



Turquoise Tuesday is a national cervical cancer awareness campaign for American Indian and Alaska Native people. The Red Cliff Health team joined Native people around the country by wearing turquoise clothing and jewelry. Native women are nearly twice as likely to develop cervical cancer compared to White women. Turquoise Tuesday aims to educate people about the importance of early detection and remind women to stay up to date on their cancer screenings. Because this national campaign happens on a digital platform, community members are able to participate from anywhere!

Share.

Share a picture of yourself wearing turquoise on AICAF social media, using the hashtag #TurquoiseTuesday.



Get screened.

Talk to your health care provider to schedule your next Pap test, and to learn more about cervical cancer screenings and routine care. Talk to the women in your lives about the importance of early detection and encourage them to schedule a Pap test. Please call the Red Cliff Community Health Center at 715-779-3707 to make an appointment today!

Get the HPV vaccine.

Boys and girls ages 9-26 can prevent HPV-related cancers by getting the vaccine. Learn more about the HPV vaccine at

<https://www.americanindiancancer.org/acif-project/hpv/>
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