

**216A.166 Office of Native American affairs.**

The office of Native American affairs is established and shall do the following:

1. Serve as the central permanent agency to advocate for Native Americans.
2. Coordinate and cooperate with the efforts of state departments and agencies to serve the needs of Native Americans in participating fully in the economic, social, and cultural life of the state, and provide direct assistance to individuals who request it.
3. Develop, coordinate, and assist other public or private organizations which serve Native Americans.
4. Serve as an information clearinghouse on programs and agencies operating to assist Native Americans.

[2008 Acts, ch 1184, §44](#); [2008 Acts, ch 1191, §55](#); [2010 Acts, ch 1031, §165, 170](#)