



Supports & Expenses

Supports

As a Resource Family, the Following Supports are Available to You:

- Mentoring program to help prepare you for your first placement
- Caseworker assigned specifically to support your family
- Monthly support groups
- Respite care
- 24-hour emergency support
- Monthly maintenance money; amount depends on age of child
- Women Infants and Children (WIC) - food/formula and diapers
- Community Infant Program (CIP) - nurses help promote healthy attachment
- Post Adoption Program
- YMCA Benefits: 50% membership, camps, activities for your whole family
- 27 Hours of Precertification Training
- Full SAFE Home Study
- Processing of Fingerprint Cards
- CPR/FIRST AID
- Monthly Reimbursement
- Childcare Costs (if appropriate)
- Medicaid for the Foster Child
- Mileage Reimbursement

Expenses

You Cover:

- Fingerprint Fee (~\$10) and Time
- Any Costs to Meet Home Safety Requirements
- Cost of Current Physicals
- Cost for Well Water Test (If not on City Water)
- Cost of Pet Vaccinations
- Transportation of Child



In the event of an adoption:

You Cover:

- Adoption Court fee: \$167
- Birth Certificate fee: \$38