



# FIRST THINGS FIRST

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## Navajo/Apache Regional Coordinator's Report

September 9, 2009

### Schedule of Events

- The regional coordinator, Kate Dobler-Allen, has made the following presentations/visits around the region in August/September 2009:

Apache County Public Health Forum	August 4, 2009
Healthy Steps Training – Scottsdale	August 5, 2009
White Mountain Women's Club Meeting	August 13, 2009
FTF Grantee Orientation Meeting	August 19, 2009
United Way Summit Society Reception	August 22, 2009
FTF Board meeting	August 25, 2009
Job Post Live-Radio Interview w/ Barbara Bruce	August 31, 2009
Contract Begin Date, Round II RFGA's	September 1, 2009
Navajo County Community Network Team	September 3, 2009
National Children's Study Meeting with Dr. Garcia, Dr. Kemp	September 3, 2009
Navajo County Health Care Community Forum	September 3, 2009
ECE Scholarship Agreement Meeting w/ K. Kowren	September 8, 2009
RPC Meeting	September 9, 2009

- The following are planned for September/October 2009:

FTF Chairs and Vice-chairs Meeting	September 10, 2009
Regional Training	September 11, 2009
FTF Annual Report Due	September 15, 2009
Apache County Youth Council – RV	September 16, 2009
FTF Board Meeting	September 22, 2009
NPC Early Childhood Advisory Council	September 29, 2009
Navajo County Community Network Team	October 1, 2009
Regional Training	October 2, 2009
RPC Meeting	October 14, 2009
Navajo County SAFE Kids	October 19, 2009
NPC District Governing Board	October 20, 2009
Apache County Youth Council – St Johns	October 21, 2009

FTF Board Meeting  
FTF Financial Audit Due

October 27, 2009  
October 28, 2009

The following have been requested:

- TV interview with David and Tina Sherman to be filmed in late September, will air in October, and will promote the First Cares First program, the Emergency Food Box Program implemented by The Salvation Army – White Mountain Outpost.
- Show Low Chamber of Commerce
- Pinetop-Lakeside Chamber of Commerce
- Navajo and Apache County Boards of Supervisors
- Springerville Rotary Club
- Show Low Lions Club

Council member

suggestions: \_\_\_\_\_  
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### **First Things First Statewide Chairs Meeting**

- September 10, 2009 from 10:00am – 3:30pm, this meeting will be in Phoenix at the ASU Mercado.

### **On-going Community project involvement**

- **MAPP** project through Navajo County Public Health – county wide community assessment.
- **Navajo County Safe Kids Chapter** – beginning group to focus on safety needs and issues for our county's youngest kids. Facilitated by Amy Stradling, Navajo County Public Health, and Kirk Webb.
- **CAHRES** project through Apache County Public Health – southern Apache County Local Public Health System Assessment. The same process and grant funded assessment tool as Navajo County MAPP.

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