

Tribal Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation Project

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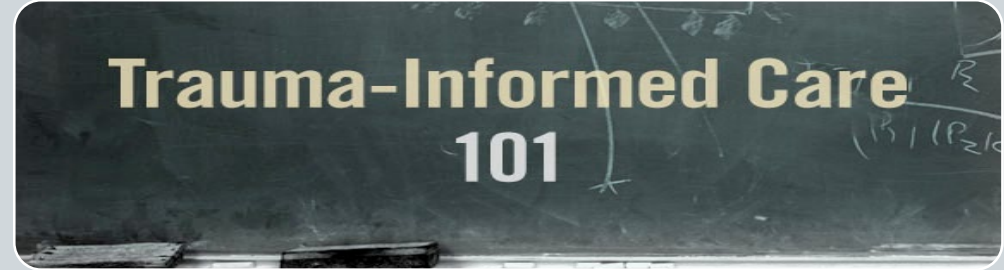
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Project Timeline and Progress

- Feedback from IPEL meeting in May
- Leaders for Tribal IECMHC Project assigned in July
- Internal DCYF team formed in fall of 2022
- Tribal workgroup established in December, 2022
 - 6 workgroup meetings
- Future meetings with workgroup members
- Planned activities
- PD and distribution of funds
- IECMHC planning package

Professional Development Options



Training
CD
COS

Trauma-informed
content



Distribution Pathway

Develop model

- Prioritize equity
- Make it practical
- Make it simple
- Clarify options
- Decide quickly

Engage Tribal programs

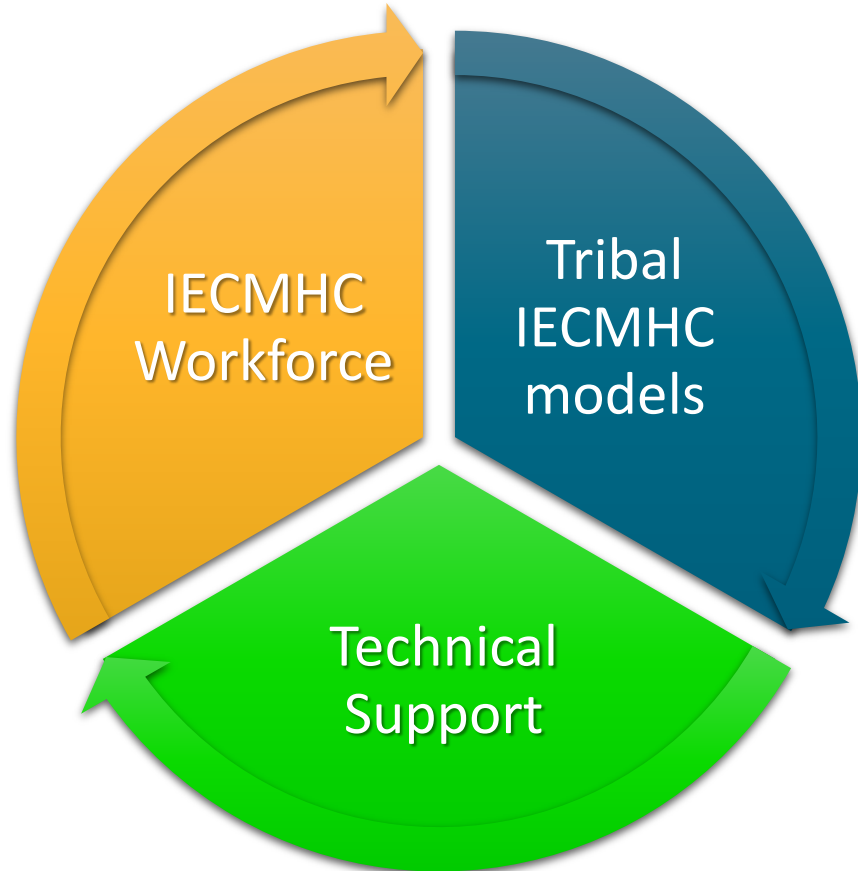
- Create questionnaire
- Engage Tribes (DTL)
- Explain timeline
- Clear instructions
- Response deadline

Implement plan

- Collect responses
- Analyze results
- Calculate awards
- Distribute funds
- Planning options?



Planning Package



- Delivered together with funds, after Tribes have answered resource questionnaires
- IECMHC guidance promotes fidelity to basic principles
- Tribal models offer examples of the range of possibilities
- Technical support for planning



Tribal IECMHC Project Partners

- Center of Excellence for IECMHC: Dawn Yazzie
- Spokane Indian Center
- WASA
- Tribal workgroup representation
 - Port Gamble S’Klallam Tribe
 - Cowlitz Indian Tribe
 - Suquamish Tribe
 - Spokane Tribe of Indians
 - Nooksack Indian Tribe
 - Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation
 - Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation
 - Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation
 - Kalispel Tribe of Indians
 - Tulalip Tribes

