



Butte & Glenn Options for Recovery

Foster Parenting Readiness Program A Comprehensive, 48-Hour Training

Thank you for your interest in becoming an Options for Recovery licensed Foster Family Home or Relative Caregiver.

When you become a licensed foster parent or relative caregiver, we provide a network of professionals who will help you every step of the way, to ensure children placed in your home are safe and healthy at all times.

All you need is a loving heart and desire to make a big difference in a child's life.

As an Option for Recovery foster parent or relative caregiver you will learn to care for a substance-exposed child, 0 – 5, through a 48-hour training that includes 17 specific classes presented over an 8-week period. As part of the program, you will have infant massage training and a CPR and First Aid Class, if you are not already certified.

Classes are held Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. for 8 weeks and are held each spring and fall.

To enroll in the next Options for Recovery training, contact Krista Gallwitz at Butte County Department of Employment and Social Services, Children's Services Division, by calling 530-538-7896 or via email at kgallwitz@buttecounty.net.