



**Superior Alliance for Independent Living**

**Independent Living For Native Americans Referral Form**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Gender:  Male  Female  Other

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone Number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  Home  Cell

Secondary Phone Number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  Home  Cell

Name of Tribe Affiliated with: \_\_\_\_\_

Tribal Affiliation status:  Enrolled Member  Tribal Decendent  Self-Identify

**\*SERVICES WILL NOT BE TURNED AWAY BECAUSE OF AFFILIATION STATUS\***

Are you a Veteran?  No  Yes > Branch? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about SAIL? \_\_\_\_\_

Were you a previous consumer with SAIL before?  No  Yes > When? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your visible or invisible disability? \_\_\_\_\_

What services are you requesting from SAIL? \_\_\_\_\_

Agency contact completing form: \_\_\_\_\_ phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature (If applicant is under 18) Date

**Did you know that 1 in 5 people live with a disability?** Some are visible and some are invisible. Superior Alliance for Independent Living (SAIL) has been serving people with disabilities across the U.P. since 1998. SAIL assists people with disabilities to set and achieve their personal independent living goals. SAIL works one on one to provide support, advocacy, information and training, and to connect to available community resources. SAIL was recently awarded the Native American Independent Living Demonstration Project grant which expands SAIL services and outreach to Native American Communities across the Upper Peninsula. The program will allow SAIL to focus outreach to Native American Communities and provide services to more Native Americans than in the past. SAIL offers a different approach; walking beside consumers and helping them navigate and solve the barriers in their life. SAIL assists consumers to set goals for themselves and provides the tools needed to achieve them.

### **SAIL provides the following five core services:**

- Information & Referral
- Peer Support
- Individual and Systems Advocacy
- Transition
- Independent Living Skills Development

### **Have any questions?**

#### **Contact our Native American Services Advocates:**

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