



Dear Caregiver:

Congratulations on starting an exciting and rewarding journey of foster care! The children of this county need you, and we are thrilled that you are joining an elite group of exceptional people helping others in need! My role as your PPE will be to provide you support, education, and linkage to important resources. I have been in your shoes and can use my experience to help set you up for success as a caregiver!

I hope you find this **Welcome Packet** helpful. It contains information on navigating the system, especially during the initial phase of a new placement.

Please use the **New Placement Guide** when you receive a call from Placement regarding a foster child.

Next, read through the **Tips for New Placements** and review some important points and reminders for new placements. Also review the resource guide to familiarize yourself with the wide range of supports the county and its partners offer to families!

Finally, when you have questions please call, email, or text me. I am here to support you and your new foster child placement.

Here is my info:



"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others"
- Gandhi