

Native American Career and Technical Education Program (NACTEP)

GRANTEE: Cankdeska Cikana Community College

TYPE OF INSTITUTION: Tribally Controlled Community College

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AWARD PERIOD: October 1, 2010 – September 30, 2011

FEDERAL AWARD: \$430,473

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PROJECT SUMMARY:

Cankdeska Cikana is a tribally controlled community college. The project design and services are based on instructional program areas of Medical Assistant and Finish Carpentry including hands-on experience for course credit. Cankdeska Cikana also provides professional development and curriculum modification and improvement, develop distance learning courses, and disseminate project information and materials to Native American Career and Technical Education students. The Native American Career and Technical Education grant for Cankdeska Cikana Community College will provide career and technical education opportunities to 125 students over a five year period.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

- Provide training to 15 students in the area of finish carpentry per year with 65% of those who are enrolled at the end of the first month completing the program.
- Provide training to 10 students in the area of administrative assistant with emphasis on medical and legal transcription per year with 65% completing the program.
- 80% of students who complete the finish carpentry and administrative assistant with emphasis on medical and legal transcription will pass the industry certification tests.
- 80% of completers will be placed in jobs, further schooling or the military.
- 100% of project staff will complete at least two college courses per year in the area of career and technical education and/or instruction delivery.

EDUCATIONAL LEVEL(S) OF PARTICIPANTS:

Postsecondary

CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION TRAINING AREAS:

AREA	CERTIFICATION STATUS
Finish Carpentry	Certificate
Medical Assistant	Certificate

AVAILABLE DIRECT ASSISTANCE TO STUDENTS:

Counseling/Advising	Laptop Rental
Transportation	Child Care
Placement Assistance	Uniforms
Tutoring	

NUMBER OF PROGRAM SITES: 1

PARTNERSHIPS & COLLABORATIVES:

Advisory Committee
MOU with Dakota College at Bottineau for online courses
Potential Employers
Student Internship sites

ACCREDITATION STATUS:

North Central Association of Schools and Colleges