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## **San Ildefonso Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA) Program**

The ICWA program office is part of Pueblo de San Ildefonso's Health and Human Services Department. The program manages the Pueblo's child welfare system including working toward protecting the children of the Pueblo from child abuse, neglect, and the separation of families through collaborative work with families. The ICWA program office shall provide a central contact point for families seeking assistance in temporary and permanent placement of children.

### **What is the purpose of San Ildefonso's ICWA Program?**

- To review and assess community needs for ICWA services.
- To provide referrals and resources for counseling, domestic violence, drug and alcohol abuse, parenting classes, educational services, anger management, court advocacy, and many other services.
- To provide traditional methods of addressing needs of families of the San Ildefonso Pueblo.

Services provided:

- Case Management
- Family Assistance
- Court Liaison
- Mediation
- Educational Liaison
- Community Referrals
- Crisis Intervention
- Services are always **CONFIDENTIAL**

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## **Details**

**Races:** Native Americans

**Intake Process:** Call Walk-In

**Contact:** Lenora Arrietta

**Contact Email:** [icwamanager@sanipueblo.org](mailto:icwamanager@sanipueblo.org)

**Restrictions:** Must be an enrolled tribal member of the San Ildefonso Pueblo who resides within the Pueblo's boundaries

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## **Services**

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## **Locations**

*2 San I Senior Rd  
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**Mailing:**

*02 Tunyo Po  
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**Phone:** (505) 455-4164

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## **Parent Organization**

### **Pueblo de San Ildefonso**

The Pueblo de San Ildefonso history dates back to 1300 A.D. when the people from Bandelier moved down to the current location next to the Rio Grande. Before this, they had come from Mesa Verde in Southern Colorado. Today the Pueblo consists of over 60,000 acres and has an enrollment of approximately 750 people. We are located north of Santa Fe, off State Road 502 and east of Los Alamos, along the Rio Grande Valley.

Our annual feast celebration and ceremonies begin the evening of January 22nd with church vespers. The animal dancers make an appearance in the plaza, walking through the central area, around bonfires on either side. They retire quickly and will not be seen until dawn the following morning. On January 23rd, beginning at dawn, the People of San Ildefonso celebrate their annual feast day with traditional dances, Deer and Comanche dances. There is Mass celebrated on this day as well. These dances, vespers and Mass blend the native practices with the feast day of the saint Ildefonso.

Our Pueblo is known for its traditional black on black pottery a highly polished finish and black matte design, as well as red and polychrome pottery. There are also painters, jewelry makers, weavers, carvers, seamstresses, and moccasin makers here at the Pueblo.

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