

Learning from Indigenous Leaders: Climate change and public health



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Theme: Key principles to learn.

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Think **holistic**, whether you're working with individuals or systems.

- Consider why Indigenous communities and other underserved groups may experience medicine differently due to current and historical events.
- Consider how systems imposed on Turtle Island (e.g., capitalism, colonialism, heteropatriarchy, etc.) facilitate climate change and how dismantling them could improve this and other complex issues.



Learning in a respectful way



START WITH:

Genuine listening with intent to learn and support community goals



MAINTAIN:

Meaningful relationships by investing time, patience, and reciprocity



RECOGNIZE:

The diversity of Indigenous perspectives and knowledges

Other Principles...

7th

Generation Principle asks individuals to think and act in ways that support the world's sustainability for 7 generations in the future. (Principle used by many Indigenous communities and Haudenosaunee in origin.)

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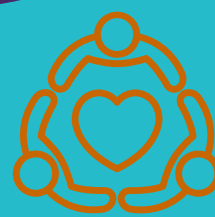
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- Practice...

HUMILITY & INTEGRITY

- Appreciate the world's...

INTERDEPENDENCE

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