

# Get Involved

## Be an Advocate for Native Children!

Our vision is that every Indian child must have access to community-based culturally appropriate services that help them grow up safe, healthy, and spiritually strong. NICWA accomplishes this by helping tribes and other services providers implement programs that are culturally competent.

When you join our membership, your involvement helps families stay together—and children to remain connected to their families and communities, to their identity and culture.



## Become a NICWA member

Our success and strength relies on people just like you!

### As a member you will:

- **Grow your network!** Be part of a nationwide network of professionals working in Indian child welfare.
- **Be informed!** Get regular updates on important ICW best practice, policy, research, job and funding opportunities.
- **Get FREE training!** Members can participate in our monthly webinars, conference calls, and podcasts.
- **Receive CEU's and CLE's to keep you accredited!** Access ongoing professional development opportunities that are culturally competent, community based, and best practice.
- **Get discounts!** Member discounts on professional development training, curriculum and merchandise.
- **Help our work to keep Native children and families together!**



## Other easy ways to make a difference:

- Like and share our work via social media:  
*Twitter:* @NativeChildren  
*Facebook:* @NativeChildren  
*LinkedIn:* [linkedin.com/company/nicwa](https://www.linkedin.com/company/nicwa)
- Sign up for our e-newsletters: [www.nicwa.org](http://www.nicwa.org)
- Share your articles, reports, job advertisements, and research in one of our newsletters
- Buy a gift of membership for a co-worker, friend, or family member interested in supporting Native families
- Attend or be a volunteer at our annual conference in April, email [swittmann@nicwa.org](mailto:swittmann@nicwa.org)

## NICWA is a strong voice for Native children and families.

NICWA is a private, nonprofit, membership-based organization dedicated to the well-being of American Indian and Alaska Native children and families. NICWA serves tribes, individuals, and private organizations throughout the United States and Canada by serving as the most comprehensive source of information on American Indian child welfare and acting as the only national Native organization focused on building tribal capacity to prevent child abuse and neglect. Together, with our members and partners, we have made a positive impact on the lives of hundreds of thousands of Native children across 567 federally recognized tribes.

## Join NICWA's movement for change today!

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