



ADMINISTRATION FOR  
**CHILDREN & FAMILIES**

330 C Street SW, Washington DC 20201 [www.acf.hhs.gov](http://www.acf.hhs.gov)

August 3, 2018

Dear Tribal Leader:

ACF is planning our Annual Tribal Consultation meeting for September 13, 2018 in Washington, DC. The session will take place at the Capitol Skyline Hotel, 10 "I" (eye) Street SW, Washington, DC 20024. More information about the meeting site will be posted on the registration page.

During the session, ACF Principals will be available to speak with tribal leaders to discuss issues important to the tribes and ACF tribal program priorities. To help both you and the ACF Principals prepare for this consultation, we have enclosed a draft agenda and we invite you to participate in planning calls to identify individuals who will provide oral testimony to ACF, solicit for tribal moderators, and identify specific topics of interest for discussion. The agenda may change based on the comments received. The planning teleconference calls will be held on the following dates and times:

Wednesday, August 22, 2018 @ 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. (EST)

Thursday, August 23, 2018 @ 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. (EST)

Tuesday, August 28, 2018 @ 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. (EST)

The call-in number and passcode are: 866-769-9393 passcode: 4449449#.  
*(Please note, if there are a small number of participants on the call, the call may end sooner than 4:30 p.m.)*

ACF has identified the following topics for consultation:

- Family First Services Act
- Title IV-E Planning Grants– What barriers are preventing Tribes from applying for the grant
- Office of Head Start annual consultation
- TANF and Welfare reform

The deadline for the receipt of testimonies is Friday September 7, 2018. However, this deadline does not preclude anyone from providing testimony at the session and we will, to the extent that time allows, hear your testimony. In order to facilitate the discussion, we ask that presenters provide a brief overview of their testimony and include the specific issues to be addressed at the session during [registration](http://www.regonline.com/2018acftribalconsultation) ([www.regonline.com/2018acftribalconsultation](http://www.regonline.com/2018acftribalconsultation)). If you need assistance with

registration, please call 1-877-922-9262. If you plan on providing testimony, please include the name of the office(s) you wish to address. For any tribe unable to attend in person, ACF will provide a webinar link, Please contact our 1-877-922-9ANA (1-877-922-9262) for the webinar information. Anyone attending by webinar, we ask that you also register for the session.

Please be aware that ACF will also keep the testimony record open for 30 days after the date of the consultation. After that time, ACF will provide written responses to all testimonies received.

Testimonies may be submitted to: [anacommissioner@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:anacommissioner@acf.hhs.gov). Hard copy testimonies may also be mailed to:

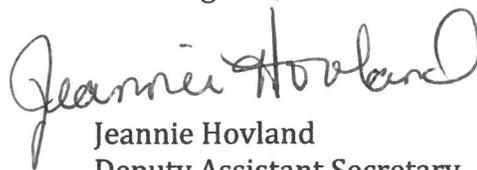
Ms. Jeannie Hovland  
Deputy Assistant Secretary for Native American Affairs/Commissioner  
Administration for Native Americans  
330 C Street, SW  
Mail Stop 4126  
Washington, D.C. 20416

Enclosed is a listing of hotels located in the area of the Hubert H. Humphrey Building. Please make your own reservations.

Should you have any questions about the consultation session, please feel free to contact Commissioner Hovland at 202-401-5590 or by email at [anacommissioner@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:anacommissioner@acf.hhs.gov) or Deputy Commissioner Romine at 202-205-5603 or by email at [kimberly.romine@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:kimberly.romine@acf.hhs.gov).

We look forward to our continuing relationship with you and working together to build healthy and happy communities.

Kind Regards,



Jeannie Hovland  
Deputy Assistant Secretary  
for Native American Affairs

Enclosures



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9:00 AM      **Posting of Colors**  
**Welcome and Introductions**  
**Tribal Opening**  
TBD

9:10 AM      **Opening Remarks**

9:20 AM      **Tribal Introductions**  
Name, title, tribe

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**Federal Moderator:** TBD

**Tribal Moderator:** TBD

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9:45 AM -      Economic Security/Economic Development  
11:15 AM      **Office of Family Assistance**  
                 Tribal TANF Programs  
                 TANF Reauthorization  
                 Update on P.L. 102-477  
**OFA Representative:** Clarence Carter, Director  
**Tribal Representative(s):**

**Office of Child Support Enforcement**  
**OCSE Representative:** Scott Lekan, Commissioner  
**Tribal Representative(s):**

**Office of Community Services**  
                 LIHEAP  
**OCS Representative:** Clarence Carter, Acting Director  
**Tribal Representative(s):**

**AIM For Independence Representative:**

11:15-12:15      **Administration of Children, Youth and Families,**  
**Children's Bureau**  
                 Title IV E  
                 Families First Prevention Services Act  
**ACYF/CB Representative:** Jerry Milner, Associate Commissioner,  
Children's Bureau  
**Tribal Representative(s):**



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12:15-  
1:15PM            **Lunch**

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**Tribal Moderator: TBD**

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1:30 PM –        **Office of Head Start**  
3:15 PM            Part of annual Head Start Consultations for 2018  
**OHS Representative:** Dr. Deborah Bergeron, Director  
**Tribal Representative(s):**

3:15 PM –        **BREAK**  
3:30 PM

3:30 PM –        **Office on Trafficking in Persons (OTIP):**  
4:15 PM            Tribal Specific Training and Outreach materials  
**OTIP Representative:** Katherine Chon, Director  
**Tribal Representative(s):**

4:15 PM-  
5:00PM            **Administration for Native Americans**  
  
**ANA Representative:** Jeannie Hovland, Commissioner/Deputy Assistant Secretary  
**Tribal Representative(s):**

5:00 PM –        **Closing Remarks**  
5:15 PM

5:15 PM            **Tribal Closing**  
**Retire Colors**



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Hotels located near ACF Tribal Consultation

Capitol Skyline Hotel

Address: 10 "I" (eye) Street SW. Washington, DC 20024

T: (202) 488-7500

Toll Free: (800) 458 7500

<http://www.capitolskyline.com/>

Holiday Inn Washington-Capitol

550 C Street SW

Washington, DC

Hotel Reservations: 1 800 315 2605

Hotel Front Desk: 1-202-4794000

Residence Inn Washington, DC /Capitol

333 E St SW, Washington, DC 20024

(202) 484-8280

Capitol Hill Hotel

200 C St SE, Washington, DC 20003

(202) 543-6000

Hyatt Place-Washington, DC/National Mall

400 E St SW, Washington, DC 20024

(202) 803-6110