Social Services
Department

Children & Family Services Program (C&FS) - ICWA

The C&FS Program advocates for Klamath Tribal families in accordance with the Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA) of 1978, Tribal Law and Policy, Tribal-State ICWA Agreement, ORICWA and upholds Klamath Tribes Resolutions related to child welfare specifically in two areas: removal and reunification of Tribal children to their families. The C&FS Program advocates in the best interest of the Tribe, the Tribal family unit, and the Klamath Tribal child when:

- Child is enrolled or eligible for enrollment in The Klamath Tribes
- Open case, active assessment, or parent/guardian elect for voluntary or prevention services
- Nationwide service area
- May intervene at any stage

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MISSION STATEMENT
Igniting generation healing and change through empowering our clients and families to achieve a higher quality of life.
**General Assistance Program (GA)**

The GA Program provides temporary financial assistance to Native American individuals with temporary or permanent disabilities residing within Klamath County, Oregon. Monthly financial assistance ranges from $246 to $336 per individual within a single household. **To be eligible for GA:**

- Must be at least 18 years old
- Member of federally recognized Tribe
- Live within Klamath County, OR
- Provide medical documentation
- Cannot receive other Tribal, State or Federal assistance (e.g. GA, SSI, or SSD) and lack resources to meet essential needs

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**Healing Winds Program (DV, SA & more)**

The Healing Winds Program provides referral, advocacy, and assistance to Native American victims of certain crimes residing within Klamath County, OR. The Program protects the identity and maintains confidentiality of the victims they serve. **To be eligible for Healing Winds services:**

- Must be at least 16 years old of any gender
- May be enrolled or descendant of federally recognized tribe; identifies as being Native and/or belonging to a Native community
- Must live within Klamath County, OR
- Must be a Victim of Domestic or Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, Stalking, Human Trafficking, Elder Abuse, or Survivor of Homicide Victim
- The Offender may be Victim’s intimate partner, family member, relative, neighbor, co-worker, schoolmate or stranger
- Cannot have any pending charges or under supervision for person-to-person crimes

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**Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program (TANF)**

The TANF Program provides a monthly grant award to parents or guardians residing within Klamath County, Oregon. Monthly financial assistance ranges per household by household size. **To be eligible for TANF:**

- At least one child must be enrolled in The Klamath Tribes
- Must live within Klamath County, OR
- At in-take there is asset and liquid income limit
- Once on the Program, the household’s income cannot exceed set limits according to household size
- Cannot receive other Tribal or State TANF
- Cannot exceeded TANF Term Limit of 5 years (inclusive of State and Tribal TANF assistance)

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