

16th Annual Oklahoma Indian Child Welfare Association Conference (2023)

Event Schedule

Tue, Nov 07, 2023

9:00 AM

Registration

🕒 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM, Nov 7

10:00 AM

Welcome; Opening Remarks; Keynote Address

🕒 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM, Nov 7

📍 Skyline Event Center

11:30 AM

Lunch on your own

🕒 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM, Nov 7

1:00 PM

Tribal Consultation with the Department of the Interior (DOI), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), and the Department of Justice (DOJ)

🕒 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Nov 7

📍 Skyline Event Center

[Keynote Add...](#)

6:00 PM

OICWA Game Night and Membership Drive

🕒 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM, Nov 7

📍 Skyline Event Center

The Legendary "Let's Make a Deal" Game Night returns sponsored by the Osage Nation! Don't miss this fun-filled event and the chance to win some amazing prizes! Please join us for appetizers, fellowship, games, and learn more about becoming a member of OICWA. We encourage everyone to attend and look forward to seeing you!

Wed, Nov 08, 2023

8:30 AM

Opening Remarks, Awards Ceremony, & Keynote Address from Professor Alex Pearl

🕒 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM, Nov 8

📍 Skyline Event Center

1:30 PM

The Family First Prevention Services Act: Five Years Later

🕒 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM, Nov 8

[Policy and Proce...](#)

Detained & Unstable, Every Wrong Door: A Call to Action

🕒 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM, Nov 8

[Behavioral He...](#)

Empowering Futures: Tulsa ICWA Courts and the Journey of Reclaiming Culture

🕒 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM, Nov 8

Legal

Recruitment, Support, Emergency Foster Care: New Kinship Requirements

🕒 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM, Nov 8

Foster Ca...

Walking Together in the Spirit of ICWA; Part 1 of 2

🕒 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM, Nov 8

Culture

3:30 PM

Improving the Response to Child Maltreatment in Indian Country

🕒 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM, Nov 8

Policy and Proce...

Developing a Culturally Responsive MDT

🕒 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM, Nov 8

Behavioral He...

The Life of the Indian Child: Developing the Legal Narrative

🕒 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM, Nov 8

Legal

Beyond Recruitment: Support Strategies to Meet Your Resource Family Recruitment and Retention Goals

🕒 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM, Nov 8

Foster Ca...

Walking Together in the Spirit of ICWA; Part 2 of 2

🕒 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM, Nov 8

Culture

5:15 PM

Coffee Chat with Dr. Denise Goodman: A Conversation About Resource Family Recruitment

🕒 5:15 PM - 6:00 PM, Nov 8

Foster Ca...

6:30 PM

Osage Cultural Night and Evening Dinner

🕒 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM, Nov 8

📍 Skyline Event Center

Keynote Address

Culture

Thu, Nov 09, 2023

8:30 AM

Missing & Exploited Children in Indian Country

🕒 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM, Nov 9

Policy and Proce...

Decolonizing Therapy Practices

🕒 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM, Nov 9

Policy and Proce...

Why ICWA Matters: Growing Up Pre-ICWA

🕒 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM, Nov 9

Legal

Recruitment, Support, Emergency Foster Care: New Kinship Requirements

🕒 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM, Nov 9

Foster Ca...

Supporting Connections That Promote Culture

🕒 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM, Nov 9

Culture

10:00 AM

The Brain Talk: Neurobiology for Everyone

🕒 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Nov 9

Behavioral He...

10:30 AM

Coaching as a Path to Worker Development

🕒 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM, Nov 9

Policy and Proce...

US Attorney's Office: Indian Country Initiatives and Updates

🕒 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM, Nov 9

Legal

Protecting the Sacred Circle: The Voices of Foster Parents and Foster Care Alumni Panel

🕒 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM, Nov 9

Foster Ca...

Reconnection, Resilience, and Allyship

🕒 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM, Nov 9

Culture

12:00 PM

Luncheon and ICWA Celebration

🕒 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM, Nov 9

1:00 PM

Keynote Speaker Address & Closing Program

🕒 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM, Nov 9

1 Subsessions

● **Building Tunnels and Sky Bridges: Weaving Trauma-Informed, Resilience-Oriented, and Equitable Care with Diversity**

🕒 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM, Nov 9