

What Can GAP Fund?

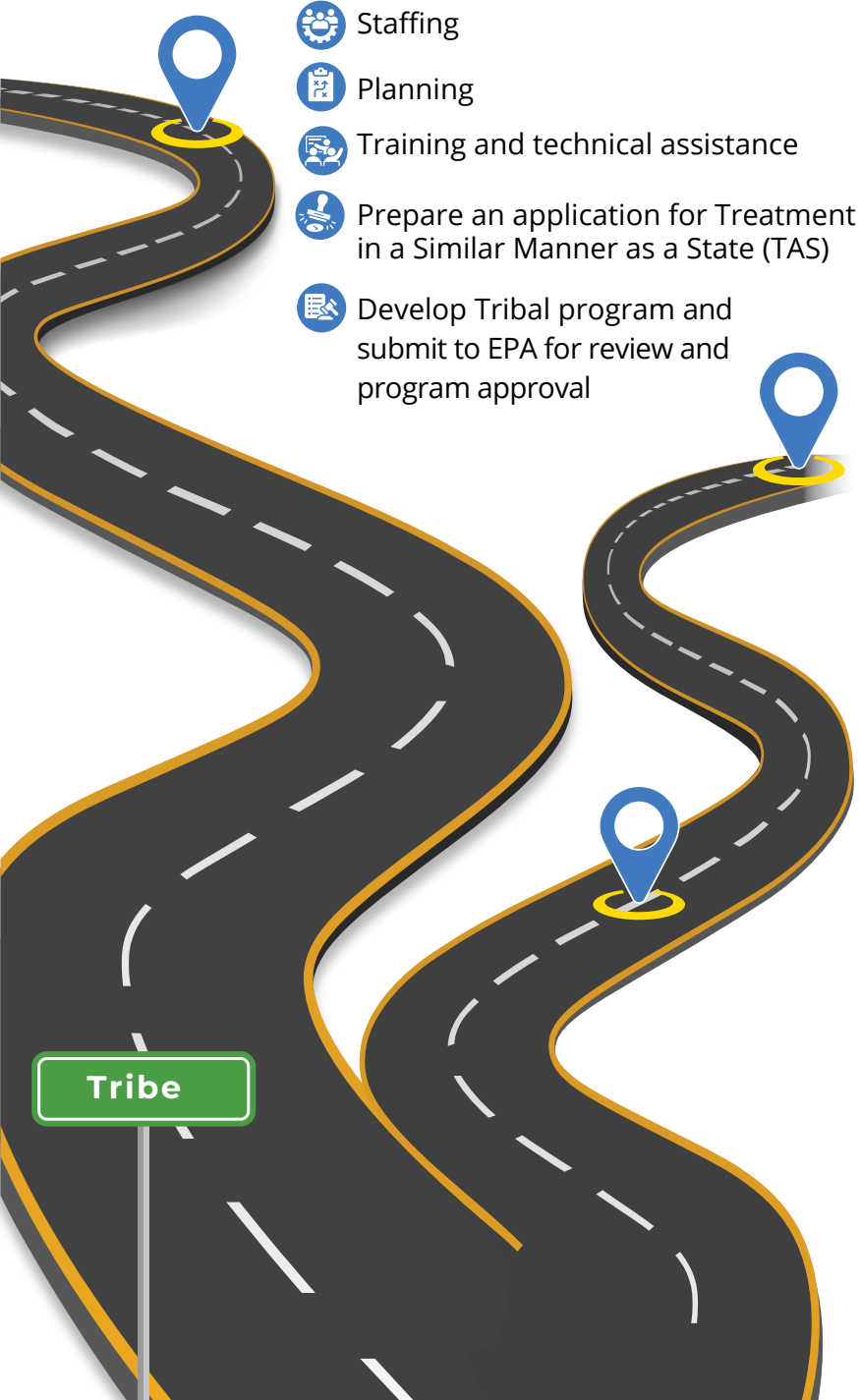
A Tribe's Journey toward Participation in EPA Statutory Programs



The Indian Environmental General Assistance Program (GAP) offers Tribes and intertribal consortia funding to build environmental capacity, including the staff and tools they need to take part in or run EPA programs, including managing solid and hazardous waste.

GAP Helps Along the Way

Prepare to Implement an EPA Program

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- Staffing
 - Planning
 - Training and technical assistance
 - Prepare an application for Treatment in a Similar Manner as a State (TAS)
 - Develop Tribal program and submit to EPA for review and program approval

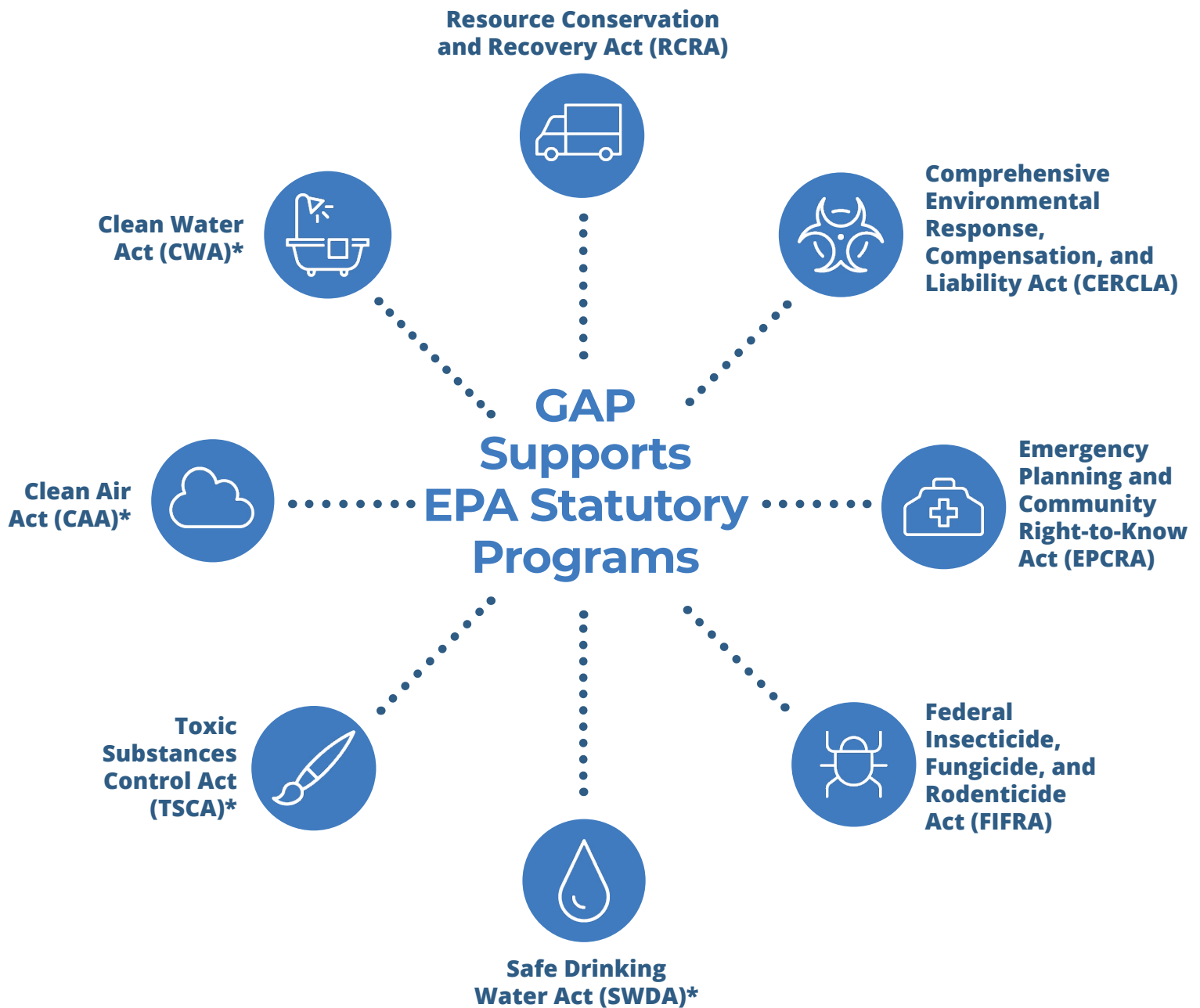
Meaningfully Participate in an EPA Program

- Engaging in an environmental workgroup with other jurisdictions
- Developing administrative capacity
- Building partnerships with EPA, Tribes, States, and others
- Testing and/or monitoring activities
- Developing Tribal laws, codes, and ordinances

Develop and Implement a Solid or Hazardous Waste Program

- Salary for personnel
- Waste stream assessments
- Compliance assistance activities
- Door-to-door collection services
- Community education and outreach
- Demonstration projects on sustainable materials management (reducing, reusing, recycling, etc.)
- Management planning and waste reduction activities
- Developing and enforcing Tribal codes and ordinances

GAP grants provide funding for Tribes to participate in the following EPA statutory programs:



* Allows for Treatment in a Similar Manner as a State.

To learn more about GAP, see [GAP Homepage](#).

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