

Tribal Child Welfare Data System Procurement

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Use this worksheet to take notes during the webinar or support your own program's planning for a new data system.

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How do you plan a budget for a data system?

- What are your tribal procurement policies and procedures?
- What are your funding sources?
 - How can you get creative?
- What are the direct and indirect costs in a data system purchase?
- When is the best time to develop your budget?

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How do you find the right data system to meet your needs?

- What are the upfront requirements?
- What type of system is best for the needs of your program?
- What's the difference between a vendor scan and RFP?
- What approvals are needed to select a data system?
- How can you prepare for vendor demonstrations?

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Resources

[Tribal Information Exchange](#)

[Children's Bureau - Federal Guidance for Child Welfare IT Systems](#)

[AFCARS Technical Assistance \(Title IV-E Specific\)](#)

[Mapping Change and Implementation to CCWIS Projects](#)

[Information Memorandum \(IM-23-10\) - Automated Child Welfare Information System Options for Tribal Title IV-E Agencies](#)

Additional Notes