

Definition of an Indian Child Update

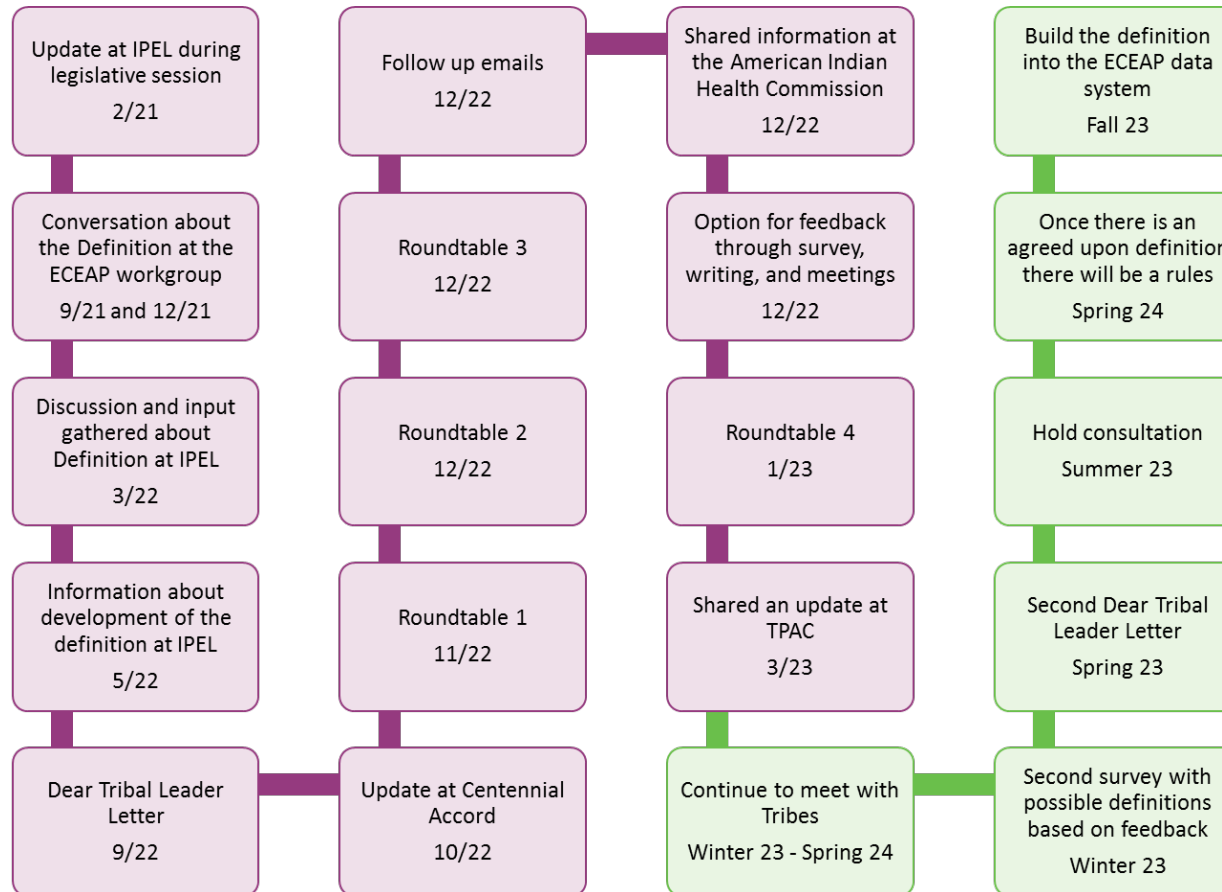
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ECEAP Definition of an Indian Child Process Timeline



Proposed ECEAP Definition of an Indian Child Options

Tribal Nations Option

- As sovereign nations, ECEAP sites run by Tribal Nations will create their own definition of an Indian child for their ECEAP programming. Tribal Nations will submit these definitions to DCYF and provide updated definitions as appropriate

Non-Tribal ECEAP Sites Serving Tribal ECEAP Children

- Proposed amended WICWA definition
 - Defined as any unmarried and unemancipated Indian person who is under age 18 and is one of the following:
A member of and Indian tribe; or is eligible for membership in an Indian tribe.
- Enrolled in a federally recognized Tribe
- Enrolled in a federally recognized Tribe; or eligible for enrollment in a federally recognized Tribe
- Enrolled in a federally recognized Tribe; or eligible for enrollment in a federally recognized Tribe; or descendant from a federally recognized Tribe



Thank you!

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