

# State of the Child Support Program Forecast for the Future

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26th Annual AB 1058 Child Support Training  
Conference



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Evolution of the Program

In FY2021, the child support program collected **\$32.7 billion**

The child support program served  
**13.2 million children**

**66%** of child support was collected  
by income withholding from an  
employee's paycheck.  
(34% other sources)

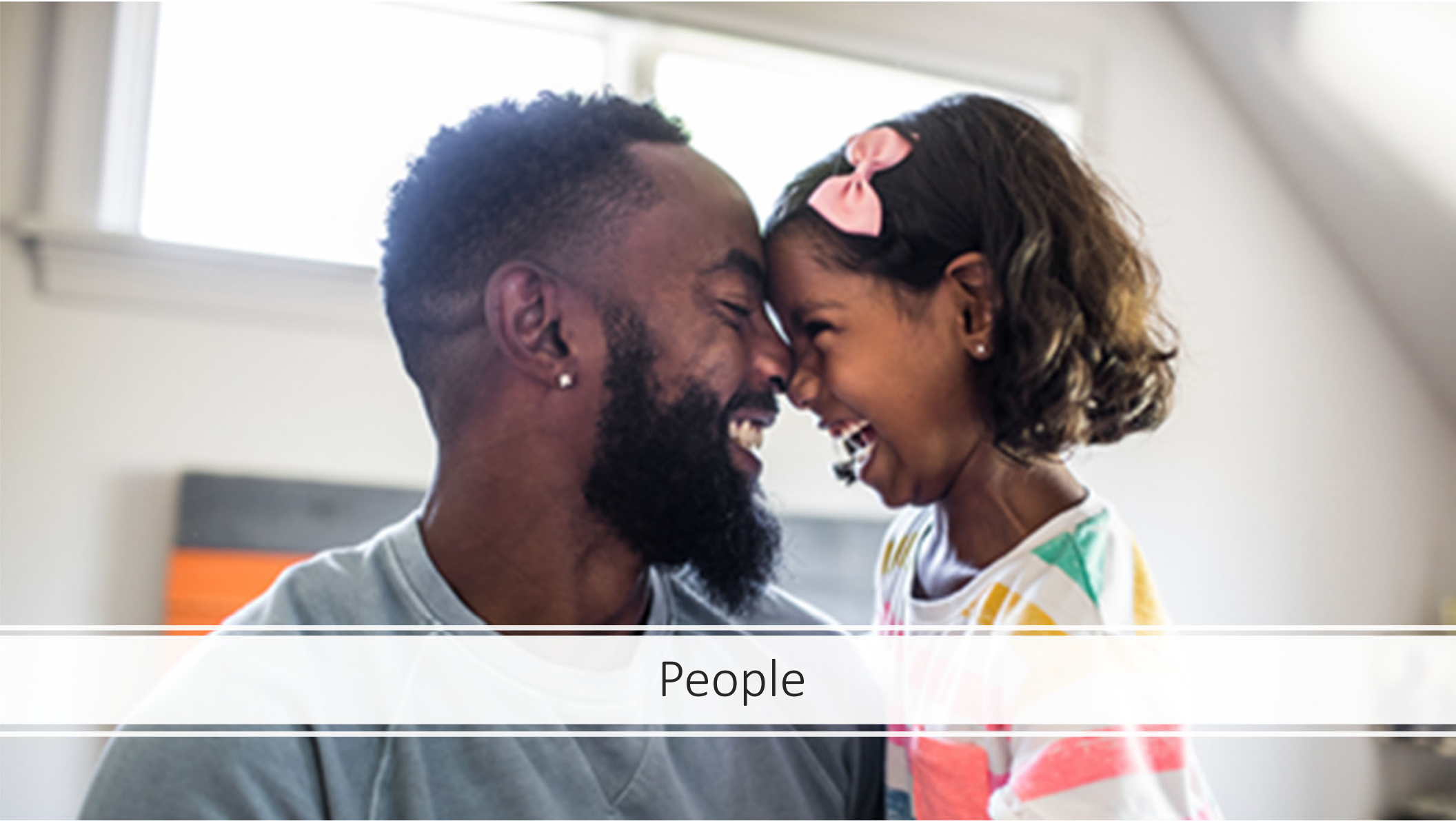
**96%** of child support collected  
went to families.  
(4% reimbursed public assistance dollars)

**\$5.27** collected by the child  
support program for every **\$1.00** spent





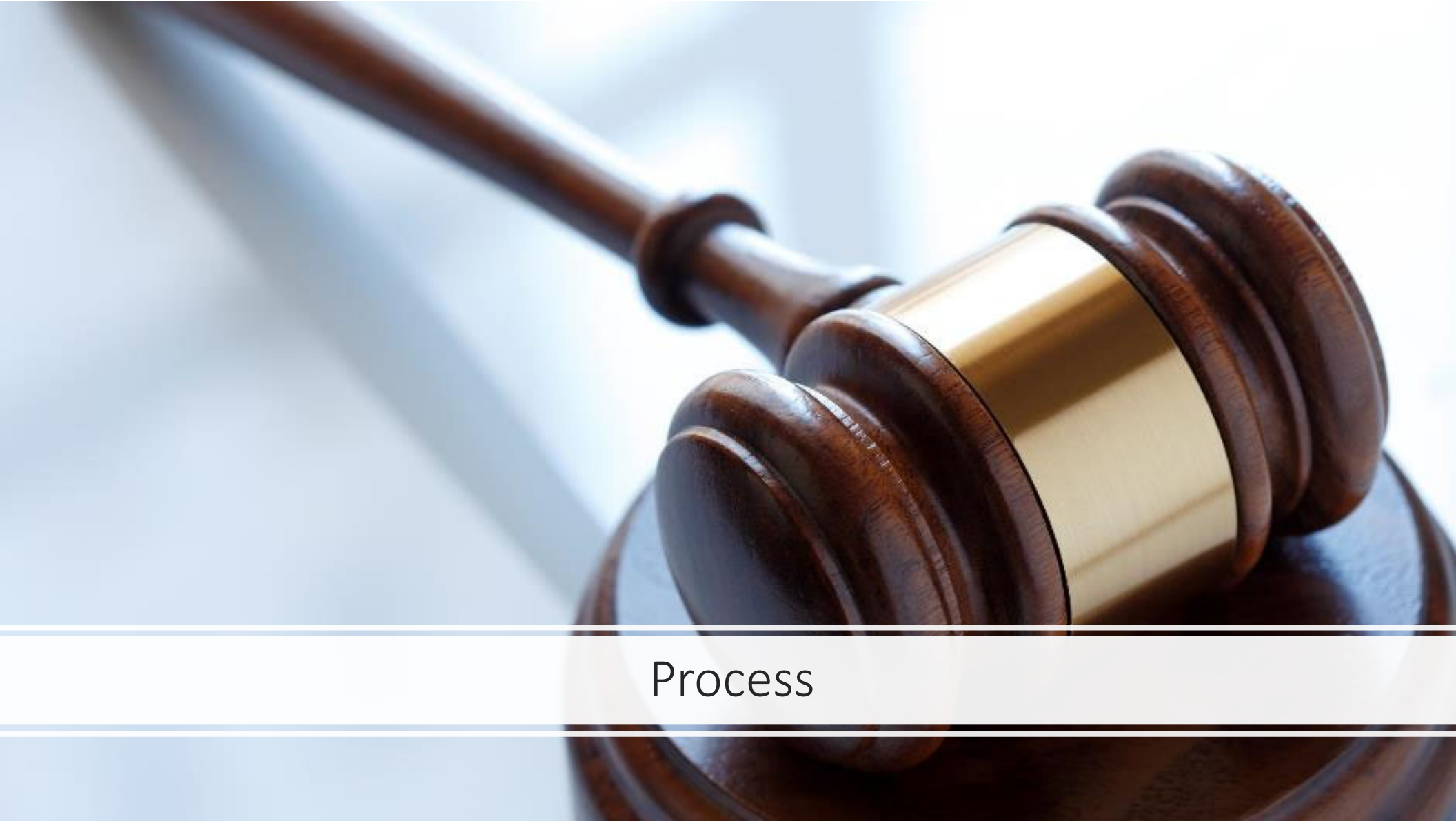
# Revitalizing Engagement Through the 3Ps **People, Process, Performance**



People

# People

- Family structure
- Parent advisory committees
- Lived experience
- Decline in national caseloads
- Great resignation



Process

# Process

- Legislative agenda items
- Parentage
- Service delivery
- Diversity/equity/inclusion
- Fatherhood programs
- Employment & training programs
- Today's family structure
- Collaboration
- Safety





Performance

# Performance

- Data elements
- Performance indicators
- Reporting
- System modernization



Priorities



## Emergency Flexibilities



## Tribal Community

In FY2020, tribal child support programs collected **\$58 million**

**96%** of child support collected went to families.

**74%** of cases have a child support order.

**\$13 million** of the support collected was disbursed outside the collecting tribe - to other tribes, states, or countries.





Fatherhood & Employment Programs



Equity In Action





Shaping The Future

A black and white photograph of an hourglass. The top bulb is partially filled with sand, and a thin stream of sand is falling through the narrow neck into the bottom bulb. The background is solid black, making the glass and sand stand out. The hourglass is positioned on the right side of the frame.

Thank You