

Health Aides to Begin Training At Kotzebue

Community Health Aides from 12 villages in the Kotzebue Service Unit will participate in a two-week training course beginning November 11. It is the fourth course held this fall in the planned series of such instruction for the central and northern regions of the state.

Instruction coordinator is Mrs. Eva Boyce, PHN, the project specialist for the Alaska Native Community Health Aide Training (ANCHAT) program. It will take place at the U.S. Public Health Service Hospital at Kotzebue.

Special emphasis will be made on family health during this training session because it occurs during National Family Health Week as proclaimed by President Johnson for November 17-23.

The concept of good family health is part of the overall approach of the Alaska Native Area in raising health standards of the people.

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Aides and their home communities involved in the current course include: Pauline Barr, Deering; Marion Saccheus, Elim; Vera Baldwin, Kivalina; Christina Alonia, Northeast Cape; Sarah Akeza, Savoonga; Martha Ballot, Selawik; Francis Bighead, Stebbins; Dorothy Isabell, Teller; Theresa Nanouk, Unalakleet; and Glen Shoulda, Wainwright.

Names of Aides from Brevig Mission and Noorvik have not yet been announced.