

**216A.165 Duties.**

The commission shall have all powers necessary to carry out the functions and duties specified in [this subchapter](#) and shall do all of the following:

1. Study the opportunities for and changing needs of Native American persons in this state.
  2. Serve as a liaison between the department and the public, sharing information and gathering constituency input.
  3. Recommend to the board for adoption rules pursuant to [chapter 17A](#) as it deems necessary for the commission and office.
  4. Recommend legislative and executive action to the governor and general assembly.
  5. Establish advisory committees, work groups, or other coalitions as appropriate.
- [2008 Acts, ch 1184, §43](#); [2008 Acts, ch 1191, §54](#); [2010 Acts, ch 1031, §164, 170](#)