PRIVATE FOSTERING

INFORMATION FOR PROFESSIONALS



Are you working with a child who is living with another family – who are not their close relatives – under a private arrangement?

If yes, get in touch:

If you have become aware of a child who may be privately fostered, you are responsible for making the child's local children's social care service aware without delay.

If you live in Leicestershire Please email childrensduty@leics.gov.uk or call the First Response Team on 0116 305 0005



If you live in Rutland Please email childrensreferrals@rutland.gov.uk

or call **01572 758407**



If you live in Leicester City Please call the Duty and Advice Team on **0116 454 1004** or email **das.team@leicester.gov.uk**



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INFORMATION FOR PARENTS AND CARERS



living with someone who isn't a close relative?
Or are you caring for someone else's child this can close relative?
close relative?
Is this a private

arrangement?

If so, this could be considered a private fostering arrangement.

If you don't tell your local children's social care service about the child's living arrangements you will be breaking the law, and you could be putting their safety and well-being at risk.

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