

MULTI-INDUSTRY TRAINING ALASKA



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MAPTS celebrates 40 years
serving the mining and oil & gas
industries in Alaska!



Mining and Petroleum Training Service (MAPTS)

has a 40 year history of delivering training to Alaska's
historically underserved Indigenous rural communities

MAPTS Instructors Deliver!

Benefits to Tribes:

- Enhanced Workforce Development Partnerships
- A sustainable Community or Reservation-centered economy
- Develops a skilled employee - Reduces turnover rates

Benefits to MAPTS Program Graduates:

- Prepares Participant for Long-Term, Career-Focused Employment
- Curriculum Infused with Cultural Values and Stories
- Hands-On Instruction - Relevant & Transferrable Skills
- Lifeskills & Leadership Coaching - Role Models
- Career Mentoring - Alumni Support
- Job/Career Retainment & Satisfaction
- Encourages a Healthier Lifestyle and a Stronger Community
- Increases Family Stability and Self-Sufficiency
- Boosts Community-Centered Volunteerism



MAPTS specializes in customized curricula
We train to EMPLOY

Developing a skilled local workforce is of significant value to employers and stakeholders. It helps Tribal entities/businesses lower operating costs and reduce employee turnover rates. **MAPTS works with Tribes and Partner Employers to tailor training to what THEY need, not what we think is needed. MAPTS listens and delivers.**

MAPTS' team of competent, engaged and culturally responsive instructors (1/3 of MAPTS team are Alaska Native) which translates to success in both the classroom and the industrial job site, with the goal of putting vetted, qualified and career-focused Americans to work.



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What Drives MAPTS Success?

MAPTS has developed a unique fast-tracked, PROVEN methodology that supports and builds on an Indigenous student's learning style and fosters confidence by providing a culturally relevant training style. Our approach of See-Learn-Do is balanced with easily understood and visually demonstrated hands-on instruction, clear and achievable goals and expectations. Encouragement, support and feedback provided by instructors results in a highly successful experience for each individual student.

That said, this is not an easy course. **The student's success is earned by their 100% commitment to learning.**



Our "soft skills" training challenges the student to strive to do their very best by setting personal goals and venturing outside of their comfort zone. As the student self-identifies past patterns that didn't result in positive personal and work-related outcomes, the student experiences amazing interpersonal growth and often realizes a shift in their approach to managing life's challenges.



With the expansion four years ago of MAPTS' multi-industry training site which is situated in Interior Alaska, 30 miles southwest of Delta Junction, MAPTS has delivered its training to an audience of multi-cultural participants from rural villages and urban areas across Alaska and Canada.

Our Indigenous students have had winning results with a program that delivers hands-on training by a team of instructors whose instructional style resonates with a unique delivery that results in career opportunities for people entering the mining or oilfield industries.



MAPTS has built lasting partnerships with industry, federal, state and local entities and communities to facilitate successful recruitment of Indigenous participants, while creating better local economies.

MAPTS delivers training that benefits:

- Tribal members and their families
- Tribal businesses
- Tribal services
- as well as local rural businesses and communities



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Student Success

is supported using a simple model:

Remote Camp Facility

Eliminates distractions that interrupt the learning process.

Simulated Training

MAPTS underground heavy equipment operators utilize a state-of-the-art multi-million dollar heavy equipment simulator, which is a testing ground that instills recognized Industry and manufacturer's best practices, policies and procedures. This quickly advances to hands-on operator training in the actual heavy equipment.

Employability / Soft Skills

The Employability and Soft Skills module is reiterated throughout the program, as well as through daily pre-shift, on-shift, and post-shift activities. We specialize in workforce training that elevates confidence and relevant skills and provides the participant with insight into preparation for career advancement and leadership development. Instructors provide the participant with skills that deliver positive results for both the employer and employee, resulting in increased retention rates and job satisfaction.

Real-Life Training Activities

The majority of MAPTS remote site training is activity based training. Students quickly advance to hands-on training that leaves little room for boredom and promotes increased confidence and skill. The classroom training is supported by a team that can deliver training in ways that support and uplift participants that have had negative learning experiences. Additionally, it promotes each student's outlook on their ability, potential and contribution in their career. It establishes a personal course of action and sets the participant up for future successes.

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