

The children who come into your home will present both challenges and opportunities.

The **challenge** is parenting children who have begun their lives under difficult circumstances.

But the **opportunity** is that they are children for whom the love and care of adults can make a huge difference.

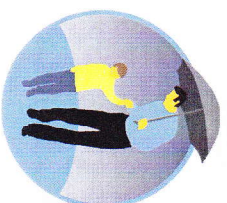
Foster parenting is about **changing lives** one child at a time. It is about believing and investing in the future. We hope you will consider making that investment.

Call us today :

(707) 689-4497



**Parents
by Choice**



**Parents
by Choice**

Parents by Choice:

- Provides services, care, and a home for children who have been removed from their parent's custody due to abuse and/or neglect
- Gives natural families a chance to heal, grow, and develop
- Strengthens foster families, so that children can grow up in homes that provide a safe nurturing environment
- Connects children and youth to safe nurturing families who may become "Forever Families" when reunification with the child's birth parents or next of kin is not possible

Parents by Choice

(707) 689-4497

www.ParentsbyChoice.net
info@ParentsbyChoice.net



**Parents
by Choice**



*Meeting the needs
of foster children
one family at a time*

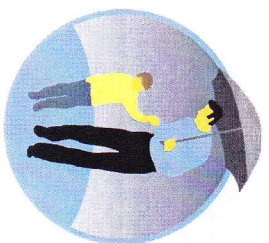


(707) 689-4497

www.ParentsbyChoice.net

Why Should You Choose Parents by Choice?

- We offer a supportive community that **values** and **respects** our foster parents as part of our team. Without you, we have no ability to help children in need. You are important to us!
- We are committed to **quality** in every respect. Our families have been carefully selected, our staff has been trained, and our program has been tested for effectiveness. We are not interested in business as usual—too much is at stake!
- We are active in the community as **advocates** for foster children and foster parents. The staff and volunteers of Parents by Choice are committed to spreading the word about the needs in foster care and the great things happening in our foster homes.
- We are people of **faith**. We have faith in our families, our team, and ultimately God. We believe that our cause is great—providing loving families for children in need.



Parents by Choice

How Do I Begin?

- ♥ It all starts with a **call** to our office
- ♥ We will be happy to answer all of your questions and **assist** you in starting the certification process
- ♥ You will be asked to complete an application packet and one of our professional staff will arrange a time to **visit** you at your home
- ♥ The next step is the **training**
- ♥ You can be **certified** within 6 weeks!



What are the qualifications?

- At least 21 years of age
- Single or married
- A rented or owned home/apartment with adequate bedroom space
- Desire and ability to provide a safe, caring home for children in need

