



Message from the Chairman

Potawot Health Village Dedication Day, 4/30/02.

"On behalf of the Board and Staff of United Indian Health Services, Inc., I am proud to welcome you as we dedicate this site to the past, present, and future generations of our families, tribes, and communities. Potawot is the Wiyot tribal name for the Mad River, which flows just to the north of this site. The Potawot Health Village includes the entire 40-acre site and is now truly *A PLACE OF OUR OWN*.

Today, we are here to dedicate our new site, but our work is not done, and perhaps never will be done as UIHS continues to work toward providing the highest quality health care to all of our people.

We now have the opportunity to do things that we could only dream of before. We welcome the opportunity and challenge."

WAH-KLOW, WAH-KLOW, WAH-KLOW,

Maria Tripp, Chairman, UIHS Board of Directors