

Benteh Nuutah Valley Native Primary Care Center



Location	1001 Knik-Goose Bay Road, Wasilla, Alaska 99654
Telephone	(907) 631-7800
Building Hours	Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Owner/Operator	Southcentral Foundation (SCF) in partnership with Chickaloon Village Traditional Council and Knik Tribal Council.
Population	Approximately 7,500 Alaska Native and American Indian living in the Matanuska-Susitna Borough. Current customer-owners include about 10,500, which includes non-native veterans that have been referred by the VA hospital in Anchorage.
History	Began serving customer-owners in 2007 with less than 20 employees. A growing demand for services resulted in a 90,000-sq.-ft. building, which opened Aug. 29, 2012. The facility was designed to easily connect to a similar-size facility to the east, should the need arise. The growing population resulted in a remodel expanding complimentary medicine, audiology, and optometry services, which was completed in the summer of 2019.
Current Services	Primary care, behavioral health, dietary, radiology, pharmacy, dental, audiology, optometry, speech therapy, midwifery, physical therapy, chiropractic, acupuncture, massage therapy, and wellness center services.
Future Services	Laboratory, occupational therapy, and home based services.
Facility Description	Using colors, textures, and art selected by the Tribal cultural work group from Knik, Chickaloon, and Southcentral Foundation, the 90,000-sq.-ft. building features a welcoming, spacious lobby with large picture windows affording views of mountains. There are two connected medical clinics with 60 exam rooms, of which 28 exam rooms are talking rooms and three are procedure rooms. There are 14 behavioral health consultation rooms, two optometry clinical rooms, one audiology booth, and one hearing aid fitting room. The Wellness Center features fitness machines, an aerobics studio, and limited physical therapy spaces. Additional rooms include group rooms, meeting rooms, locker room with showers, administrative office area and material management area, in addition to offices for Knik and Chickaloon tribes. Outdoors has a walking path around the grounds perimeter, a children’s play area featuring Alaska ‘wildlife’ and fire circle.