Foster Care

Foster Family Care is a temporary service provided to children whose families can no longer provide for their care and supervision. Providers or foster parents are issued a license or permit by NH Division of Children, Youth and Families (DCYF) of the Department of Health and Human Services.

The Fire and Health Departments are required to inspect the homes to ensure that they meet local fire and health standards. The foster home license is issued for two (2) years.

For more information and application, contact:

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Division of Children, Youth and Families

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