



**Family Services and Housing**

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Mr. Colin Craig  
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Dear Mr. Craig:

Re: Your request for access to information under Part 2 of *The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FIPPA):  
**(Our File Number: 09-00097)**

On May 6, 2009, the Department of Family Services and Housing received your application for access to the following records [in your words as stated on your application]:

“Please provide any documentation which indicates the cost for the Anishinaabe Child and Family Services agency’s staff recent trip to the United States. Further, please indicate if the agency has paid for any other out of province trips over the last three years”.

I am writing to inform you that access to this information is granted in full under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FIPPA). In April 2009, five staff from Anishinaabe CFS attended the National Indian Child Welfare conference at a total cost of \$15,151.89. Please find attached the agenda for this conference.

In accordance with best practices in child welfare, this agency has sent staff to various conferences over the last three years. These conferences were paid for by the agency.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please call Cydney Keith, Access and Privacy Coordinator, at (204) 945-0116 and reference the file number as 09-00097.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Loeppky  
Access and Privacy Officer

Enclosure  
cc: Ms. Cydney Keith