

Foster Care Process

STEP 1 *Speak with one of our expert coordinators.*

- Contact via online form or call one of our five regional offices

STEP 2 *Attend an information session.*

- Learn about specific qualifications, available support and what's expected
- In-person or virtual Q&A sessions

STEP 3 *Complete foster care application.*

- In-home orientation with an Epworth Coordinator
- 90-day process toward licensure begins to ensure all criteria are met



STEP 4 *License packet submitted to SC Department of Social Services for final approval.*

- Can take up to 30 days

STEP 5 *Placement of a child in your home.*

- Around-the-clock support
- Access to parent support groups, counseling, a resource closet and much more

