

# The Indian Housing Drug Elimination Information & Resource Center

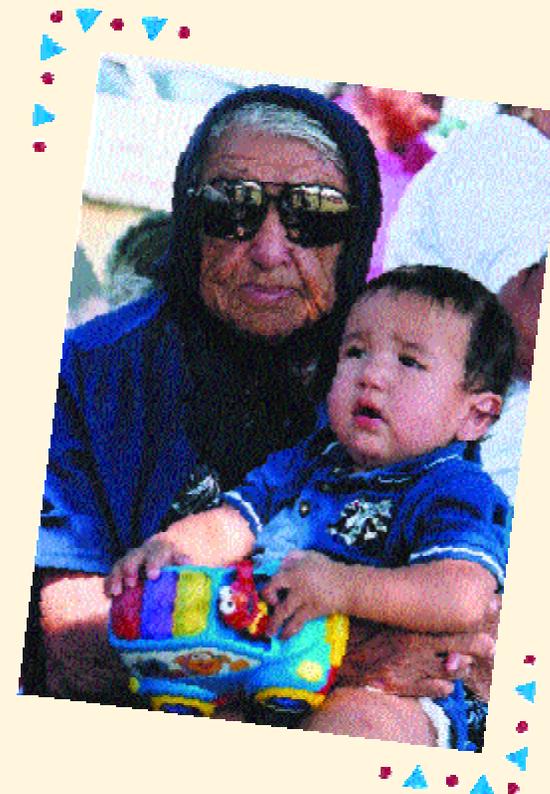


## Welcome

Welcome to the new Indian Housing Drug Elimination Information & Resource Center (IHDE IRC), created by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Native American Programs. The IHDE IRC will serve as a central information resource for all crime prevention and security programs operated by tribes or their tribally designated housing entities under IHDEP grants.

## Toll-Free Information

The IHDE IRC's toll-free telephone line, 1-800-839-5561, is answered by Information Specialists during business hours (9 AM to 5 PM Eastern Time). The Information Specialists can provide information on IHDEP Notices of Funding Availability, exemplary IHDEP programs, current publications, and referrals to other relevant sources of information. After hours and on weekends and holidays, messages are taken via a voice mail system. These calls are returned promptly by IHDE IRC staff the next business day.



## Reference and Referral Services

Information Specialists at the IHDE Information & Resource Center are prepared to answer common questions relating to IHDEP on topics such as:

- ◇ Drug and crime prevention
- ◇ Tenant patrols
- ◇ Partnering with law enforcement
- ◇ IHDEP Semi-Annual Reporting
- ◇ DEP Technical Assistance Grants
- ◇ Grant administration
- ◇ HUD conference and training information
- ◇ Referrals

