



## **Cross-Cultural Skills in Indian Child Welfare Training**

### **Sample Agenda**

Please note: Agenda items are subject to change

#### **Day 1**

Opening Blessing and  
Introductions

- Goals, Objectives, Expectations, & Overview of Agenda
- Perspectives on History and Federal Policies and Child Welfare

#### **Break**

Translating Policy into Practice

- Basics for Successful Practice
- Understanding Historical Trauma

#### **Lunch**

The Context of Practice

- Identity and Values
- A Practice Philosophy

#### **Break**

The Context of Practice

- The Influence of Worldview

Q&A/Wrap-Up

#### **Day 2**

Basic Cross-Cultural Skills

- Interviewing

#### **Break**

Basic Cross-Cultural Skills

- Assessment

#### **Lunch**

Basic Cross-Cultural Skills

- Helping Approaches

#### **Break**

Practice Issues

- Child Protection
- Substitute Care
- Permanency Planning

Q&A/Wrap-Up

#### **Day 3**

Cross-Cultural Approaches

- Working with Substance Abusing Families

#### **Break**

Cross-Cultural Approaches

- Cultural Issues in Parent Education

#### **Lunch**

Touchstones of Hope

- Trauma Informed Approach

Q&A/Wrap-Up

Closing