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Timeframe:

July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020

Division of Child Support Region Three: Hoh Tribe

Annual Due Date: 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
Continue to provide child support services to Hoh members. Provide information regarding our services to Hoh tribal staff.	Child support cases of Hoh members will be worked by Olympia Tribal Team members.	Services provided as appropriate.	Andy Ewing, Tribal Team Supervisor, ewingar@dshs.wa.gov Stephanie Silberlicht, Tribal Liaison silbesj@dshs.wa.gov	All Hoh tribal members' cases are assigned to Stephanie Silberlicht. As of September 2018, there are 20 non-custodial parents identified as member of the Hoh Tribe with 47 child support cases Attached is a chart showing Child Support collections from Hoh Tribal members from January 2018 through December 2018
	Provide direct access to Tribal Team via dedicated toll free number: 866-850-1496.	Hoh members' calls are automatically routed to the Tribal Team.	The direct contact for Hoh members is Stephanie Silberlicht. Her phone number is (360) 664-6977. Other tribal team members will take calls as needed.	Hoh members' calls that come in to the Olympia Field Office are currently routed to Stephanie Silberlicht, and if she is unavailable, those calls will be routed to the other Tribal Liaisons in the Olympia FO

	<p>Ensure communication with Hoh Tribe for information sharing, joint planning and problem solving.</p>	<p>Completed meeting with Hoh Tribal Staff to discuss our 7.01 plan.</p>	<p>Andy Ewing, Tribal Team supervisor, Stephanie Silberlicht, Hoh Liaison</p> <p>Lisa Martinez, Tribal Council secretary lisa.martinez@hohtribe-nsn.org Enrique Barragan, Tribal Council member enrique.barragan@hohtribe-nsn.org</p>	<p>Andy Ewing met with Lisa Martinez and Enrique Barragan on October 3, 2018 to discuss 2019-2020 7.01 plan</p>
	<p>Identify needs of American Indian clients & communities and whether current programs and policies meet these needs</p>	<p>Completed outreach efforts by making presentation to staff, meeting with clients or participating in the Hoh Health Fair.</p>	<p>.</p>	<p>The Olympia Tribal Team is committed to meeting with Hoh tribal staff and DCS clients. DCS is hoping to do outreach with the Hoh Tribe quarterly in the coming year</p> <p>The tribal team will contact Hoh Social Services staff to set up dates for visits and to ensure that the Hoh community is aware of upcoming visits</p> <p>In 2018, DCS did the following outreach with the Hoh Tribe:</p> <p>March 5: Participated as resource in the Hoh job fair March 29: Outreach to Hoh clients and staff June 19: Attended the training provided by Hoh Tribe regarding drug use August 28: Participated in Hoh Health Fair</p>
<p>The Division of Child Support is willing to partner with the Hoh Tribe in developing strategies and innovative approaches aimed at increasing the number of tribal members paying towards their support obligation</p>		<p>Increase the number of non-custodial parents supporting their children with child support payments.</p>		<p>The Division of Child Support is willing and ready to meet with Hoh Tribe officials in regards to increasing the amount paid each month by the tribe's non-custodial parents</p> <p>The Division of Child Support will explore the possibility of attaching per-capita payments due Hoh Tribal members for non-payment of child support. DCS will contact the Hoh Tribal court administrator for info regarding process to determine if it's feasible</p>

	Educating Hoh tribal staff on child support issues so they can better address concerns and questions from community members	Hoh staff will be better equipped to counsel community members regarding their child support issues.		<p>The Division of Child Support is willing to give a "Child Support 101" presentation to interested Hoh staff/tribal council members to provide them a better understanding of relevant child support issues such as modifying child support obligations, conference board write-offs and contacting DCS</p> <p>The Olympia FO tribal team is committed to improving our service to the Hoh Tribe and so suggestions and feedback are always welcome</p>
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