Become a Foster Parent!!

Foster parents provide temporary care for children in foster care until it is time for them to go back home.

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Who are the children in foster care?

Children enter foster care at no fault of their own. Sometimes it is abuse, neglect, incarceration, or a medical illness of a parent.

Children thrive in a family environment, so your willingness allows us to find a family for each child until they are re-unified with theirs.



How do I let the local department know I'm interested?

You can start by scanning the QRcode below!



An inquiry is not a commitment, it simply allows you to share about yourself and your family.

Once your inquiry is complete, the local agency will contact you.



Who can become a foster parent in Virginia?

You must be at least 18 years or older.
Those who are interested must have the time and energy to give to a child and meet all of the approval requirements.

There are no restrictions on marital status, home ownership, race, ethnicity, religion, or sexual orientation.