

FAULT VERSUS RESPONSIBILITY

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In January 2018, famous actor and motivational speaker, Will Smith, used his Instagram account as a media platform to begin an influential and imperative conversation about the difference between fault and responsibility. Since posting his initial video, Smith's message has been shared hundreds of thousands of times by numerous people through various means of communication.

While the number of views continues to grow, his message remains the same: "Fault and Responsibility do not go together as socks...When something is somebody's fault we want them to suffer. We want them punished. We want them to pay. We want it to be their responsibility to fix it. But that's not how it works, especially when it's your heart..." Smith clarifies that responsibility is not "an admission of guilt", but rather "an act of emotional self-defense...taking your power back."

To see the original video, please click on the following link:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=USsqkd-E9ag>

This month, we are committed to increasing awareness about alcoholism.

Despite who, when, where, or how this disease has impacted your life, the Kickapoo Tribal Health Center's Behavioral Health Department and Grants' Staff is here to help walk with you on your journey of overcoming addiction and the emotional pain it brings.

If you or someone you know needs assistance with addiction recovery and addiction related behaviors, call us at 405.964.2618.

Our administrative staff will be available to greet you.

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