

APPLICATION AND RENEWAL CHECKLIST

Applicant's N	ame:		
Case #:	D	ue Date:	(10 business days from intake date)
Items needed	I to complete the	application:	
Date Rec'd	CTTP Initials	(If Not Applica	ble, put NA on the 1 st line only, no initials)
All Applicant	s		
		Application for S	ervices
		Tribal Verificatio	n
		Birth Certificates	5
		Social Security Ca	ards
		Verification of Ai	id (request for adults & children)
Adults			
		Valid governmen	it issued picture I.D. or Qualified Alien Status
		Marriage Certific	cate or Divorce Decree (when applicable)
		Pregnancy Verific	cation (when applicable)
		New Participant	Orientation
		Consent to Relea	se Information
		Talent Release	
		Release of Trans	porting Youth Waiver
		Rights and Respo	onsibilities
		Drug Testing Ack	nowledgment/Drug screen
		Fraud Acknowled	dgment
		Home Visit Ackno	owledgment
		Acknowledgmen	t of Non-Compliance
		Monthly Eligibilit	ty Report (MER) for current month
		Child Custody Ag	reements (when applicable)
		Parent Informati	on



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Child

Immunization Records (exempt at 13 years, 6 th grade or when religious concerns are cited by the applicant)
School enrollment verification (including minor parents)
Report cards for all children (most current)

Residency

Copy of current Lease, Rental Agreement or Mortgage statement
Letter from Tribal Housing
Current Utility bills (if Lease, Rental Agreement or Mortgage statement is not in applicants name)
Statement of Fact (from homeowner/lease holder if the applicant is living with someone else)

Income

Employment check stubs, letter from employer, etc.
Per capita, RSTF, or Tribal distribution
Tax Return
Statement of Fact for non-filing of tax return
Social Security income for adults and children (SSI, SSA, Social Security Disability Insurance, Survivors Benefits)
State of California disability award of denial letter
Unemployment award or denial letter (If unemployed, all applicants must apply for Unemployment)
Veterans Benefits
Child support income
Money received from family or friends
Other income of any kind

Resources

	Bank accounts checking/savings (copy of most current bank statement for all accounts)
	IRA retirement accounts, 401K or other investment accounts
	Trust accounts or Savings bonds



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Vehicle registration (vehicle must be registered in applicants name)
Vehicle loan information (for vehicle value)
Proof of car insurance and insurance costs
Proof of estimated vehicle value and current odometer reading
Real property other than primary residence
Other

Needy Caregiver

Child custody agreements or foster care/court order, Tribal or county document with proper signatures and/or seals
Designation of Indian Custodian, (25 U.S.C 1901, et seq.)
A letter from the appropriate tribe with authorized signatures and/or Tribal Resolution
Statement from the custodial parent (if available) or a statement of facts from the Needy Caregiver regarding custody situation of child(ren) and whereabouts of parents



Family Type:					
☐ 1 Pare	nt 🔲 2 Parent	☐ Caregiver			
Name (First, Middle, La	est)				
Home Address		City	State	Zip Code	
Mailing Address		City	State	Zip Code	
Home Phone	Message Phone	Email Address	(Other Names (maiden, nickname, etc.)	
County of Residence	How long in the County?	Number of mon	th/years at your curre	nt residence?	

Please list everyone in your household requesting aid.

Enter Names (Adult & Child(ren)	Relation (NR= Not Related)	Birth Date	Social Security Numbers	Sex (M/F)	Marital Status	U.S. Citizen? (Y/N)	Veteran (Y/N)	Education (Last grade completed)	School (Last year attended)	Race
Example: Joe Smith	Self	2/10/74	555-55-5555	M	S	Yes	Y	12 th	1994	Native



1.	What is the Tribal affiliation	on of your child?					
	Member of a Federal	lly Recognized Tribe	Descender	nt of Federally Re	cognized Tribe		
	Descendent of Califo	rnia Judgment Roll					
	Which Tribe?				Tribal Enrolln	nent #	
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2.	Do you currently or have y		•			lYes □No	
	If yes, list all months, ye	ears & location:					
3.	Has anyone in your house	hold received public a	ssistance (TANF, C	CalWorks, CalFresh, N	1edi-Cal)	lYes □No	
	If yes, who, when and	what County					
	Workers Name:		Phone nu	mber:		CalFresh: How muc	ch?
4	Are you requesting assista	ince for anyone that i	s nregnant?	□Yes □No			
٦.	If yes, who?	•					
5.	Do any of the children have	•					
	If yes, please list the ab	sent parent name:					
6.	Is any adult in your housel	hold fleeing from pros	secution, custody	, and confinemer	nt for a felony fro	m any state?	□Yes □No
	If yes, who?						
7.	Do you or anyone who live	es with you, receive m	oney from emplo	ovment?	⊒Yes □No		
	,	•	, .	,			
	Include money from all	jobs received.		1	1		
	Household Member	Faralassa	Full-time,	Number of	Hourly wage or	Amount paid	
	who works	Employer	Part-time or Seasonal	hours worked per week	monthly salary	last month	How often paid?
	Example: Joe Smith	XYZ Company	Part	10	\$10	\$400	weekly
	Example, Joe Sillitil	X12 Company	rait	10	\$10	Ş400	Weekiy



8.	Does any	one in your household receive money fro	m any o	other source?	□Yes □No)	
	u [′]	Alimony	á	Money from rela	atives/friends		
		Annuities		Pension/Retirem	nent benefits		
		Bingo/Gambling winnings		Social Security b	enefits (SSI, SS/	A, SSDI, Survivor, Dea	ath, etc.)
		Child Support		Subsidized Adop	tion Benefits		
		Education				enue Sharing Trust F	Fund (RSTF) payments
		Foster Care Payments		State Disability I	nsurance	_	
		Insurance/Lawsuit settlements		Unemployment	Benefits		
		Interest/Dividends		Veterans' Benef	its		
		Military Benefits		Worker's Compe	ensation		
		Other income: Who receives the payment?		Adult or Child	Type of	Amount last month	How often?
				Cillia	payment	month	
9.	•	opect any changes in any of the income o Yes □ No If yes, please explain:	•	•	•		• •
10). Did you f	ile taxes last year?	0				
11	Do you w	ork for or get help with food, shelter, uti	ilities or	other expenses t	hat are not paid	d in cash? □Ye	es 🗖 No
	If yes, pl	ease explain:					



s, please complete the follow			,	
Who owns the property		' '	Estimated value	Amount owed
Example: Joe Smith	Co	ndo	\$75000.00	\$70000.00
icles (ATV) or utility trailer?	□Yes □No	n as a car, truck, motorcy	rcle, boat, snowmobile, r	ecreational vehicle (RV), a
you, or anyone who lives with icles (ATV) or utility trailer? s, please complete the follow Who Owns the Vehicle?	☐Yes ☐No ring: Vehicle Type, Model	What is the Vehicle	cle, boat, snowmobile, r	ecreational vehicle (RV), a Amount still owed
icles (ATV) or utility trailer?	□Yes □No			



14. Do	oes anyone in your househ	old h	nave any of the items b	elow?	□Yes □No	0		
If	yes, check all the boxes th	at ap	ply:					
			College Saving Plan		Pension Plans		Other	
	Burial Policy		Credit Union Accoun	ts 🗖	Retirement Fun	ds		
	Cash on Hand		IRA Account		Safe Deposit Bo	x		
	Certificate of Deposit		Life Insurance Policy		Savings Account	t		
	Checking account		Mineral Rights		Stocks/Bonds			
For	all items check above, plea	se fi	I in the boxes below:					
	Who Owns Them?		Type of Item	Wh	nere Held?	Ac	count Number	Total Value/Balance
	Example: Joe Smith		Checking Account	Fro	ntier Bank		452231	\$400.00
	e you currently homeless? /hat are your shelter expe		□Yes □No Check the boxes that	apply and	fill in the amoun	t.		
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	,		per mo					
	Mortgage \$		per mo					
	☐ Telephone \$ per month							



17. Wha	at utility bills are you re	sponsible for pay	ing? Check the boxes.				
	Telephone	🗅 н	eat (gas, electric, propane,	, wood, etc.)			
	Water		arbage	•			
	Electricity	□ o	ther:				
	Sewer						
18. Doe	es another person or ag	ency help you pa	y all or part of your shelter	costs (including energy an	d heating assistance)?	□Yes	□No
If yo	es, who pays?		What expense?		Amount paid?		
19. Doe	es anyone in your house	ehold pay child su	pport? □Yes □No				
If y	ves, who pays?		Monthly Amoun	t?			
20. Hov	w did you hear about o	ur program?					
knowledge. I		formation I have	provided will be verified a	tion for all persons applyin and that fraudulent statem	-		-
Adult Applican	nt Signature:			Date	2:		
Other Adult Ap	oplicant Signature:			Date	2:		
CTTP Staff Sign	nature:			Date	e:		



NEW PARTICIPANT ORIENTATION

Welcome: The purpose of this orientation is to empower our Participants to make informed and appropriate decisions to ensure their success while on the CTTP program. CTTP staff will provide clear information regarding the requirements in order to remain in compliance while on the program.

Office Protocol:

- Please Sign in/check in at the reception desk. Office hours are 8:00AM to 12:00PM and 1:00PM to 5:00PM, Monday-Friday. We are closed from 12-1 during the lunch hour.
- Please allow **30 minutes** prior to the lunch hour or the end of the work day when coming into the office to see your Caseworker.
- A notice will be posted if the office will be closed. Notification of office closure will be provided in advance as early as possible.
- California Tribal TANF Partnership has a zero tolerance policy for "intense verbal or physical aggressive behavior." Profanity is not acceptable. If you insist on using profanity, you will be asked to leave and reschedule your appointment.
- We suggest making an appointment to see your Caseworker unless it is an immediate need or an emergency.
- **24 hour notice of any needed documentation** that is to be mailed, faxed, picked up or copied in person is required.
- CTTP does not provide copies of Participant documents beyond what is initially provided during the intake process. We will no longer be able to fax documents for Participants that are not TANF related.

Mandatory Drug Testing: CTTP Participants are required to take a drug test upon initial intake, annual recertification and at any time that a Participant appears to be under the influence in the presence of a CTTP staff member.

New Participants are required to appear for drug testing no later than 10 days after the initial intake date. Failure to adhere to this policy will result in denial of your case.

Confidentiality: CTTP takes your privacy seriously, given this we would like you to be aware of the following:

- All of your information will be kept secure and protected.
- CTTP staff is not permitted to initiate contact or discuss case information in a public place. A participant may initiate contact, however, we ask that you do not discuss program related issues outside of CTTP offices.
- All CTTP staff are Mandated Reporters. Your information will be protected with the exception of our legally mandated obligation to report child abuse/neglect.



Notices: All notices that are sent from a CTTP office are mailed to the last known address. It is your responsibility to notify your Caseworker of any address changes within five (5) days.

If mail is not returned to our office by the post office, it is assumed the mail has been received. Failure to check your mail is not a valid excuse that you were not notified of an action.

Monthly Reports: Your Monthly Eligibility Report (MER) is due the day that your monthly cash assistance check is picked up. If your MER is not submitted by the 10th of the month, you will receive a late MER notice which could result in the late MER Non-Compliance Policy being imposed.

Your MER must be completed with all required documentation attached, (i.e., bank statements, all income verification, including Cal Fresh, Medi-Cal, per capita, child support and child(ren)'s school attendance, etc.). If your MER is incomplete **it will not** be accepted or processed.

It is your responsibility to ensure your MER is complete without error. If an error is found, the MER will be returned to you via mail for correction and a missing MER notice will be sent.

The MER must be clean legible in order to be placed in your current case file. The MER **must** be completed in blue or black ink, not pencil.

Report any and all changes in regards to household size, all income, address change etc. within five (5) days to your Caseworker, as well as on your MER.

Required Documentation: In order to determine continued eligibility, supporting documentation will be requested by your Caseworker or other pertinent CTTP staff. You will be required to submit requested documentation by indicated date and time. If unable to submit requested documentation, CTTP may not be able to determine continued eligibility, thus closing your case.

Annual Recertification: Each year prior to your CTTP anniversary date, a recertification appointment must be completed. During this appointment you will complete a new application, update forms and provide any updated documentation. Failure to complete recertification will result in case closure the last day of the recertification month.

60 Month Time Limit: Participants who have reached their 60 month time limit will be referred to the county for assistance if needed. Your family will no longer be eligible for assistance from CTTP.

You will meet with your Caseworker at 55 months to review your case plan status. At 57 months, you will discuss the process of transferring your case to the county if needed.

Compliance Department: CTTP has a Compliance Department that is required to enforce state and federal guidelines which include, case audits, case file reviews and the prevention and investigation of fraud. Failure to comply with CTTP Compliance Department could result in penalties, sanctions and/or case closure.

Failure to allow the Compliance Investigator access to your home during a home visit may result in case closure.

Overpayment: At any time if CTTP determines there has been an overpayment on your cash assistance benefit, you will be required to repay the overpayment.



Case Plan Appointment: Each adult is required to meet with their assigned Caseworker for a case plan appointment. During this appointment, a Case Plan Orientation will be presented, which will inform you what is expected of you during that phase of the program.

By signing this document, I agree that CTTP Site Staff has read and explained the contents of this document to me, and that I fully understand.

Participant Signature:	Date:
Participant Signature:	Date:
CTTP Staff Signature:	Date:



CONSENT TO RELEASE INFORMATION

l,	give my permission for the following agencies:				
Please INITIAL, if "Tribal" or "Other" a	are initialed please specify agency.				
County Social Services	Court				
County Mental Health	Tribal				
Alcohol & Drug	Landlord				
Child Support/Family Service	ces Other				
School District	Other				
☐ Eligibility and Case Management ☐ Other:					
All applicable fields must be initial					
This authorization must be update by the Applicant/Participant.	ed annually and may be revoked at any time in writing				
Applicant/Participant Signature	Date				
CTTP Representative Signature	Date				



TALENT RELEASE FORM

FOR VALUABLE DISCOURSE, including the agreement to newsletter, publications, produce a motion picture, record video or publish photographs, but not limited to submitted written documents, photographs of self, art work, advertisements, self-recording of voice taken, any music sung or played by self or group, the use of actual or fictitious name, general information as well as unsolicited materials, by whatever means to be exhibited, publicized or made use of, provided herewith, I grant the irrevocable merit to California Tribal TANF Partnership its licensees, agents, successors and assignees, the right (but not the obligation), in permanence throughout the world, in all media, now or hereafter known, to use (in any manner it deems appropriate and without limitation) and all rights will become the sole property of California Tribal TANF Partnership.

California Tribal TANF Par	rs, next of kin, executors, administrators, successors and assignees, I herewith forfeit thership, its agents, licensees, successors and assignees from any and all liabilities, out or rights granted under the terms of this agreement, or the exert herewith.
Date:	Signature:
	Print Name:
I am the parent or legal guar	rdian of (Print Full Name):
T amount improve a laboratoria de la constanta	
of my child's performances, was provided to me by Califarand assignees. However, du performance and in these intresponsible. I also give performance any claims of an labor laws, in connection with mentioned by whatever meaning the control of the	to the foregoing grant and agreement. I know that state law requires me to attend each (when producing a motion picture or recorded video) and I testify that this information fornia Tribal TANF Partnership producer of the film its licensees, agents, successors he to circumstances beyond my control, I may or may not be able to attend each stances, I agree NOT to hold all those formerly mentioned, within this paragraph, mission for my child to work until 9 pm, on production when applicable and will not my kind of nature whatsoever, including without limitation, those based upon child the exertion of the permission granted herewith. I understand that all of the above cans to be exhibited, publicized or made use of, provided herewith may be used in Tribal TANF Partnership's newsletters, success stories, website links, digital stories
Date:	Signature:
	Print Name:



RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Rights:

- 1. You have the right to apply for TANF assistance as long as you meet the eligibility criteria identified in the CTTP approved plan. This, however, does not guarantee that your application will be approved.
- 2. You have the right to have this application read to you.
- 3. You have the right to appeal any decision made regarding your application.
- 4. You have the right to know why your application was denied.
- 5. You have the right to a face-to-face interview.
- 6. You have the right to have a representative of your choice at any interview.
- 7. You have the right to receive all benefits for which you are qualified.
- 8. You have the right to be treated fairly and with respect.

Responsibilities:

- 1. You have the responsibility to provide all required documents.
- 2. You have the responsibility to be truthful at all times.
- 3. You have the responsibility to meet all required work hours and other required activities.
- 4. You have the responsibility to submit your Monthly Eligibility Report (MER) on time.
- 5. You have the responsibility to report changes in your household or income within five (5) days.
- 6. You have the responsibility to report, to your case manager, any barriers you might encounter.
- 7. You have the responsibility to treat CTTP employees and staff with respect, including not using profane language while on all CTTP properties.
- 8. You have the responsibility to dress appropriately when visiting all CTTP properties.

I have read the above Rights and Responsibilities and understand that, if I do not comply with all requirements, I may be denied services or have my monthly cash assistance reduced by a penalty or sanction.

Applicant Signature:	Date:
Applicant Signature:	Date:
CTTP Representative:	Date:



DRUG TESTING ACKNOWLEDGMENT

All CTTP adult Participants will undergo chemical dependency testing for use of chemical substances. The use of drugs is directly adverse to the goal of CTTP to promote and maintain healthy, self-sufficient families.

ALL CTTP adult Participants are required to take a drug test upon initial intake, upon recertification and at any time that a Participant/Non-Needy Caregiver appears to be under the influence in the presence of any CTTP staff member. New Participants are required to appear for drug testing no later than 10 calendar days after the initial intake date. Participants/Non-Needy Caregivers suspected of drug use by a CTTP staff member will complete the required drug testing by the close of business that day. Refusal to test shall be treated pursuant to the CTTP Mandatory Drug Testing Policy.

If a Participant refuses to cooperate during the initial phase of drug testing, they will be notified immediately that their case will be denied/closed in 10 days.

Participants/Non-Needy Caregivers who test positive are referred for Substance Use Disorder evaluation.

Following CTTP Substance Use Disorder Intake: The Participant will be scheduled for a retest 90 calendar days from date of their CTTP Substance Use Disorder Intake.

At the scheduled 90 calendar day date, the Participant repeats drug testing. If the Participant tests positive, a Level One Sanction is applied. If the Participant tests negative for drugs, no further action will be taken.

If the Participant tests positive at the 90 day test, another test will be given at 120 calendar days. If the Participant tests positive again, a Level Two Sanction is applied. If the test is negative no further action is taken.

If the Participant tests positive at the 120 day test, one final test is scheduled at 150 calendar days from initial Substance Use Disorder assessment. If the Participant tests negative, no further action will be taken. If the Participant tests positive, the case is closed. Participant may reapply and re-test in six (6) months from date of case closure.

Non-Needy Caregivers will follow this policy with the exception of no monetary deductions.

Growing of Marijuana in the Participant's/Non-Needy Caregiver's residence or the residence in which they currently reside results in a status of Non-Compliance and possible case closure.

As a federally funded program of the Department of the Administration for Children and Families under the Department of Health and Human Services, California Tribal TANF Partnership does not recognize state or local laws concerning the legalization of marijuana in whole or in part.

CTTP Participant/Non-Needy Caregiver	Date	
CTTP Representative	 	

I have read and understand the above policy.

CALIFORNIA TRIBAL TANF

FRAUD ACKNOWLEDGMENT

What is welfare/TANF fraud? Welfare/TANF fraud is a crime.

- 1. Fraud is an intentional action, inaction, or statement made by an individual for the purposes of obtaining benefits to which he or she is not entitled.
- An intentional program violation is an action taken by an individual that intentionally
 misrepresents, conceals, or withholds a material fact for the purpose of establishing or
 maintaining a family's eligibility for CTTP TANF benefits, or for increasing or preventing a
 reduction in the amount of the family's benefit.

Fraud Prevention

In order to avoid the possibility of welfare/TANF fraud, you must report all changes in your household as some changes may affect your assistance. All changes must be reported within 5 days. All changes must be reported on the Monthly Eligibility Report (MER) as well.

- 1. You must report to your Caseworker/Site Manager all income you or anyone in your household receives from any source.
- 2. You must report to your Caseworker/Site Manager about all your property, both real and personal, such as a house, land, money, a car, livestock, or any other property.
- 3. You must report to your Caseworker/Site Manager about every person living in your home, any change in the number of persons in your home, or if the status of anyone in your home changes, such as: someone gets married, separated, becomes pregnant, or moves in/out of the home.
- 4. You must report all Work Participation Hours and provide 3rd party verifications via a signature and contact number for each activity for which you have been approved. When you have pay stubs, log in sheets, or other proof of attendance, a signature and contact number will not be mandatory. All 3rd party verifications will be contacted for verification.

If you have questions about what to report, you must contact your Caseworker/Site Manager.

If you have read and understand the above section please initial here:

Suspected Fraud

When there is a suspicion of fraud, a fraud referral will be sent to the Compliance Department. The Compliance Department will conduct an investigation in an effort to determine whether or not the suspicion is valid. If the suspicion is not valid, the investigation will be closed. If fraud or suspicion of fraud has been determined, a full background check, including, but not limited to, criminal and financial checks, will be conducted and a fraud case will be opened and completed by the Compliance Department.

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	If you have read and understand the above see	ction please initial here:
Cons	equences for Committing Fraud	
	fraud has been determined by the Compliance D	•
	ted if a dollar loss exists. The amount defrauded is	
listed of to:	on the grant are responsible for the overpayment. A	person found guilty of fraud may be subject
1.	A reduction in cash aid for any overpayment.	
2.	Case closure and disqualification from the Californ	nia Tribal TANF Partnership.
3.	Being referred to the County District Attorney's O	ffice for possible criminal charges.
4.	Being convicted of Welfare Fraud and may have to	pay a fine, go to jail, or both.
5.	If TANF case is closed, active fraud case will still co	ontinue.
	If you have read and understand the above see	ction please initial here:
Frauc	d Acknowledgment Receipt	
	I have received a copy of the Fraud Acknowledgn	nent. Please initial here:
materi Penal (State I	y of Perjury: Any Person who knowingly and wil ial (written or verbal) which he or she knows to be Code, Section 118. If convicted of such crime, is sub Penitentiary.	e false is guilty of perjury under California pject to serve up to 4 years in the California
partici	re under penalty of perjury, that I understand all pating in the California Tribal TANF Partnership progrous rogram requirements.	
with p	rogram requirements.	
Appli	cant/Participant Signature	Date
СТТР	Representative Signature	Date

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CALIFORNIA TRIBAL TANF

FRAUD ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Background Release and Consent Form for Participants

For the protection of California Tribal TANF Partnership ("CTTP") and its participants, I authorize CTTP to request background consumer reports on me. These reports may include, but are not limited to, criminal and financial checks. I further understand that such reports may contain public record information such as, but not limited to: my driving record, workers' compensation claims, judgments, bankruptcy proceedings, evictions, criminal records, etc., from federal, state, and other agencies that maintain such records.

In addition, background consumer reports may be used to gather information regarding my work, character, general reputation and personal characteristics, and mode of living (lifestyle) may be obtained.

I understand that CTTP can use this disclosure and authorization to continue to obtain such consumer reports throughout the duration of my time on CTTP TANF assistance.

Authorization

I hereby authorize procurement of background consumer report(s) and investigative consumer report(s) by CTTP. This authorization shall remain on file and shall serve as ongoing authorization for CTTP to procure such reports at any time during my CTTP TANF assistance period. I authorize without reservation, any person, business or agency contacted by the consumer reporting agency to furnish the above mentioned information.

This authorization is conditioned upon the following representations of my rights:

I understand that I have the right to make a request to the consumer reporting agency:

Maximum Reports, Inc., 8509 Paseo Alameda NE, Suite C, Albuquerque, NM 87113: 505-890-9236, ("Agency"), upon proper identification, to obtain copies of any reports furnished to CTTP by the Agency and to request the nature and substance of all information in its files on me at the time of my request, including the sources of information, and the Agency, on CTTP's behalf, will provide a complete and accurate disclosure of the nature and scope of the investigation covered by any investigative consumer report(s). The Agency will also disclose the recipients of any such reports on me which the Agency has previously furnished within the two year period for employment requests, and one year for other purposes preceding my request (California three years). I hereby consent to CTTP obtaining the above information from the Agency. I understand that I can dispute, at any time, any information that is inaccurate in any type of report with the Agency. I may view the Agency's privacy policy at their website:

www.maximumreports.com.

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I understand that I have the right to request a copy of any report CTTP receives on me at the time the report is provided to CTTP.

As a California applicant, I understand that I have the right under Section 1786.22 of the California Civil Code to contact the Agency during reasonable hours (9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (PTZ) Monday through Friday) to obtain all information in Agency's file for my review. I may obtain such information as follows: 1) In person at the Agency's offices, which address is listed above. I can have someone accompany me to the Agency's offices. Agency may require this third party to present reasonable identification. I may be required at the time of such visit to sign an authorization for the Agency to disclose to or discuss Agency's information with this third party; 2) By certified mail, if I have previously provided identification in a written request that my file be sent to me or to a third party identified by me; 3) By telephone, if I have previously provided proper identification in writing to Agency; and 4) Agency has trained personnel to explain any information in my file to me and if the file contains any information that is coded, such will be explained to me.

I understand that I have rights under	the Fair Credit Reporting Act, and I acknowled	lge receipt of
the Summary of Rights	(initials).	
Printed Name (First, MI, Last):		
Signature:		
Date:		
For identification purposes:		
Social Security No.:	Date of Birth:/	
Current Address:	City:	
State: Zip:	Phone:	
Driver License No.:	State of Issue:	
Email Address:		

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FRAUD ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Other names known by in the last 9 years:					
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Other addresses in the last 7 years:					

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HOME VISIT ACKNOWLEDGMENT

All California Tribal TANF Participants will receive a home visit scheduled or unscheduled to their primary address by CTTP staff members when any of the following occur:

- Approval of application (to be completed within 30 calendar days).
- Recertification (to be completed within 30 calendar days).
- Approval of Non-Needy Caregiver application (to be completed in 30 days).
- Move to another residence.
- Adult or Child moves into or out of the residence.
- Written/verbal statement from the public regarding activities at the residence.
- Unable to contact Participant by phone, mail, or email.
- Anytime the Health and Safety of the children in the residence is in guestion.
- CTTP has the right to visit the home at any time without notice.
- CTTP has the right to terminate the home visit at any time due to unsafe conditions, this includes unsecured firearms.
- At the time of home visit, all pets must be leashed/contained.
- If a Participant refuses to allow entry for a home visit, they will be considered to be non-compliant with program requirements and will have 3 days to comply. If the home visit is not completed within 3 days of non-compliance, the case will be closed immediately. Case closure date is the last day of the month. The Participant is not eligible to reapply for 60 days after the case closure date.

I understand and acknowledge that I will receive home visits scheduled and unscheduled as stated above.

Participant Signature:	Date:
Participant Signature:	Date:
CTTP Staff Signature:	Date:



ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF NON-COMPLIANCE

Non-Compliance is defined as failure without good cause to comply with program requirements or component of the Case Plan. Non-Compliance will result in a penalty and/or sanction being imposed, which will result in a reduction in the CTTP monthly grant or case closure. The Participant will not be eligible for supportive services until the penalty/sanction has been lifted and the Participant has regained a good standing with the program.

Good standing means the Participant has participated in all required testing, training and any other requirements.

Consequences of Non-Compliance: When a Participant fails, without good cause, to comply with program requirements the individual will serve either a penalty or sanction. Participants will move to the next level under the process and will not repeat the previous level within a twelve (12) month period (Anniversary date to Anniversary date). There are two types of Non-Compliance, *general* and *specific:*

A. General Non-Compliance with program requirements may include:

- 1. Failure to meet required Work Participation hours.
- 2. Failure to develop a Self-Sufficiency Plan in 30 days after eligibility intake and recertification.
- 3. Failure to participate in assigned Case Plan activities.
- 4. Failure to attend scheduled meeting with Caseworker/Site Manager.
- 5. Resign employment or refusal of work offered without reasonable justification.

Non-Compliance in one or more of the above will result in the following:

- a. First Non-Compliance month Verbal Warning. This sanction action initiates the progressive levels of sanctions.
- b. Second Non-Compliance month 25% reduction of the TANF grant amount for one (1) month (Sanction level one)
- c. Third Non-Compliance month 35% of the TANF grant amount for one (1) month (Sanction level two)
- d. Fourth Non-Compliance month 50% of the TANF grant amount for one (1) month (Sanction level three).
- e. Fifth Non-Compliance month 50% of the TANF grant amount for one (1) month (Sanction level three) and case will close at the end of this month. The client is eligible to re-apply after three (3) months from the month of closure.
- f. If a Participant voluntarily closes the case while in a sanctioned status and re-applies within six (6) months the client returns at the prior sanction level. Resolved sanctions will restore the grant to normal status.

B. Specific Non-Compliance includes:

- 1. Failure to turn in Monthly Eligibility Report (MER) by the 10th of the required month
 - a. 1st time MER is late: verbal warning



b. 2nd time MER is late: \$25 penalty

c. 3rd time MER is late: \$50 penalty

d. 4th time MER is late: \$100 penalty

e. 5th time MER is late: case closure

Should the 10th of the month fall on a weekend or holiday, the due date is extended to the following business day. The Participant may not reapply after case closure for three (3) months from the date of closure.

2. Failure to complete Drug Screening Process

A. New Intake/Recertification Drug Screening

New, current and child-only intake Participants are given ten (10) calendar days to complete the testing. Should the Participant fail to test at intake/recertification: Case is closed the last day of the month. The Participant may reapply on or after the first day of the following month.

B. For Cause Drug Screening

Should a CTTP staff member observe an active Participant who appears to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol, the Participant is verbally notified, at the time of observation, and given a testing form to complete the drug screening at the assigned location by the close of business. Failure to complete the drug testing after notification results in immediate case closure. The Participant may not reapply after case closure for six (6) months from the date of closure.

3. Failure to submit MER before end of the month

• Case is closed the last day of the month. Participants may reapply on or after the first of the following month and the case remains in retrospective budgeting to calculate the current and subsequent months' grants.

MER Reinstatement:

After a case has been closed due to a missing MER the Participant has 30 days to have their case reinstated to Approved Status.

4. Failure to submit required documentation within 30 days of request

Case is closed the last day of the month. Participants may reapply on or after the first of the following month.

5. Failure to complete Recertification in the month it is due

Case is closed the last day of the month. Participant may reapply on or after the first of the following month.

6. Failure of a child(ren) to attend school- 20 or more unexcused absences in a semester

Student has 4 unexcused absences: Meet with Caseworker to discuss tardies/absences

Student has 8 unexcused absences: Internal referral (Wellness or Education)

 Student has 12 unexcused absences: Mandatory workshop/Aeries portal weekly check-in by Caseworker

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- Student has 16 unexcused absences: Compliance notification letter sent to Participant
- Student has 20 unexcused absences: The child will be suspended from the program

It will be the parent's responsibility to provide verification from the school that the child is in compliance with the CTTP Education Department's Attendance Guidelines, following the 30 day exclusion from the grant.

The child will not be eligible for any supportive services with the exception of Web-based learning software.

- 7. Failure to turn in Childcare Timesheets by the 10th of the month.
 - a. 1st time Timesheets are late: Verbal warning
 - b. 2nd time Timesheets are late: \$25 penalty
 - c. 3rd time Timesheets are late: \$50 penalty
 - d. 4th time, and all subsequent months, Timesheets are late: \$100 penalty
- 8. Participant conduct (abusive language, sexual harassment, abusive or intimidating behavior, physical violence or threats toward staff/facilitators or Participants, and/or any illegal activity).

Depending on severity of incident, the penalty will be determined by the Executive Director. Penalties may include a sanction up to, and including, case closure.

Participant Signature	Date	
Participant Signature	Date	
CTTP Staff Signature	Date	



PARENT INFORMATION

Please complete for each parent who is not living in the home

Mother's Information:				
First:	Last:			MI:
D.O.B.:		Deceas	sed: Yes 🗌 No 🗌	
Home/Mailing address:	:			
City:		State:	Zip Code:	
Hm. phone:	Wk. phone:		Other phone:	
Parent has visitation: Ye	es 🗌 No 📗 If yes, list sch	edule:		
Has custody/guardiansl	hip been established by cour	t: Yes 🗌 No 🗌		
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Father's Information:				
First:	Last:			MI:
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Home/Mailing address:				
City:		State:	Zip Code:	
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Applicant Signature			 Date	

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CALIFORNIA TRIBAL

MONTHLY ELIGIBILITY REPORT

(MER)

CALIFORNIA TRIBAL TANF PARTNERSHIP

THIS REPORT IS FOR THE MONTH OF: NAME: (Month/Year) **CIF NUMBER:**

- Complete, sign and return this report by 10th of the month, otherwise no cash grant will be processed for payment.
- You must report within 5 days any change that may affect your eligibility for the amount of your cash aid.

 Answer for everyone on cash assistance, including children, parents, step-parents, your spouse. 								
 Facts you repe 	ort may result in you	r benefit	ts increasing, d	lecreasing o	r being sto	pped.		
1) Did anyone receive	(earn) money from	a job o	r training pro	ogram?			YES	NO
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3) Did you or any member of your TANF household have any Cash Resources for the month? Checking Account YES NO Amount \$ Attach Current Bank Statement								
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Cash on Hand	YES NO		Amount \$					
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6) Has any member of the household been <u>convicted</u> of a drug related felony for possession, use, or distribution of a controlled substance(s)? If "YES", complete below:YESNO								
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CERTIFICATION								
I UNDERSTAND THAT:								
I must contact my caseworker within 5 days of any changes in my household.								
• Facts I report may result in an increase, decrease, or termination of assistance. If I knowingly give false facts or do not								
report changes in order to continue receiving assistance or benefits my assistance or benefits will be terminated.								
Payments may be delayed or terminated because of an incomplete or late MER.								
If knowingly and willfully give false information about my income, property, or family status to receive or continue								
receiving cash assistance benefits, I can be legally prosecuted. I may be charged with committing a felony if more than								
\$400.00 in cash aid is wrongfully paid out. I understand that the penalties for welfare fraud can be up to \$10,000 dollars								
and/or three years in prison. Conviction or proof of welfare fraud will also result in the discontinuance of future aid from								
the California Tribal TANF Partnership.								
YOU MUST SIGN AND DATE THIS REPORTAND ATTACH ALL VERIFICATION OR IT WILL BE CONSIDERED								
INCOMPLETE.								
I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States and the State of California that the facts contained in								
this report are true and correct.								
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STATEMENT OF FACTS

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I hereby grant permission to CTTP to investigate and provided by me to determine eligibility for CTTP Tribal T	•
I certify that the above information is true and correct to belief. I understand that knowingly providing false info services may constitute a criminal offense or fraud dis TANF, or resulting in an overpayment that I may have to	ormation to obtain Tribal TANF squalifying me for CTTP Tribal
Signature	Date
CTTP Representative	Date