



Assessment foster care provides temporary care for children who have been removed from their parents or caretakers custody. These children require safe, nurturing homes until the court decides whether the children will be returned to their parents or if they will require long term foster care or adoption.

Bethany Christian Services is a licensed child placing

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What is an Assessment Foster Care Home?

Bethany Christian Services in conjunction with Children's Service Society of Wisconsin and the Milwaukee Bureau of Child Welfare is seeking to recruit assessment foster homes.



Requirements

- Be 21 years of age and older and be in good health
- Have a sufficient income to support your own personal financial obligations.
- Undergo background investigations.
- Possess sound judgment and positive parenting skills
- Have a high school diploma or GED
- Have renter's or home owners insurance on your property
- Have vehicle liability insurance.

Support

You will receive ongoing supervision and support services from Bethany Christian Services in order to navigate the foster care system. You will also have contact with the child's social worker regarding short term plans for his/her placement. You will also receive monthly reimbursements according to the age of the child.

Frequently asked Questions:

How is the child brought to my home?

The child is brought to your home by a social worker.

In addition to providing daily care, what are my other responsibilities?

- Take the child to medical appointments
- Provide transportation to the child's home school, if of school age
- Keep confidential records of the child's emotional, physical, and social well being.

Will the child's parents be coming to my home?

No, transportation aides transport children for visits at other settings. In most cases, assessment home have no contact with biological parents.

What are the ages of the children I will parent?

The foster children range in age from newborn to age 11. The assessment parent chooses the age of the child that would fit into their family routine. You can be licensed for more than one child.