

## About the Alaska Tribal Health System

Alaska Natives have increasingly assumed management of the Alaska Native health care system from the federal government. The **Alaska Tribal Health Compact** is the umbrella agreement that sets forth the terms and conditions of government-to-government relations through the **Indian Health Service**. Twenty-two tribes and tribal organizations belong to the compact. ([Click here for list of Compact members.](#)) The Compact authorizes tribes and Native health organizations to operate health and health-related programs. Each tribal organization retains its autonomy with regard to health priorities, services, and policies in their respective service areas.

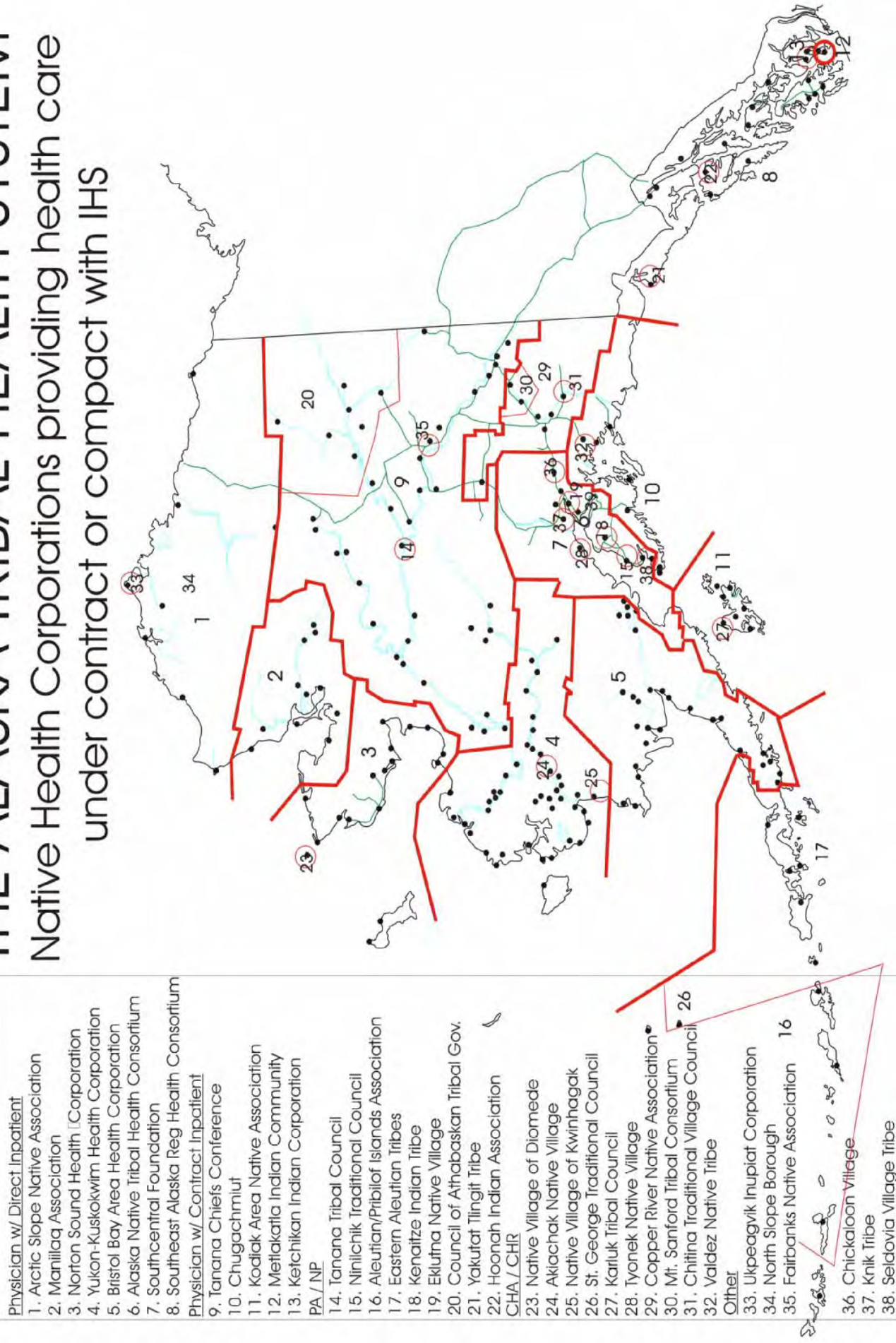
The **Alaska Native Health Board (ANHB)**, established in 1968, is recognized as the statewide advocacy voice on Alaska Native health issues.

The **Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium (ANTHC)** was formed in 1997 when Indian Health Service statewide health programs and services were transferred from federal ownership and control to a new set of owners/customers, the tribes of Alaska. Through their tribal governments and regional nonprofit organizations, all Alaska Natives own the Consortium.

Fig. 7.6-4 ATHS Geographical Service Areas

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Native Health Corporations providing health care under contract or compact with IHS



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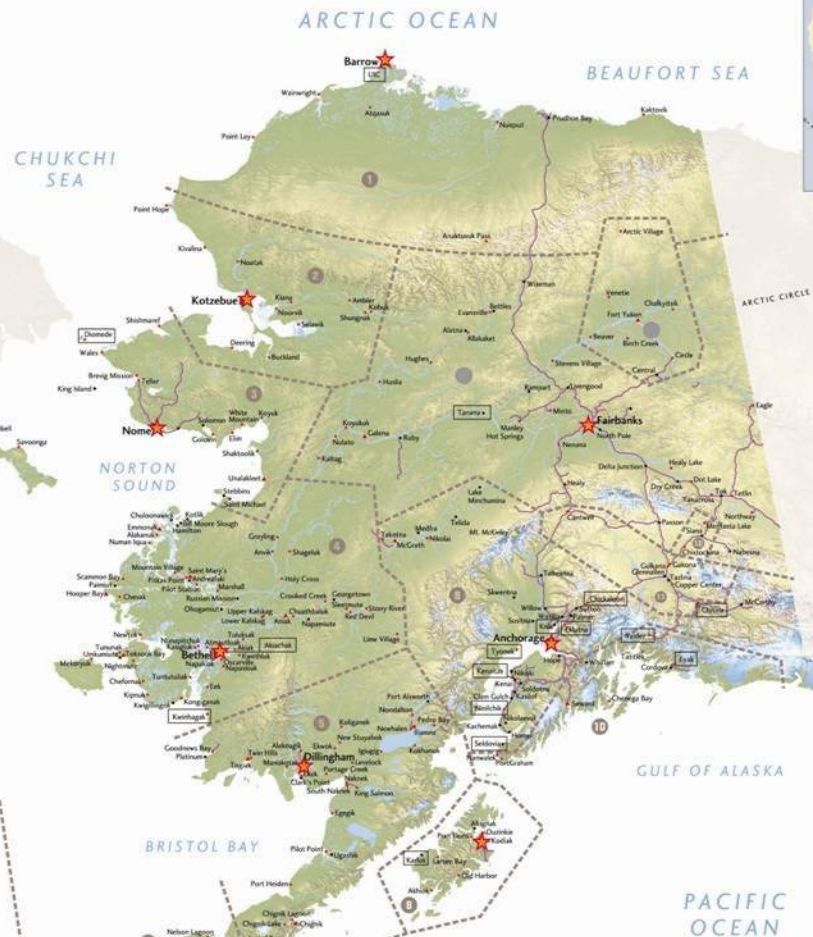
## Regional Health Consortia

### Area Map Key by Region

REGION NUMBER	ORGANIZATION
	Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium
1	Arctic Slope Native Association
2	Maniilaq Association
3	Norton Sound Health Corporation
4	Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation
5	Bristol Bay Area Health Corporation
6	Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Association
7	Eastern Aleutian Tribes
8	Kodiak Area Native Association
9	Southcentral Alaska Alaska Native Medical Center (jointly managed by ANTHC & SCF) Southcentral Foundation
10	Chugachmiut
11	Copper River Native Association
12	Mt. Sanford Tribal Consortium
13	SouthEast Alaska Regional Health Consortium
16	Tanana Chiefs Conference

### Tribal and/or Local Health Programs

REGION NUMBER	ORGANIZATION
1	UIC (Barrow)
3	Diomedes, Native Village of
4	Kwinhagak, Native Village of Akiachak Native Community
6	St. George Traditional Council
8	Karluk, Native Village of
9	Southcentral Alaska • Eklutna, Native Village of • Ninilchik Village Traditional Council • Selkvalon Village Tribe • Chickaloon Village Traditional Council • Knik Tribal Council • Tyonek, Native Village of • Kenaitze Indian Tribe, IRA
10	Valdez Native Tribe Eyak, Native Village of
11	Chitina Traditional Council
13	Hoonah Indian Association Yakutat Tlingit Tribe
14	Ketchikan Indian Corporation
15	Metlakatla Indian Community
17	Council of Athabaskan Tribal Governments



- Village
- Village with Clinic
- Subregional Clinic
- Regional Hospital
- Alaska Native Medical Center (jointly managed by ANTHC & SCF)
- ▭ Tribal or Local Health Program
- ▭ Regional Area Border
- Road

