



# Tribal Home Visiting Grantee Profile

## Grantee Information

-----  
-----

Grantee Organization	The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma
Implementing Agency	The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma
Program Title	Chahta Inchukka (Choctaw Home) Tribal Home Visiting Program
Organization Type	Tribe
Grant Period	September 30, 2016 - September 29, 2021
Grantee Group	Implementation and Expansion
Website	<a href="https://www.choctawnation.com/tribal-services/member-services/parents-teachers">https://www.choctawnation.com/tribal-services/member-services/parents-teachers</a>

## Grant Goals

-----  
-----

Program Vision	Healthy, happy, successful children and families supported by a coordinated, high-quality, evidence-based home visiting program.
Program Goals	(1) Increase home safety, family socio-economic status, referrals to community resources and supports, and school readiness through implementation of a comprehensive, high-quality, culturally relevant, evidence-based home visiting program.

## Implementation Context

-----  
-----

State	Oklahoma
Location of Community	Rural Non-Reservation/ Oklahoma Tribal Jurisdiction Area (TJA)
Population Served	Expectant and current parents of Native American families who are at-risk, residing in 5 of Choctaw Nation's 11 counties. Service counties include: Choctaw, Latimer, LeFlore, McCurtain and Pushmataha.
Ages of Children Served	Birth to kindergarten entry
Model	Parents As Teachers
Other Program Components	(1) Enhancement: The program uses cultural activities (i.e. storytellers, Choctaw story books, language and culture) in group connection meetings.

### Federal Project Officer

Tenley Thayer  
(202) 774-2424  
Tenley.Thayer@acf.hhs.gov

### Key Program Staff

Brandi Smallwood  
(580) 326-8304 ex. 6029  
Bsmallwood@choctawnation.com

### PATH TA Staff

Kimberly Bradley  
(202) 857-2988  
Kbradley@zerotothree.org

### TEI TA Staff

Brandie Buckless  
(406) 274-6643  
Buckless@jbassoc.com

