

Hello

Thank you for your interest in fostering with Knowles Centre Treatment Foster Care Program. Currently in Manitoba, over 300 children are in need of a safe home and caring family – some for a short time, others for much longer.

Being removed from family can be traumatizing for any child. Those we serve, however, face even greater challenges. They may have witnessed violence and addictions; been victim to emotional, sexual or physical abuse or neglect; or struggle with developmental or cognitive challenges. You can imagine these experiences manifest themselves in many ways.

**We believe the past does not define one's future;
with support, every child can reach their full potential.**

That is where the “treatment” part of our program comes in. We bring together professional treatment services for children and youth who are overcoming difficulties with the strengths of caring people from the community. Could this be you?

As a foster parent, you would be:

- welcoming a single child, or a sibling group of two or three children into your home
- central to the treatment team and the best advocate for your foster child
- experienced in working with young people in different situations
- open to supporting the relationship between the foster child and their bio family
- positively impacting a child for life!

Please check out our [Frequently Asked Questions](#) for more information. Still have questions? Be in touch with our Program Coordinator at 204-339-4692 or tfc@knowlescentre.org.

The first step in the application process is to complete the initial [application](#). By telling us more about your situation, skills, abilities, and interests, we can start to assess if you, Knowles Centre, and a foster child are right for each other.

You can complete and submit the [application](#) online, or print it out and fax, mail, or drop it off to:
Knowles Centre Treatment Foster Care
2065 Henderson Hwy, Winnipeg, MB R2G 1P7
Fax: 204-338-9082 or Email: tfc@knowlescentre.org

Thank you again for your interest in joining the Knowles Centre treatment foster care team. All suitable applicants will be contacted to proceed with the next step in the application process.

Sincerely,

Knowles Centre Treatment Foster Care Program