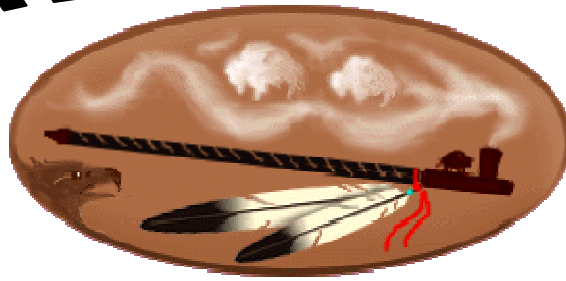


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AMERICAN INDIAN SYMPOSIUM:

Vision of Common Destiny: "Make Room for Us"

November 16-17, 2004 (Tues. & Wed.)

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. / 8:00a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Kansas City, Missouri

Muehlebach Hotel/Kansas City Marriott Downtown Hotel

Keynote Speaker: *Wilma Mankiller*

- *Former chief of the Cherokee Nation and the first female in modern history to lead a major Native American tribe*
- *Oklahoma American Indian Woman of the Year in 1986*
- *Oklahoma Hall of Fame Inductee*
- *Ms. Magazine's Woman of the Year in 1987*
- *Cancer survivor*

Session Topics:

- Ancestry, Sovereignty & Spirituality
- Education, Employment, & Housing
- Health & Human Services
- Justice

Purpose: An opportunity for public health and state and local officials to dialogue about delivering social services to the urban American Indian community in culturally appropriate and respectful ways. Barriers to successful service, including lack of recognition, will be explored. Success stories and best practices will be shared with the goal of developing strategies for providing better service.

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