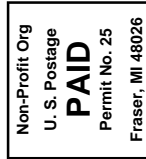


Family to Family

Every child needs and deserves a safe, nurturing and stable family. However, when life in the family home becomes unsafe and it is determined that foster care is the safest option, that shouldn't mean the child is removed from his or her neighborhood, friends, school, or religious and cultural ties. Yet, many times this is exactly what happens. After the trauma of being removed from their home, the child loses everything else that is important to them as well.

Members of the South Warren Family Resource Network:

CARE
CAUSE
Children's Center
Department of Human Services
Downriver Community Services
Fitzgerald Public Schools
Girl Scouts of Macomb County -
Otsikita Council
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren
Homes for Black Children
Judson Center
Leaps and Bounds Family Services
Lutheran Child & Family Services
Macomb County Community
Services Agency *Head Start*
Macomb Intermediate School District
Early On & Project Find
Mt. Calvary Family Community Center
Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church
Residents of Warren
Roseville Family Resource Network
Southeastern Michigan Indians
South Warren Athletic Teams
Spaulding for Children
Turning Point, Inc.
Van Dyke Public Schools
Warren Parks and Recreation
YMCA - Warren



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Be a Foster Parent!



Family to Family

An initiative to support families involved
in the child welfare system.

Family to Family Believes...

...all children need to live in a safe home.

...parents really want to be good parents.

...some parents experience difficulties making it necessary for their children to have to live in a foster care home.

...families can be reunited if they receive community support!

Family to Family is a initiative that supports birth parents, children, relative caregivers and foster families through services provided by the Department of Human Services and the South Warren Family Resource Network.



We Need You!

If you know about the needs of children, we hope that you will consider becoming a foster parent. Staff from Family to Family and the Department of Human Services will help you become a licensed foster home. You can become an important part of the team that helps children who need to have a safe place to live. You will be providing help to a child in your neighborhood. A child who needs someone to provide guidance and affection.

I Want to Be a Foster Parent, But Can't Afford Another Family Member!

The Department of Human Services provides payments to foster care parents for the support of children in their care.



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How Do I Sign Up?

If you think you might be interested in becoming a foster parent, please call the South Warren Community Specialist at 586-758-1253 or come to Mt. Calvary Church on Packard in Warren for more information about *Family to Family*, foster care and future training schedules. A child in your neighborhood is depending on you to make that call.



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Yes, please call me about being a foster parent!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Best time to call _____