



JORDAN'S PRINCIPLE



ABOUT JORDAN'S PRINCIPLE WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

First Nation children (ages 0-18 in Ontario) living on and off reserve can apply for funding if they have an unmet need that can be covered. The child can be of status, non-status, entitled to status, recognized by their band/First Nation, or have at least one parent/guardian that has status. An application can be completed for one child or a group of children.

SOAHAC'S PART HOW CAN WE HELP?

SOAHAC can help you navigate whether you can access Jordan's Principle, what other supports could be of assistance, help obtain support letters, documentation, and advocate for you and your child's behalf to Indigenous Services Canada if you live off-reserve.



FIRST STEPS

Meeting with the Family Support Worker/Jordan's Principle Navigator at SOAHAC.
Establishing what needs are not being met, filling out an application, and working together to get the support your family needs.

FOLLOW-UP

Obtaining information, documentation, referrals, and support letters from your provider(s) within their scope of practice and credentials. (i.e. a teacher speaking to the need of school supplies).

ADVOCATE

Receiving help from the FSW to navigate the Jordan's Principle system, creating other long-term supports and solutions for the future. Receiving payouts and assistance in receiving funds from the Jordan's Principle Navigator.

EXAMPLES OF WHAT HAS BEEN APPROVED:

OTHER THERAPY/HOLISTIC
COUNSELLING

RESPIRE
SUPPORT/NEEDS

BACK-TO-SCHOOL
SUPPLIES/CLOTHING

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT
NOT COVERED BY NIHB

SUMMER CAMP/LAND-
BASED LEARNING