ANNOUNCEMENT
RED CLIFF WELLNESS CURRICULUM INCLUDED ON NATIONAL REGISTRY OF EVIDENCE-BASED PROGRAMS AND PRACTICES

The Red Cliff Wellness School Curriculum has been recognized by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration and included on its National Registry of Evidence-Based Programs and Practices (NREPP). The Red Cliff Wellness School Curriculum is a substance abuse prevention intervention based in Native American tradition and culture. Designed for grades K-12, the curriculum aims to reduce risk factors and enhance protective factors related to substance use, including school bonding, success in school, increased perception of risk from substances, and identification and internalization of culturally based values and norms. The school curriculum was created by the First American Prevention Center, an arm of the Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa. The curriculum is part of a broader wellness initiative that includes a community curriculum and home wellness kit. For a full description of the program go to http://174.140.153.167/ViewIntervention.aspx?id=182. For more information on the manualized curriculum or its implementation contact Ron DePerry at ron_deperry@yahoo.com. For information on evaluation research related to the curriculum contact Eva Petoskey at epetoskey@centurytel.net.