



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Settlement Information

Question 1. [What is the CSA Class Action Settlement?](#)

On September 5, 2024, the Court of King's Bench approved the Settlement Agreement between the Province of Manitoba and Class Counsel that settled three Children's Special Allowance (CSA) Class Action Lawsuits. These lawsuits sought compensation for provincially funded Children-in-Care at Child and Family Services (CFS) Agencies in Manitoba, whose CSA benefits were clawed back or withheld between January 1, 2005, and March 31, 2019.

Question 2. [How much is the Settlement Amount?](#)

The settlement totals **\$530 million** and includes:

- **\$445.2 million** for children-in-care under Indigenous and Non-Indigenous CFS Agencies.
- **\$84.8 million** for children-in-care under Métis CFS Agencies.

Question 3. [Who is the Claims Administrator?](#)

Exchange Solutions Inc. (EXG) has been appointed as the Claims Administrator for the Class Members who were children-in-care under the Indigenous and Non-Indigenous CFS Agencies. A separate Claims Administrator is responsible for Métis CFS Agencies, information can be found here: <https://metiscaaclassaction.ca/home.html>