



NEW JERSEY FOSTER CARE AGENCIES

Different foster care agencies serve various populations of children. Often, infants and younger children are in the care of foster parents licensed by state child welfare offices (see the state's website for local office information), while older, harder to place children are cared for by foster parents licensed through private agencies. Before committing to an agency, make sure they place children in the age group you are interested in caring for. It is also important to understand the special needs of the children the agency serves.

ORGANIZATION NAME	CITY	PHONE	WEBSITE	CHRISTIAN	FOSTER CARE	ADOPTION
STATE OFFICE						
Department of Children and Families	State Wide	877-NJ FOSTER	www.njfooster.org	No	Yes	Yes
PRIVATE AGENCIES						
Bethany Christian Services (Adoption from Foster Care)	Fair Lawn	201.215.0702	www.bethany.org	Yes	No	Yes
Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen	Perth Amboy	866.247.4003	www.ccdom.org	Yes	Yes	No
Children's Aid and Family Services	Paramus	201.261.2800	www.cafsnj.org	No	Yes	Yes
Downey Side, Inc. (Adoption from Foster Care)	Sea Girt	732.359.8434	www.downeyside.wordpress.com	Yes	No	Yes
Harvest of Hope Family Services Network, Inc.	Somerset	732.247.1270 888.325.4673	www.harvestofhopefamily.com	Yes	Yes	Yes
New Jersey Mentor	Somerset Mt. Laurel	732.627.9890 856.533.4100	www.nj-mentor.com	No	Yes	No
Oaks Integrated Care	Mount Holly	609.267.5928	www.oaksintcare.org	No	Yes	No



ADOPTION RESOURCES • FOSTER CARE AGENCIES

Crossroads Programs	Willingboro	609.880.0210	www.crossroadsprograms.org	No	Yes	No
The Children's Choice	Bellmawr	610.521.6270	www.childrenschoice.org	No	Yes	Yes
The Children's Home Society of New Jersey	Trenton	609.695.6274	www.chsofnj.org	No	Yes	Yes
United Family & Children's Society	Plainfield	908.755.4848	www.unitedfamily.org	No	Yes	Yes
Youth Consultation Service	Newark	888.322.5437	www.ycs.org	No	Yes	No