

NATIVE AMERICAN CHILDREN TRAINING FORUM PROGRAM
Component: 40.20.902

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The primary purpose of the Native American Children Training Forum (CF) Program is to meet the unmet training needs of Tribes and Tribal service providers who assist Native American children who are victims of child abuse or neglect and/or are at-risk of abuse or neglect. Because many Tribes do not have adequate technology to receive training on-site, the CF Program will also provide funding to survey the telecommunication/information technology capacity of Tribes, as well as identify and provide the equipment necessary for staff/service providers to receive training without traveling to a central training site, due to the remoteness of many Tribal communities

The CF Program was created in 2012, supported by federal Children’s Justice Act (CJA) funds.

FUNDS AWARDED

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Types of Funding</u>	<u>Total Funding</u>
FY 2014/15	Children’s Justice Act (CJA) FFY14	\$ 75,000
	CJA FFY13	\$ 225,000
FY 2015/16	CJA FFY15	\$ 300,000
FY 2016/17	Unknown	

2014/15 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

- 84 Tribal communities responded to a telecommunication/information technology (IT) assessment conducted by NIJC.
- 53 Tribal communities received telecommunication/IT equipment.
- 4 Trainings developed and piloted to 38 Tribal service providers (one of the trainings was offered both online and in-person).

2015/16 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Applicable

2016/17 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Applicable