

Washington State Department of Children, Youth & Families Office of Tribal Relations



“DCYF recognizes the sovereignty of tribal governments and seeks to promote and sustain respectful relations.”

The Office of Tribal Relations (OTR) plays a pivotal role in building and maintaining meaningful partnerships with tribes and tribal communities across Washington state. Our mission is to ensure that DCYF services are accessible, culturally responsive, and of the highest quality.



Meet Our Team

Visit our website to learn about OTR's team and the work they do.



Early Learning & Child Care Licensing

DCYF is committed to preventing further involvement in the child welfare system by providing early learning support and resources.



Government-to-Government Relations

DCYF partners with all 29 Federally Recognized Tribes in Washington state to provide services and supports.



Indian Child Welfare

DCYF ensures the understanding, implementation, and oversight of ICWA services for Indian children and their families.



Tribal Foster Care & Licensing

Access information and resources specific to tribal foster care.



Grant Opportunities

Find out about funding opportunities that are available.



Juvenile Rehabilitation

DCYF partners with tribes to ensure culturally sensitive services and supports for its JR population.



Training

Find out about training opportunities offered by DCYF's Office of Tribal Relations.



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