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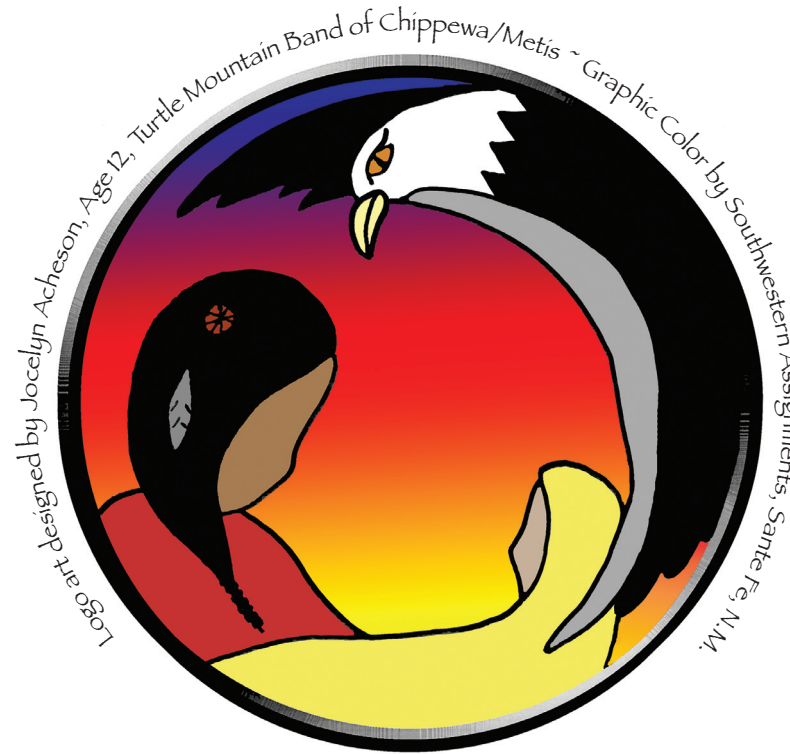
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2nd National Conference on Child Protection & Child Welfare in Indian Country

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AUGUST 19-22, 2008

Billings, Montana

REGISTRATION IS FREE!!



Sponsored by:
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Children's Alliance

in collaboration with:
The Indian Health Services/Substance Abuse and Mental Health
Services Administration's Behavioral Health Conference 2008

and the
Interdepartmental Tribal Justice, Safety and Wellness
Session # 7 hosted by the Department of Justice



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WORKSHOP HIGHLIGHTS*

- ACF/Children's Bureau: The Impact of Trauma on American Indian Children
- ACF/Children's Bureau: Independent Living Services for Tribal Youth
- ACF/Children's Bureau: Legal & Judicial Issues in Child Welfare: Court Orders in Tribal-State Agreements
- Ansell Casey Life Skills Assessments and Working with Youth
- BIA Central Office: ICWA Updates
- BIA Corrections Division: Juvenile Delinquency Issues
- Cherokee Best Practice Community Prevention Program
- Cherokee: Independent Living a Panel Discussion
- Cherokee: Working with the State DHS on ICWA
- Coeur d'Alene Tribal Social Services Best Practices for Child Welfare/TANF
- Culturally Tailored Evidence Based Programs in American Indian Communities
- Dept. of Interior: Victims of Crime Part 1, 2 & 3
- Dept. of Justice, Office of Tribal Justice: Information Sharing to Improve Safety in Indian Country
- Developing a Culturally Based Tribal Child Welfare System
- Government Performance Results Act - And What It Means to You
- In-Care Network & Casey Family Programs: Foster Parent Recruitment & Retention
- Indian Child & Family Resource Center: ICWA Assessment
- Indian Child & Family Resource Center: Montana Tribal Social Services Association
- Indian Child & Family Resource Center: Supporting Families, Subsidies for Adopting Parents & the Federal Caregivers Support Act
- Indian Child & Family Resource Center: Title IV-E Contract Negotiation - Panel Discussion
- Indian Child Welfare State Review Findings
- IHS Billings Area & BIA Rocky Mountain Region: Suicide Prevention in Indian Country
- Forensic Interviewing
- Lakota Oyate Wakanyeya Owicakiyapi Sicangu Child & Family Services: Family Group Decision Making-A Culturally based Model to Empower Families
- Making Good on Grandmother's Teachings
- Menominee Tribe: Wisconsin Tribal State Collaboration on Modifying State Laws & Manual to Address ICWA
- National Association to Prevent Sexual Abuse of Children: Basics of Child Protection: Link Between Domestic Violence & Violence Against Animals
- National Association to Prevent Sexual Abuse of Children: Basics of Child Protection: Working with Non-Offending Parents
- Native American Children's Alliance: Developing Child Advocacy Centers & MDTs in Indian Country
- Navajo Elder Task Force
- NICWA: Legislative Updates
- Nitaput Child Advocacy Center in Dillingham Alaska: Community Outreach: Strategies for Supporting Child Sexual Abuse Victims
- Prescription Drugs
- Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe: ICWA Issues & Best Practices
- Services to Navajo Families Using Alternative Methods
- Southern Indian Health Council - Keeping Indian Families Together Through Active, Collaborative Efforts
- The Spirit of Enlightenment: Collaboration & Culturally Based Tools
- Treating Families on New Mexico's Northern Pueblos-Foster Home Licensing Standards
- Tribal Law & Policy Institute: Children's Codes
- Tribal Law & Policy Institute: Developing CPT Protocols
- Tribal Law & Policy Institute: Risk Assessment of Children in Meth Home
- Tribal Urban Partnering
- University of Utah: American Indian Strengthening Families Programs
- U.S. Attorney, Billings MT: Legislative Changes That Impact Federal Prosecutions

*Subject to change

LOCATION

The 2nd National BIA Conference on Child Protection & Child Welfare in Indian Country will be held at the Billings Hotel and Convention Center in collaboration with the Tribal Justice and Wellness Session # 7 and the IHS/SAMHSA National Behavioral Health Conference which will be held at the Holiday Inn Grand Hotel and Convention Center in Billings, Montana. Registration, openings, plenary sessions and events will be at the Holiday Inn Grand Hotel and Convention Center. BIA workshops will be located at the Billings Hotel.

CONFERENCE EVENTS AT A GLANCE*

MONDAY, AUG. 18

4:30 – 7:30 Registration will open for all events



TUESDAY, AUG. 19

7:30 – 5:00 Registration
8:00 – 4:30 Follow-up to Tribal Consultation: "Continuing the Dialog"
1:00 – 5:00 Crime and Victims Rights Parts 1-3

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 20

7:30 – 5:00 Registration
8:00 – 8:45 Traditional Opening: Color Guard and Opening Prayer
Welcome from Local Tribal Chairman & dignitaries
8:45 – 10:15 Opening Plenary Session: Welcome from Federal Representatives
10:30 – 11:45 BIA Workshops
11:45 – 1:15 Partner Agencies' Awards Luncheon
1:15 – 4:00 BIA Workshops
4:15 – 5:30 Plenary Session: ONDCP, Navajo Code Talkers
6:15 – 7:15 Cultural Event: Salute to Native Veterans – Video, Prayer

THURSDAY, AUG. 21

8:00 – 5:00 Registration
8:00 – 8:30 Traditional Opening: Prayer and Welcoming From Local Tribal Chairman
8:30 – 10:15 Opening Plenary Session: Assistant Surgeon General
10:30 – 11:45 BIA Workshops
11:45 – 1:15 Pink Shawl Luncheon Event
1:15 – 4:00 BIA Workshops
4:15 – 5:00 Plenary Session: Weed and Seed – CCDO/DOJ, Prayer
6:00 – 7:00 Inter-Active Cultural Event: "Our Way of Life"

FRIDAY, AUG. 22

8:15 – 8:45 Traditional Opening: Color Guard and Prayer
8:45 – 10:15 Plenary Session: "Pathway to Hope: Healing Child Sexual Abuse" – Video and Panel discussion
10:30 – 11:45 BIA Workshops
11:45 – 1:15 Ending: To Be Announced

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LODGING

Rooms are available at the Billings Hotel and Holiday Inn Grand Hotel. The rate is \$70 for single occupancy and \$85 for double occupancy plus local taxes. Book quickly there are a limited number of rooms available at these rates. Overflow of rooms will be going to the surrounding hotels.

HOTEL CONTACT INFORMATION:

Billings Hotel: 1-800-537-7286
or 406-248-7151 (direct line)

Holiday Inn Grand Montana: 1-877-863-4780
or 406-248-7701 (direct line)



LOCAL EVENTS

CROW FAIR – AUGUST 14-18, 2008

During the month of August a gathering of Nations known as "Crow Fair" brings people together from all corners of the world to one of the largest Native American events in North America. Native American dancers from all over North America gather for competitive as well as traditional dancing. (The crowds that gather to watch these events are often invited to participate in various dances. So, get your dancing shoes on.) This event boasts that it is the "Teepee Capitol of the World" and with over 1,500 teepees set up every year, this holds true. It is truly an event that is awe inspiring to those who have the opportunity to see it. For more information please visit www.drumhop.com/crowfair.

Montana Fair 2008
www.montanafair.com

Billings Montana Events
www.billingschamber.com



WHO SHOULD COME?

Tribal, State, & Federal Employees, Tribal Judges, Social Service Providers, Educators, Clerks, Attorneys, Legal Representatives, Law Enforcement, Child Advocates, Tribal Court Personnel, Group Homes, Youth Mentors, Counselors, Clinicians, Detention Centers, & Students – it is open to all.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

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