

Molina Healthcare of Arizona

Provider communication



June 09, 2025

Good afternoon, Valued Providers, we are sharing an event/ training opportunity with you.

Join the Phoenix Indian Center for the 2025 Southwest American Indian Rainbow Gathering! This free, one day event will celebrate Indigenous Pride and our Two Spirit community. Registration is FREE and open to Two Spirit relatives, allies, advocates, health specialists, tribal citizens, allies and members of the LGBTQIA+ community.

Presentations will feature Indigenous scholars and community members including keynote speaker Dr. Charlie Amáyá Scott (Diné), Byron Upshaw, Trudie Jackson & Curtis Davia, with the event hosted by Emcee Navi Ho.

The Gathering will also include a Recognition Ceremony for our Dream Catcher & Basket Award Winners: Tara Begay, FNP-C, MSN, AAHIVS ((Diné) of TL Family Nurse Practice LLC and Rita DeMornay (Akimel O'odham), 2025 Miss Phoenix Pride.

We will also have a Two Spirit Talent Show and performances, on-site STI testing by Native Health, resources tables & fun activities! Seating is limited: Register at <https://bit.ly/3GVKPpJ>

Date/Time: Thursday, June 12, 2025 from 9 AM - 3 PM

Location: South Mountain Community College Student Union

Address: 7050 S. 24th Street, Phoenix, AZ

Parking: Free

For questions, call [#PhoenixIndianCenter](https://twitter.com/PhoenixIndianCenter) at 602-859-0419 or email Queta Wanatee-Diego at ewanatee-diego@phxindcenter.org



Southwest American Indian Two Spirit LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Gathering

Weaving Tradition: Past, Present & Future
June 12, 2025 | 9 AM - 3 PM

South Mountain Community College Student Union
7050 South 24th Street, Phoenix AZ

**Join us for a day of inspiration, Indigiqueer speakers & resource sharing
for Two Spirit relatives, advocates, health specialists, tribal citizens & allies**

Speaker Presentations by Byron Upshaw, Trudie Jackson & Curtis Davia, hosted by Emcee Navi Ho
Two Spirit Talent Show & Performances | STI Testing | Resource Tables On-Site

Event Includes Recognition Ceremony For Our Dream Catcher & Basket Award Winners

Recognizing Tara Begay & Rita DeMornay
For inspiring & serving as advocates for our Two Spirit Community

Keynote Speaker



Dr. Charlie Amáyá Scott (Diné)
@DineAesthetics

Basket Award Honoree



Tara Begay (Diné)
FNP-C, MSN, AAHIVS

Dream Catcher Honoree



Rita DeMornay
(Akimel O'odham)

Scan QR code
for registration



Registration
required.
Continental breakfast
& lunch provided.



For information contact Phoenix Indian Center: 602-624-6764
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*This event is a safe-space for our 2SLGBTQIA+ Community
No alcohol, drugs or weapons allowed*



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