

## Assessing Your Tribe for Title IV-E Readiness: Licensing Requirements

- What resources or procedures are needed to obtain FBI criminal data and state/tribal background and registry check information?
- Which entity will have the responsibility to establish standards and license tribal foster family homes and child care institutions?
- What kind of standards will the tribe establish for licensure and, if applicable, licensure renewals? What procedures will be in place to ensure equal application of those standards and if appropriate, waivers of non-safety related standards for relatives?
- If the tribe already has licensing standards, are any revisions needed?
- How can the tribe ensure that title IV-E payments are not made to children placed in detention and other unallowable facilities?