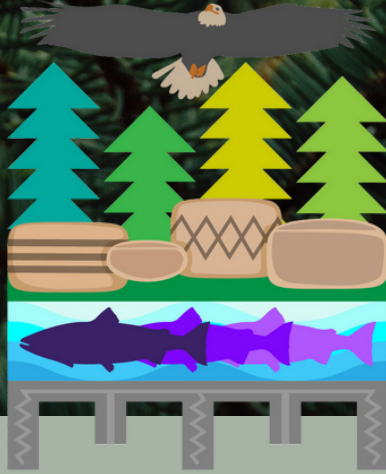


BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AIDE PROGRAM



SEEKING MENTORS & COMMUNITY KNOWLEDGE HOLDERS

Currently looking for
Elders/Mentors to provide
guidance to our current
Behavioral Health Aide (BHA)
students representing various
Tribal communities in the pacific
northwest area while they pursue
their educational journeys

ACCESS MENTOR INTEREST FORM [HERE](#)

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WHAT IS A BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AIDE?

BHAs have a wide variety of skills, knowledge, and talents. They are advocates, natural healers, counselors, empaths, and natural helpers who are responsive to the need for mental/behavioral health services in their Tribal communities. They are individuals whom are committed to providing individual and community support to address the challenges that Native peoples face in regards to substance misuse, mental health struggles and other health disparities.

If you are a natural helper, a good listener, communicator, or on a path of recovery, and wish to help a BHA continue growing Tribal practices within your community, consider being a mentor.

As a mentor you:

- Help BHA student find culturally-specific resources for community members
- Provide cultural knowledge through storytelling, sharing life experiences, trauma-informed care,
- Have regular check-ins with BHA.
- Attend monthly NW Elder's ECHOs.

