

115TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 3460

To amend section 520E of the Public Health Service Act to require States and their designees receiving grants for development and implementation of statewide suicide early intervention and prevention strategies to collaborate with each Federally recognized Indian tribe, tribal organization, urban Indian organization, and Native Hawaiian health care system in the State.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 18, 2018

Ms. WARREN (for herself, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. UDALL, Ms. HEITKAMP, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. KING, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. TESTER, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. SULLIVAN, Ms. SMITH, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. SCHATZ) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Native American Sui-
3 cide Prevention Act of 2018”.

4 **SEC. 2. COLLABORATION WITH FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED**
5 **INDIAN TRIBES, TRIBAL ORGANIZATIONS,**
6 **URBAN INDIAN ORGANIZATIONS, AND NATIVE**
7 **HAWAIIAN HEALTH CARE SYSTEMS IN DEVEL-**
8 **OPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF STATE-**
9 **WIDE SUICIDE EARLY INTERVENTION AND**
10 **PREVENTION STRATEGIES.**

11 Subsection (e) of section 520E of the Public Health
12 Service Act (42 U.S.C. 290bb–36) is amended by adding
13 at the end the following:

14 “(4) COLLABORATION WITH FEDERALLY REC-
15 OGNIZED INDIAN TRIBES, TRIBAL ORGANIZATIONS,
16 URBAN INDIAN ORGANIZATIONS, AND NATIVE HA-
17 WAIAN HEALTH CARE SYSTEMS.—As a condition on
18 the receipt of a grant or cooperative agreement
19 under this section for development and implementa-
20 tion of a statewide early intervention and prevention
21 strategy, a State or an eligible entity designated by
22 a State pursuant to subsection (b)(1)(B) shall agree
23 to collaborate with each Federally recognized Indian
24 tribe and tribal organization (as defined in the In-
25 dian Self-Determination and Education Assistance
26 Act), each urban Indian organization (as defined in

1 the Indian Health Care Improvement Act), and each
2 Native Hawaiian health care system (as defined in
3 section 12 of the Native Hawaiian Health Care Im-
4 provement Act) in the State regarding such develop-
5 ment and implementation.”.

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