
TCSA Policies & Procedures

Section: Board Governance & Operations

Reference: 2.1

Policy Title:

Common Name

Policy Statement:

The Intergovernmental Services Agreement (2003) between the Government of Canada, the Government of the NWT and the Tłıchǵ Government, calls for the establishment of a Tłıchǵ Community Services Agency on the effective date of the Tłıchǵ Agreement on August 4th, 2005. This Agency emerges from the former Dogrib Community Services Board (1997-2005), the Dogrib Divisional Board of Education (1989-1997) and the Rae-Edzo School Society (1972-1989).

The Tłıchǵ Community Services Agency or TCSA has the powers, duties and functions of a divisional education council (DEC) under the GNWT Education Act, and a Board of Management under the GNWT Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act.

The TCSA includes four constituent local authorities called District Education Authorities or DEA's under the GNWT Education Act which serve the communities of Behchokò , Gamètì , Wekweètì and Whatì. The TCSA anticipates the possibility of DEA's developing into multipurpose, advisory authorities at the local level, mirroring the multiple functions of the TCSA at the regional level, by incorporating powers, duties and functions of the Child and Family Services Committees under section 58 the GNWT Child and Family Services Act. These local, multipurpose, advisory committees may also function as community health committees.

DEA's which include functions from both Health and Social Services and Education, will be called Community Services Authorities or CSA's.

Purpose:

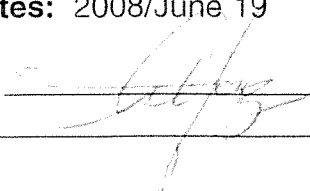
The purpose of this policy is to name and define the roles and responsibilities of the Agency and its constituent authorities in a developmental context.

Authorities:

TCSA Act 13; Education Act, 117; Hospital Insurance & Health and Social
Services Administration Act, 10(10), 13(1)

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