

# **Tribal Census 101**

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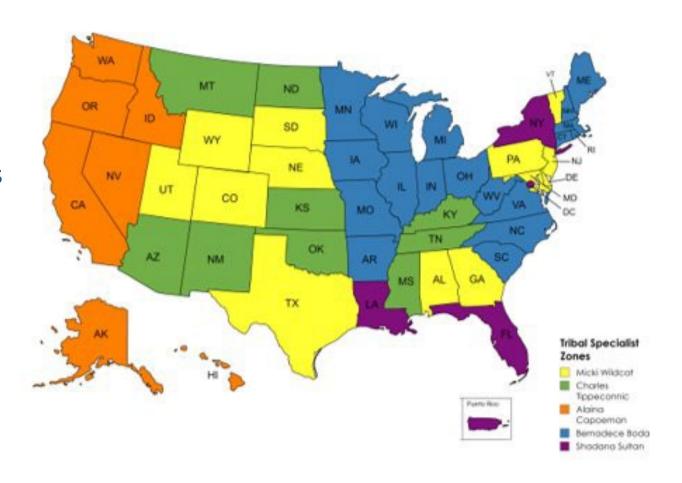
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### **Tribal Relations Overview**

- Tribal Data Tabulation
- Engage Partners
- Updates and resources for ongoing surveys
- Surveys & Upcoming 2030 Census
- Geographic Programs
- Cultural Awareness and Engagement
- Field and other Directorates





## Overview

- Tribal Data Tabulation
- Tribal Geography
- Surveys
- Tools
- Q&A





# Why Census Data?



...In addition to its use in fair voting representation, census data play a key role in the fair distribution of billions of dollars to tribes and AI/AN people across the nation. Federal funding for Indian schools, Indian education programs, Indian health programs, Indian housing programs, water and sewage projects, roads, and economic development are distributed based on data collected by the Census Bureau....

National Congress of American Indians website

https://www.ncal.org/policy-issues/economic-development-commerce/census



#### Tribal Data Tabulation

- Geography
  - Where people live, not Enrollment.
  - Tribal Land and Urban counts
- Race/Ethnicity
  - Self-identification
  - AIAN Category





# Tribal Admin Records Project

The Census Bureau Would Like to explore data (admin) records that Tribal Nations may provide to close gaps or improve data coverage for their Tribal Nation. The data is intended for use with 2030 Census planning, not ongoing surveys. Currently, we use administrative Records from agencies like IRS, IHS, etc.

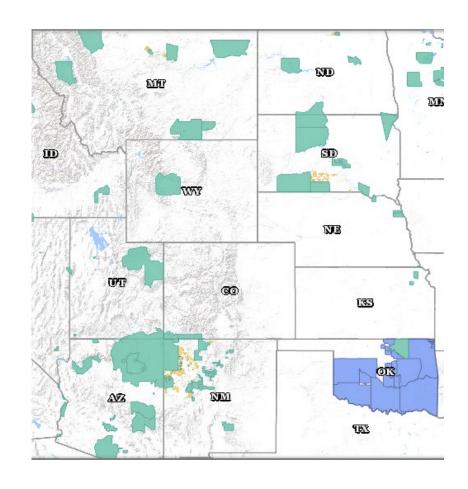




The Tribal Nation does not have to create a special data set; just supply what's already available. Is there a certain time of year when the records are most up to date? The US Census Bureau thanks you in advance for consideration of this valuable partnership

## Tribal Geography: AIAN Areas

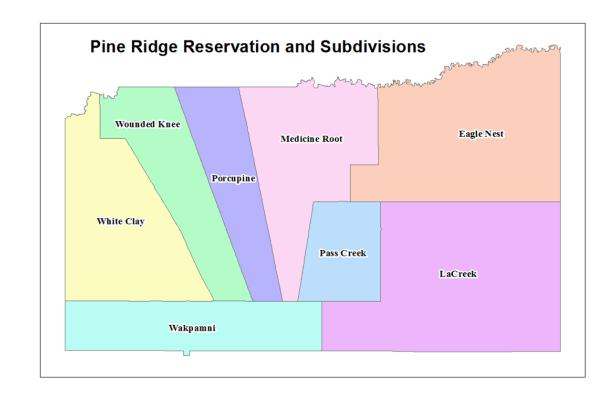
- Reservations (AIR's)
- Trust Lands
- Oklahoma Tribal Statistical Areas (OTSA's)
- Tribal Subdivisions
- Census Designated Places (CDP's)
- Tribal Designated Statistical Areas





# Tribal Geography Resources

- Localized data
  - Tribal Subdivisions
  - CDP
- BAS / LUCA
- ESRI GIS
- BIA Training
- Geography Ambassador
- <u>Tigerweb</u>







# Ongoing Surveys

- 130+ Surveys each year
- Decennial
  - Post Enumeration Survey (PES) Oct 2021
  - Access/permissions
- American Community Survey (ACS)
- Household Pulse Survey
- Current Population Survey
- <u>Economic Survey (Business Focus)</u>

Census is Hiring!! New Online Application process! <a href="https://www.census.gov/about/census-careers.html">https://www.census.gov/about/census-careers.html</a>

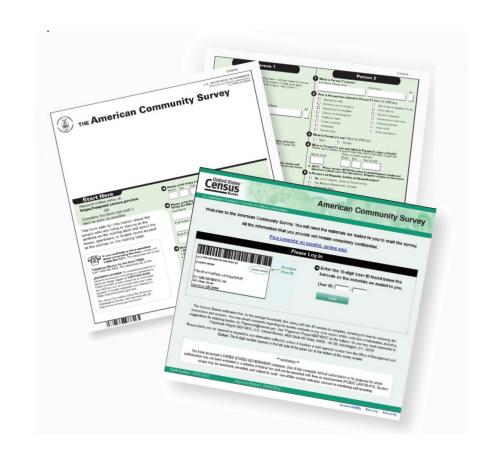




https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/surveys-programs.html

# American Community Survey (ACS) Features

- 3.5 million addresses
- \$675 billion Federal Spending
- 40 topics
- 300+ evidence-based Federal government uses
- 11 billion estimates each year
- Three key annual data releases:
  - 1-year Estimates (65K+ Population)
  - 1-year Supplemental Estimates (20K+ Population)
  - 5-year Estimates (all areas)





# Margin of Error

- Precision at a given level of confidence.
- 90% confidence level.
- High margins of error







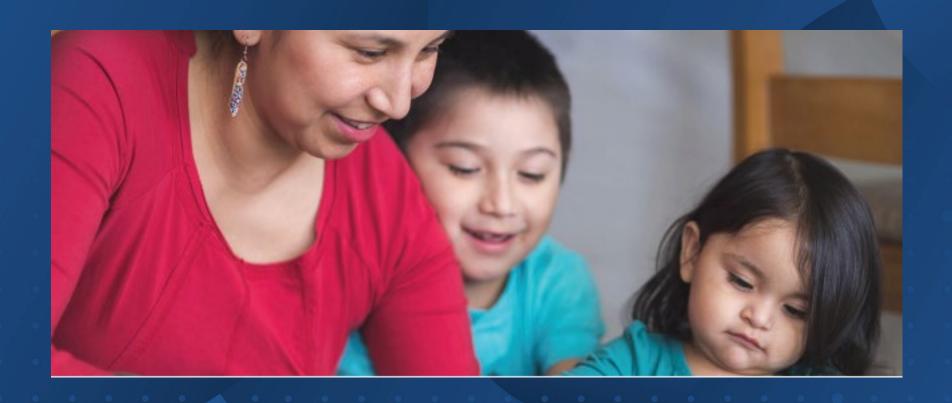
# 2020 Census Detailed Demographic and Housing Characteristics File A (Detailed DHC-A)

- 1,500 detailed racial and ethnic groups
  - Tribal Groupings vs Tribal Affiliation
- Amount of data available depends on population size within a specific geography
  - As much detail as possible while ensuring strong confidentiality protections.
- Mapping capabilities with heat sensor





# Online Census Data Tools for Indian Country





# My Tribal Area



- Demographic, social, economic, and housing Stats (ACS)
- AIAN Lands (not Urban)
- Community Planners
- Grant Writers
- Tribal Officers/Directors
- Partners to Tribal Nations



# Pulse Survey CoVid19 Impact Report



- Business and Household
- Covid 19 Risk Factors
- Health Directors/Officers
- Tribal Clinics
- Tribal Leaders
- Community Planners



#### Census Business Builder

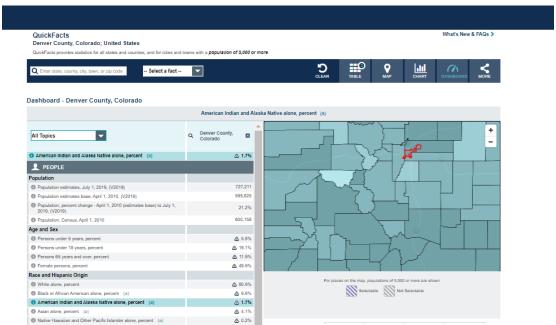




- Data to help start or grow a business
- Data to understand the business landscape for a region
- Video Overview
- Economic Development
- Chamber of Commerce
- TERO Offices
- Economic Surveys helps populates this data



### Quickfacts



- Tables, maps, and charts
- States, Counties, Cities & Towns (5K+ Pop)
- Community Planners
- **Grant Writers/Nonprofits**
- Urban Tribal Partners
- Tribal Enterprises





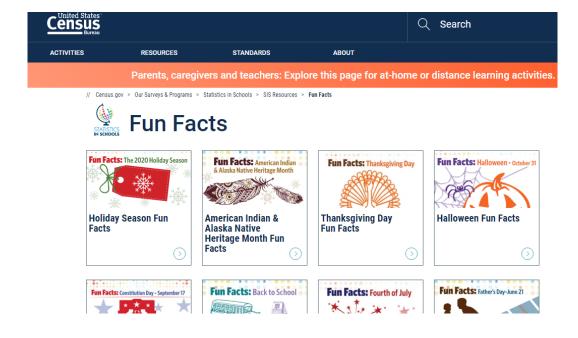
#### Narrative Profile

#### **American Community Survey** Narrative Profiles Data Profiles Narrative Profiles are short, analytic reports derived from the ACS 5-year estimates. Each Narrative Narrative Profiles Profile covers 15 different topic areas and provides text and bar charts to display highlights of selected Geographic Comparison Tables social, economic, housing and demographic estimates for a selected geographic area. Subject Tables 2019 2018 2017 2016 2015 2014 Ranking Tables 2019 Supplemental Tables Data.census.gov 2015-2019 ACS 5-Year Narrative Profile More ACS Tools & Select a Geography Type Apps < Back to Data Nation ZIP Code Tabulation Area County Tables & Tools State Place Metropolitan/Micropolitan Statistical Area • American Indian Area/Alaska Native Area/Hawaiian Home Census Tract Land Choose a AIAN



https://www.census.gov/acs/www/data/data-tables-and-tools/

#### Statistics in Schools



- Activities and materials
- Reusable, yearly
- Educators
- Directors of Education
- After school programs



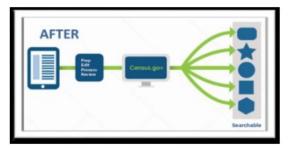
### www.Data.Census.gov

# **Explore Census Data**

The Census Bureau is the leading source of quality data about the nation's people and economy.

Q Find Tables, Maps, and more ...



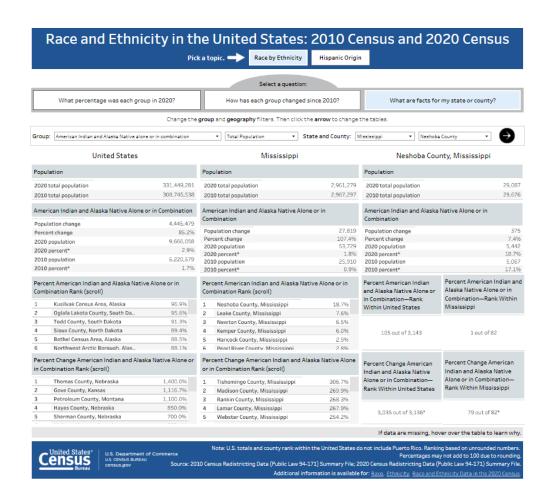


- Centralized data hub
- Tribal Leaders/Officers
- Community Planners
- Grant Writers
- Anyone needing data





### Tribal Overview 2020 Census



#### Detailed Races and Ethnicities in the United States and Puerto Rico: 2020 Census





\*click graphics to route to links

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1-844-ASK-DATA or census.askdata@census.gov

We want your feedback! Is there anything you'd like to see from Census?

