



AFTER-HOURS EMERGENCY PLACEMENT AUTHORIZATION

After-hours Emergency Placement care is a program designed to provide children and adolescents with a safe and nurturing home immediately after they've been removed from their family of origin, experienced a disruption in their current placement, or have returned from a runaway episode. Children who find themselves in these circumstances are often afraid, confused, angry, and without their personal items. They want someone who will provide them with stability and meet their emotional needs while they adjust to the changes in their lives. These children may be placed for short periods of time prior to returning to their family or previous placement or may be permanently placed in the home as a foster care placement.

Foster parents who participate in this program must be willing and able to:

- Are willing to accept children almost anytime during the evening, night, and early morning hours
- Have a plan in order to accommodate necessary childcare or transportation to the child's/youth's school upon placement in the home
- Have access to physical provisions necessary to care for children of the ages you provide below (i.e. beds/cribs, clothing, car seats, diapers, bottles, etc.)
- Provide transportation to visits, appointments, court, etc.

Please complete this box if you are interested in receiving calls to place children during non-business hours

Foster Family Name: _____
School District: _____
I can take children:
Age: _____ to _____
Gender : Male Female Both
Race: All Caucasian African American Hispanic Burmese
Number of Beds available for placements/siblings: _____

IMPORTANT

YOU WILL *NOT* BE INCLUDED IN THIS PROGRAM, UNLESS YOU RETURN THIS FORM.

IF YOU COMPLETE THIS FORM, YOU AUTHORIZE CHILDREN'S BUREAU STAFF TO CALL YOU ANY HOUR OUTSIDE OF REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS (INCLUDING HOLIDAYS).

RETURN FORM TO: Foster Care Licensing Dept.

Children's Bureau, Inc., 3801 N. Temple Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46205