

Policy 7.01 Plan and Progress Report

Timeframe: July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015

Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation

Annual Due Date: April 2 (Submit Regional Plan to the Assistant Secretary) and April 30 (submit Assistant Secretary's Plan to OIP).

Implementation Plan				Progress Report
(1) Goals/Objectives	(2) Activities	(3) Expected Outcome	(4) Lead Staff and Target Date	(5) Status Update for the Fiscal Year Starting Last July 1
<p>Goal/Objective: Continue to provide child support services to tribes in Region 6. Provide information regarding our services to tribal staff.</p>	<p>The Olympia Tribal Team works all cases for tribal members and employees of tribal enterprises of the Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation.</p> <p>Provide direct access to Olympia Tribal Team via dedicated toll free number, 866-850-1496.</p> <p>Chehalis Tribal members' calls coming in on the main line are also routed directly to the Tribal Team.</p>	<p>Service provided as needed.</p> <p>Chehalis tribal members can expect to speak to knowledgeable staff.</p>	<p>Andy Ewing, Tribal Team Supervisor; Lori Webb, Tribal Liaison; and other tribal team members as back up when needed.</p>	<p>Chehalis cases are assigned to Lori Webb.</p> <p>We have 71 Chehalis Tribal members as Non Custodial Parents. Those 71 members have a total of 174 cases among them.</p> <p>Current Support due on those cases in October 2013= \$10167.95. In October 2013, we collected a total of \$3966.07 toward current support and a total of \$1335.80 toward back support (arrears)</p> <p>We have 41 cases for noncustodial parents who are non tribal members working for Chehalis enterprises.</p> <p>The Olympia FO tribal team will provide a month by month breakdown of child support collection statistics for the year at the next 7.01 meeting or earlier if requested by the tribe.</p>
	<p>Ensure communication with Chehalis Tribe for information sharing, joint planning and problem solving.</p>	<p>Completed meeting with Chehalis Tribal Staff to discuss our 7.01 plan.</p>	<p>To be attended by Andy Ewing, Tribal Team Supervisor & Lori Webb, Tribal liaison.</p>	<p>A 7.01 meeting was held 2/13/2014. Representing the Chehalis Tribe at this meeting were Frances Pickernell and Nancy Dufraime</p>

	Identify needs of Chehalis members, clients and community and determine whether current programs and policies meet these needs	Completed outreach efforts by making presentation to staff, meeting with clients or participating in the Chehalis Health Fair.	Lori Webb, Tribal Liaison and Andy Ewing, Tribal Team Supervisor will take the lead in making sure Chehalis Staff have ample opportunity to learn about DCS programs and policies. And, that tribal members can have face to face contact.	Lori Webb, Lisa Vasquez and Kathy Lake-Baker attended the Chehalis Health Fair held on 5/16/13 Stephanie Silberlicht, Ann Bailie and Lisa Vasquez participated in the Great Wolf Lodge wellness fair The Olympia Division of Child Support Tribal Team is available to meet with Chehalis Tribal staff and DCS clients at least once a month regarding child support related issues over the next year. The tribal team will be in contact with Chehalis Social Services staff (Nancy Dufraigne) to set up dates for visits and to ensure that the Chehalis community is aware of upcoming visits
	Educating Chehalis Tribal Social Services staff on child support issues so they can address concerns & questions of the community they serve.	The Division of Child Support (DCS) hopes to do outreach with the Chehalis Tribe once a month in the coming year; DCS is aware there may be Tribal members that would be comfortable discussing child support related issues with Social Services staff rather than with a Support Enforcement Officer.		DCS would like to partner with the Chehalis Tribe and provide education to Social Services staff on child support issues such as modifying child support obligations, conference board write-offs and contacting DCS. The Division of Child Support would like to meet with Social Services staff in either March or April 2014
The Chehalis Tribe and the Division of Child Support are concerned that there may be cases in which there are duplicate child support orders; that is, one entered in Chehalis Tribal Court and one established through non-tribal courts/ processes	Tribal liaison Lori Webb has provided Nancy Dufraigne, Social Services Director a list of cases the Division of Child Support believe may have a Chehalis Tribal Order specifying child support	Safeguarding tribal non-custodial parents from being charged child support by two different entities for the same period	Lori Webb, Tribal liaison and Andy Ewing Tribal Team supervisor	