

## **BIA Agencies Represented in the Central Classified Files, 1940–1957**

The following Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) agencies, jurisdictions, schools, and field units are represented in the series, “Central Classified Files, 1940–1957” (Entry PI-163 121B in Record Group 75; National Archives Identifier [1719104](#)). This series is housed at the [National Archives Building in Washington, DC](#) (Archives 1).

For each agency, we list the approximate start and end dates of the records, as well as the number of boxes available (extent). The BIA retains many records that postdate 1940, so there may be fewer records available for some agencies than are available prior to 1940.

For each agency, we also include National Archives Identifiers (NAIDs) that lead to the agency’s organization authority record(s) in the [National Archives Catalog](#), if available. At a minimum, the authority records link to catalog descriptions of records created by that agency, which can be helpful for identifying other records of interest. Sometimes the authority records also include a brief administrative history of the agency.

Note that BIA agencies and jurisdictions changed over time, as did the tribes that they served. Beginning in the mid-1940s especially, the BIA began creating area offices that oversaw multiple agencies in a geographic area (see pages 6–8). Records related to a particular tribe might therefore be scattered throughout multiple agencies and area offices in this list. See [Navigating Record Group 75](#) for a list of BIA agencies and the tribes that they served at different points in time. The list is arranged by state and thereunder by tribe.

The BIA usually maintained general policy documents and records related to multiple tribes or jurisdictions under separate headings. For a list of these headings, see page 8 of this document.

For agencies represented in other CCF records, see:

- BIA Agencies Represented in the Central Classified Files, 1907–1939
- BIA Agencies Represented in the Central Classified Files, 1958–1975

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<b>BIA Agency/Jurisdiction</b>	<b>Years</b>	<b>Extent</b>	<b>Catalog Authority Record(s)</b>
Alaska	1940–1957	209 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10465787</a> , <a href="#">10453002</a>
Albuquerque	1940–1957	10 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10448298</a> , <a href="#">10448297</a>
Blackfeet	1940–1957	179 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10536923</a> , <a href="#">10536924</a>
California	1948–1957	157 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10453513</a>
Carson	1940–1955	86 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10468196</a> , <a href="#">10468197</a>
Chemawa	1940–1957	14 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10451743</a> , <a href="#">10451744</a>
Cherokee Agency	1940–1957	51 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10466620</a> , <a href="#">10466621</a>
Cherokee Nation	[1940–1957]	84 boxes	See “Five Tribes.”
Cherokee School	[1940–1957]	17 boxes	
Cheyenne and Arapaho	1940–1957	53 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10535153</a> , <a href="#">10535317</a>
Cheyenne River	1940–1957	171 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10534990</a> , <a href="#">10534991</a> , <a href="#">10534992</a>
Chicago Warehouse	[1940–1957]	11 boxes	
Chickasaw	1940–1957	23 boxes	See “Five Tribes.”
Chilocco	1940–1957	11 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10452421</a> , <a href="#">10452422</a>
Choctaw	[1940–1957]	93 boxes	See “Five Tribes.”
Choctaw Nation	[1940–1957]	5 boxes	See “Five Tribes.”
Colorado River	1940–1957	85 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528256</a> , <a href="#">10528257</a> , <a href="#">10525960</a>
Colville	1940–1957	161 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528596</a> , <a href="#">47724823</a> , <a href="#">10528750</a>
Consolidated Chippewa	1940–1954	107 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10512618</a> , <a href="#">10512768</a>
Consolidated Ute	1940–1957	84 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10502019</a> , <a href="#">10502020</a>
Creek	[1940–1957]	48 boxes	See “Five Tribes.”
Crow	1940–1957	92 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10536123</a> , <a href="#">10536124</a>
Crow Creek	1940–1954	57 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10511096</a> , <a href="#">10511265</a>
Crow and Northern Cheyenne	[1940–1957]	13 boxes	See “Crow” and “Northern Cheyenne.”
Five Tribes	1940–1957	394 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10459134</a> , <a href="#">10459135</a>
Flandreau	1940–1957	12 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10508814</a> , <a href="#">10508813</a>
Flathead	1940–1957	106 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10536942</a> , <a href="#">10536941</a>

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Flathead Irrigation	1940–1952	8 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10467802</a> , <a href="#">10467996</a>
Fort Apache	1940–1957	45 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10458806</a> , <a href="#">10458807</a> , <a href="#">10458805</a> , <a href="#">10458963</a>
Fort Belknap Consolidated	[1940–1957]	31 boxes	See “Fort Belknap.”
Fort Belknap	1940–1957	23 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528907</a> , <a href="#">10528908</a>
Fort Berthold	1940–1957	92 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529063</a> , <a href="#">10529211</a> , <a href="#">10529064</a>
Fort Hall	1940–1957	68 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528752</a> , <a href="#">10528906</a>
Fort Peck	1940–1957	142 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10534993</a> , <a href="#">10534837</a>
Fort Totten	1940–1957	14 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530458</a> , <a href="#">10530307</a>
Grand Portage	[1940–1957]	1 box	
Grande Ronde–Siletz	1940–1956	25 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10449284</a> , <a href="#">10449456</a>
Great Lakes	1940–1949	67 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10513287</a> , <a href="#">10513439</a>
Great Lakes Consolidated	1949–1957	20 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10513439</a>
Haskell	1940–1957	16 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10488158</a> , <a href="#">10485587</a>
Hoopa Valley	1940–1952	22 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">11005283</a> , <a href="#">10467409</a>
Hoopa Valley Extension	[1940–1957]	1 box	See “Hoopa Valley.”
Hopi	1940–1957	30 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">12585195</a> , <a href="#">12585210</a> , <a href="#">12586275</a>
Intermountain	1950–1957	6 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10449171</a>
Iowa (Sac and Fox)	1940–1957	1 box	NAID <a href="#">10493679</a>
Jicarilla	1940–1957	41 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529229</a> , <a href="#">10529230</a>
Keshena	1940–1943	10 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10534517</a>
Kiowa	1940–1947	95 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528595</a>
Klamath	1940–1957	154 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10462060</a> , <a href="#">10462061</a>
Menominee	1943–1957	85 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10497408</a> , <a href="#">10497409</a>
Mescalero	1940–1957	32 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530592</a> , <a href="#">10530737</a>
Minnesota	1954–1957	40 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10512767</a>
Mission	1940–1957	38 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10462781</a> , <a href="#">10462961</a> , <a href="#">10462962</a>

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Mount Edge School and Medical Center	[1940–1957]	1 box	
Mount Edgecomb School	[1940–1957]	1 box	
Navajo	1940–1957	276 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10473609</a> , <a href="#">10473610</a> , <a href="#">10473611</a>
Nevada	1952–1957	29 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10448998</a>
New York	1940–1949	17 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529067</a> , <a href="#">10528909</a>
Northern Cheyenne	1940–1957	15 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10449519</a> , <a href="#">10449347</a>
Northern Idaho	1940–1957	64 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10457983</a> , <a href="#">10457984</a>
Osage	1940–1957	195 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10470432</a> , <a href="#">10470433</a>
Papago	1948–1957	21 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">11076532</a> , <a href="#">10535810</a>
Pawnee	1940–1957	44 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529374</a> , <a href="#">10529531</a>
Phoenix Medical Center	[1940–1957]	1 box	See “Phoenix School.”
Phoenix Sanatorium	[1940–1957]	4 boxes	See “Phoenix School.”
Phoenix School	1940–1957	8 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10457879</a> , <a href="#">10458036</a>
Pierre	1954–1957	18 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10530145</a>
Pierre School	1940–1957	4 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529999</a> , <a href="#">10530000</a>
Pima	1940–1957	74 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">55317189</a> , <a href="#">55317194</a> , <a href="#">56918325</a> , <a href="#">55317198</a>
Pine Ridge	1940–1957	178 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530147</a> , <a href="#">10530295</a>
Pipestone	1940–1954	10 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529845</a> , <a href="#">10529846</a> , <a href="#">10529847</a>
Potawatomi	1940–1950	22 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10535159</a> , <a href="#">10534840</a>
Quapaw	1940–1957	45 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10528598</a>
Red Lake	1940–1954	40 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530297</a> , <a href="#">10530450</a>
Rocky Boy	[1940–1957]	11 boxes	
Rosebud	1940–1957	210 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530005</a> , <a href="#">10530006</a>
Sac and Fox Sanatorium	1940–1947	6 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10493679</a>
Sacramento	1940–1947	45 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10456824</a>
St. Louis Warehouse	[1940–1957]	8 boxes	

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San Carlos	1940–1957	40 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10459281</a> , <a href="#">10459123</a> , <a href="#">10459124</a> , <a href="#">10459280</a>
San Carlos Irrigation Project	[1940–1957]	7 boxes	See “San Carlos.”
San Francisco Warehouse	[1940–1957]	2 boxes	
San Xavier	[1940–1957]	1 box	
San Xavier Sanatorium	[1940–1957]	2 boxes	
Sells	1940–1948	21 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">11076531</a> , <a href="#">11076574</a>
Seminole	[1940–1957]	61 boxes	See “Five Tribes.”
Sequoyah	[1940–1957]	4 boxes	See “Sequoyah School.”
Sequoyah School	1940–1957	1 box	NAIDs <a href="#">10492959</a> , <a href="#">10492960</a> , <a href="#">10492960</a>
Shawnee	1940–1957	45 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10468977</a> , <a href="#">10468978</a>
Shawnee Sanatorium	[1940–1957]	4 boxes	See “Shawnee.”
Sherman Institute	1940–1957	8 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10447248</a> , <a href="#">10447417</a>
Sioux Sanatorium	1940–1952	9 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530595</a> , <a href="#">10530593</a>
Sisseton	1940–1957	31 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530740</a> , <a href="#">10530741</a>
Southern Plains	1940–1957	90 boxes	
Standing Rock	1940–1957	112 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529377</a> , <a href="#">10529534</a>
Tacoma Indian Hospital	1940–1954	5 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10498359</a> , <a href="#">10498521</a>
Tacoma Medical Center	1940–1957	1 box	See “Tacoma Indian Hospital.”
Tacoma Sanatorium	1940–1957	1 box	See “Tacoma Indian Hospital.”
Taholah	1940–1950	63 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10534526</a> , <a href="#">10536937</a>
Tomah	1940–1949	38 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10506403</a> , <a href="#">10506571</a>
Tongue River	1940–?	25 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10449520</a>
Truxton Canyon	1940–1957	23 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530302</a> , <a href="#">10530599</a> , <a href="#">10530454</a> , <a href="#">10530455</a>
Tulalip	1940–1950	31 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529375</a> , <a href="#">10529376</a>
Turtle Mountain	1940–1957	32 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528602</a> , <a href="#">10528756</a>
Turtle Mountain Consolidated	1947–1949	36 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10530305</a>

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Uintah and Ouray	1940–1957	100 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528912</a> , <a href="#">10528913</a> , <a href="#">10529069</a>
Umatilla	1940–1957	40 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528600</a> , <a href="#">10528601</a>
United Pueblos	1940–1957	116 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530301</a> , <a href="#">10530603</a> , <a href="#">10530300</a> , <a href="#">10530604</a>
Wahpeton	[1940–1957]	5 boxes	
Wahpeton School	1940–1957	1 box	NAID <a href="#">10442973</a>
Wahpeton Irrigation Project	[1940–1957]	5 boxes	
Warm Springs	1940–1957	61 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528447</a> , <a href="#">10528448</a>
Western Shoshone	1940–1957	27 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10457542</a> , <a href="#">10454871</a>
Western Washington	1950–1957	81 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10449137</a>
Wind River	1940–1957	138 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10530003</a> , <a href="#">10530002</a>
Winnebago	1940–1957	72 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10528915</a> , <a href="#">10528916</a>
Yakima	1940–1957	121 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10529071</a> , <a href="#">10529072</a>

(See below for records of BIA area offices.)

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<b>BIA Area Offices</b>	<b>Years</b>	<b>Extent</b>	<b>Catalog Authority Record(s)</b>
Aberdeen Area Office	1949–1957	37 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10535893</a>
Anadarko Area Office	1948–1957	23 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10528594</a>
Billings Area Office	1946–1957	18 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10449172</a>
Billings District Office	[1940–1957]	8 boxes	
Cheyenne and Arapaho Area Office	[1940–1957]	7 boxes	
Choctaw Area Office	[1940–1957]	6 boxes	
Consolidated Great Lakes Area Field Office	[1952–1956]	20 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10513439</a>
Gallup Area Office	1952–1957	23 boxes	NAID <a href="#">75581517</a>
Great Lakes Area Field Office	[1952–1956]	4 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10513439</a>
Great Lakes Area Field Office Consolidated	[1952–1956]	13 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10513439</a>
Hoopa Area Office	[1940–1957]	7 boxes	
Juneau Area Office	1956–1957	4 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10453001</a>
Kiowa Area Field Office	1951–1957	18 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10451115</a>
Minneapolis Area Office	1949–1957	18 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10528753</a>
Minneapolis District Office	[1940–1957]	3 boxes	
Muskogee Area Office	1948–1957	23 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10528755</a>
Oklahoma City District Office	1940–1948	2 boxes	NAIDs <a href="#">10450310</a> , <a href="#">10450311</a>
Pawnee Area Field Office	1950–1957	13 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10451914</a>
Phoenix Area Office	1949–1957	24 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10458965</a>
Phoenix District Office	1946–1949	4 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10459122</a>
Pima Area Field Office	1952–1955	15 boxes	NAID <a href="#">56918326</a>
Pipestone Area Field Office	[1940–1957]	1 box	
Portland Area Office	1950–1957	62 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10529690</a>
Portland District Office	1946–1947	7 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10529533</a>
Potawatomi Area Field Office	1950–1957	8 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10534996</a>
Quapaw Area Field Office	[1940–1957]	12 boxes	

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Riverside Area Field Office	1955–1957	7 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10468906</a>
Sacramento Area Field Office	1950–1957	18 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10448820</a>
Shawnee Area Field Office	1950–1957	5 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10451915</a>
Sisseton Area Field Office	[1940–1957]	9 boxes	
Western Oklahoma Consolidated	[1940–1957]	45 boxes	
Window Rock Area Office	1949–1957	10 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10492916</a>
Zuni Area Field Office	1952–1957	2 boxes	NAID <a href="#">10529220</a>

Records related to general policy, multiple tribes, or special topics can be found under the following headings:

<b>Heading</b>	<b>Years</b>	<b>Extent</b>
Area Offices – General	1940–1957	11 boxes
District Offices – General	1940–1957	1 box
General Services	1940–1957	1,314 boxes
Indian Office	1940–1957	16 boxes