

# RESOURCES FOR SUPPORTING KIN, FOSTER, AND ADOPTIVE FAMILIES

## Information and Resource Links

AdoptUsKids – Recruitment and Support Resources for Professionals: <https://professionals.adoptuskids.org/>

Adoptive and Foster Family Coalition New York. Saying Goodbye: Separation and Loss Issues for Foster Parents. (Self-Guided Worksheets) <http://affcny.org/wp-content/uploads/Saying-GoodbyeHandoutsKV.pdf>

CHAMPS Guide on Foster Parent Recruitment and Retention: <https://fosteringchamps.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/CHAMPS-Guide-on-Foster-Parent-Recruitment-and-Retention.pdf>

ChildFocus on behalf of Redlich Horwitz Foundation. Foster & Kinship Parent Recruitment and Support Best Practice Inventory. <https://www.childfocuspartners.com/tools-publications/foster-kinship-parent-recruitment-and-support-best-practice-inventory>

Child Welfare Information Gateway. (2018). Working with kinship caregivers. Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Children's Bureau. <https://www.childwelfare.gov/pubPDFs/kinship.pdf>

Child Welfare Information Gateway: Parenting Resources for Foster Parents <https://www.childwelfare.gov/topics/outofhome/resources-foster-families/parenting/parentingresources/>

Florida Institute for Child Welfare. Effective Strategies to Recruit and Retain Foster Homes for Teens: A Readiness Toolkit. [https://issuu.com/fsuchildwelfare/docs/2016\\_ficw\\_fosterhome\\_recruitment\\_toolkit\\_0](https://issuu.com/fsuchildwelfare/docs/2016_ficw_fosterhome_recruitment_toolkit_0)

## Kinship Videos for Families and Professionals

Dr. Joseph Crumbley Kinship Training Videos for Professionals: <https://www.aecf.org/blog/engaging-kinship-caregivers-with-joseph-crumbley/>

Dr. Joseph Crumbley Training Videos for Kinship Caregivers: <https://www.aecf.org/blog/training-series-coping-with-the-unique-challenges-of-kinship-care/>

## Trauma Training for Foster Parents and Kin

Complete curricula and training materials available for free download from The Annie E. Casey Foundation:

Trauma Systems Therapy-Foster Care Model: <https://www.aecf.org/tstfostercare>

ARC Reflections Model: <https://www.aecf.org/work/child-welfare/child-welfare-strategy-group/arc-reflections-training-program>