

**Implementation of Promoting Safe and
Stable Families by American Indian
Tribes**

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Exhibit A
Summary of Major Program Categories and Key Characteristics among the Study Sites

Program Type	Number of Programs	Target Population	Referral Sources	Centralized Intake/ Assessment
Preventive and Supportive Services				
In-Home Services				
Intensive Family Services	3	Families at risk of foster care placement or in the process of reunification.	Tribal social services, police, courts, mental health services, child protective services and other community organizations.	All programs have centralized intake and assessment.
Parent Training Programs	4	High-risk families known to child welfare experiencing a crisis that places them in need of short-term parent education, training, services and supports (families recently reunited, experiencing parent/youth conflict, experiencing blended family issues and alcohol/substance abuse).	Tribal child protective services, courts, schools, Head Start programs, schools, other community organizations and self referrals.	Most have centralized intake and assessment.
Case Management	2	Children and families in a variety of circumstances in need of longer-term support (truant youth, first time offenders, or families experiencing internal conflict).	Tribal social services, police, courts, schools, housing agencies and self-referrals.	Assessment can be formal or more informal, focusing on responding to needs identified by families.
Center-Based Services				
	2	Children and families at risk of becoming involved with the child welfare system .	Tribal social services, child care, Head Start programs, housing agencies, community organizations and self referrals.	Assessment can be formal or more informal, focusing on responding to needs identified by families.
Facilitation and Support of Conventional Child Welfare Services				
Investigation and out-of-home care	4	Children and families that have been reported for abuse/neglect or have a child placed in care.	Tribal social services, police, courts, schools, and county social service agencies and courts.	Most programs have centralized intake and assessment.

Exhibit I-1

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Case Study Sites



