

Home Evaluation for the Placement of Children

Characteristics Checklist For Placement Matching

Mark "X" for all that apply.

P= Preferred WC= Would Consider A= Acceptable U= Unacceptable	P	A	WC	U
Gender/Sex of Child				
Male				
Female				
Race/Ethnicity/Culture of Child				
A child of the same racial/ethnic/cultural background as that of the family				
A child of a different racial/ethnic/cultural background as that of the family				
A child of any racial/ethnic/cultural background				
Number/Type of Children				
One Child				
Two Children				
Three Children				
Four or More Children				
Teen Parent with Child				
Age of Child				
0-2 Years of Age				
3-5 Years of Age				
6-8 Years of Age				
9-11 Years of Age				
12 or Older				
Health of Child				
No Significant Health Problems				
Allergies or Asthma (May Require Treatment)				
Hyperactivity (May Require Treatment)				
Speech Problems (May Require Treatment)				
Hearing Problems (May Require Treatment)				
Legally Deaf				
Vision Problems (May Require Treatment)				

Legally Blind				
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Health of Child (Continued)				
Dental Problems (May Require Treatment)				
Orthopedic Disorder (May Require Treatment)				
Seizure Disorder (May Require Treatment)				
Traumatic Brain Injury				
Autism Spectrum Disorder				
Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD)				
Other Medical Conditions Which May Require Lifelong Treatment:				
Education of Child				
High Achiever				
Achieving At Grade Level				
Achieving Below Grade Level				
Needs Special Education (Learning Disability)				
Needs Specialized Education Class Setting				
Has a School Behavior Plan				
Has an Individualized Education Plan (IEP)				
Needs Tutoring In One or More Subjects				
Has Extensive Behavioral Problems At School (Multiple Disciplinary Referrals and/or receive multiple phone calls from school)				
Characteristics And Behavior of Child				
Generally Quiet and Shy				
Generally Outgoing And Noisy				
Has Tendency To Reject Father Figures				
Has Tendency To Reject Mother Figures				
Tends to Form Mostly Superficial Relationships				
Has Difficulty Making Friends And Relating with Other Children				
Frequently Wets Bed				
Frequently Wets During The Day				

Frequently Soils Him/Herself				
Has Difficulty Maintaining Personal Hygiene				
Masturbates Frequently and/or Openly				
Has Poor Social Skills				
Has A Problem With Lying				
Has A Problem With Stealing				
Frequent Physical Altercations With Other Children				

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Characteristics And Behavior of Child (Continued)		P	A	WC	U
Tends To Abuse Animals					
Has Previously Abused Animals					
Frequently Destroys Personal Property					
Frequently Uses Explicit Language					
Has Frequent Temper Tantrums					
Has A History of Running Away					
Has a History of Setting Fires					
Has Difficulty Accepting And Obeying Rules					
Has A History of Inappropriate Sexual Behavior					
Child Identifies as LGBQI+					
Child is Questioning their Sexual Orientation					
Child is Transgender or Transitioning					
Sexually Active Teen					
Has Been Sexually Abused					
Has Been Physically Abused					
Has Been Verbally Abused					
Has Been Exposed to Promiscuous Behavior					
Exposed to Drugs and/or Alcohol in Utero					
Substance Misuse History					
Current Substance Misuse					
History of Juvenile Delinquency Involvement					

Current Juvenile Delinquency Involvement				
Child Mental Health				
Has a Mental Health Diagnosis				
Prescribed Psychotropic Medication				
Has Emotional Issues Requiring Therapy at Present				
Has Emotional Issues Requiring Long Term Therapy				
Has a History of Short Term Psychiatric Hospitalization(s)				
Has a History of Residential Therapeutic Treatment				
Family History				
Has Strong Ties To Birth Family				
Has Strong Ties To Foster Family				
Will Need Continued Contact With Siblings In Adoptive Placement				
Has Had a Previous Adoption Disruption				
Was Conceived As A Result of Rape				
Was Conceived As A Result of Incest				
Was Conceived As A Result of Prostitution				
One or Both Biological Parents Has Alcohol Addiction				
One of Both Biological Parents Has Drug Dependency				
One or Both Biological Parents Has A Criminal Record				
One or Both Biological Parents Is/Are Mentally Handicapped				
One or Both Biological Parents Has A Mental Illness				
Agency Has No Information On One or Both Biological Parents				
Adoptive Family's Feelings Toward Openness				
Is Willing To Meet Birth Parents				
Is Willing To Have Contact With Birth Parents Through Intermediary				
Is Willing To Send Correspondence To Birth Parents				

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Adoptive Family's Feelings Toward Openness (Continued)		P	A	WC
Is Willing To Receive Correspondence From Birth Parents				
Is Willing To Have Child Continue Visitation With Siblings				

Is Willing To Have Child Continue Visitation With Extended Relatives				
Is Willing To Have Child Continue Visitation With Birth Parents				
Is Willing To Receive Demographic Information About Birth Parents				
Is Willing To Distribute Demographic Information To Birth Parents				