accordingly.

Daily Activities – Monday through Friday

Morning Walk / Fitness Activity / Exhibitors / Vendors / Raffles / Elder Lounge

Sunday, August 16, 2020

10 a.m. - 7 p.m. Registration / Vendor Set-up
5 p.m. Welcome Reception

Monday, August 17, 2020

7 a.m. **Registration open**
8 a.m. Opening General Assembly – Welcome Remarks
12 p.m. - 1 p.m. Lunch – On your own
1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Symposiums & Workshops

Tuesday, August 18, 2020

7 a.m. - 9 a.m. Breakfast – On your own
9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Symposiums & Workshops
12 p.m. - 2 p.m. Warriors Honoring Lunch
2 p.m. - 5 p.m. Symposiums & Workshops

Wednesday, August 19, 2020

7 a.m. - 9 a.m. Breakfast – On your own
9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Symposiums & Workshops
12 p.m. - 1 p.m. Lunch – On your own
1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Workshops – All attendees (Title VI and NICOA attendees)
3 p.m. - 5 p.m. Regional Caucus Sessions for Voting Members Only

Thursday, August 20, 2020

8 a.m. - 10 a.m. Indian Elders Traditional Breakfast
10:15 a.m. - 12 p.m. Workshops
12 p.m. - 1 p.m. Lunch – On your own
1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Symposiums & Workshops

Friday, August 21, 2020

7 a.m. - 8 a.m. Breakfast – On your own
9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Voting Members General Session
9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Associate Members, etc. Workshops
12 p.m. - 1 p.m. Lunch – On your own
1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Symposiums & Workshops
5:30 p.m. Closing Session, retire colors – **Cultural Dinner**

These events are for NICOA Voting Members Only *These events are for All Attendees*