

Families make the difference!

Couples and single folks change the lives of children every day through foster care and adoption.

To become a foster or adoptive parent in King County, the first step is the Foster Care & Adoptive Parent Preparation Course, a joint effort of the Division of Licensed Resources, Division of Children & Family Services and private agencies. See course schedule on the back of this page or at www.nwae.org.

There is no cost to take the course, and you will learn what is involved in becoming eligible to foster and to adopt children who have special needs. Families must pre-register for this class. To pre-register and to get directions, call:

Northwest Adoption Exchange at 206-441-6822

Northwest Adoption Exchange

600 Stewart Street, Suite 1313, Seattle, WA 98101

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LOCATIONS

SEATTLE

- NWAEE Families Like Ours
Tower Bldg/1809 7th Ave., Seattle
- Amara
3300 E. Union, Seattle
- DSHS/Delridge,
4045 Delridge Way SW, Seattle
- One Church, One Child
Ujima Community Services
6419 Martin Luther King, Jr. Way S,
Seattle
- Ryther Child Center
2400 NE 95th St., Seattle

- DSHS/Madrona Elementary
School
1121 33rd Ave, Seattle
- DSHS 2100 Bldg
2100 24th Ave S, Seattle

REDMOND

- Microsoft Campus
15030 NE 36th St, Bldg D
Redmond

KENT

- DSHS/Kent, Suite 102
Tahoma Room
1313 W. Meeker, Kent

AUBURN

- Philip Starr Building
39015 172nd Ave SE, Auburn

Free Foster/Kinship Care & Adoptive Parent Preparation Course

YOU MUST PRE-REGISTER for the King County PRIDE training by calling 206-441-6822. You will need to attend all dates within the site in which you are registered. If you need special accommodations, please notify us at least two weeks in advance. There will be neither childcare available nor food provided for these classes. **Please call and cancel if you are unable to attend the classes for which you are registered.**

April 2010

- **One Church, One Child/Ujima Community Services**
Wednesday, April 7: 6 pm to 9 pm
Thursday, April 8: 6 pm to 9 pm
Saturday, April 10: 9 am to 6 pm
Wednesday, April 14: 6 pm to 9 pm
Thursday, April 15: 6 pm to 9 pm
Saturday, April 17: 9 am to 6 pm
- **Resource Family Training Institute, DSHS/Madrona Elementary School**
Thursday, April 8: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Friday, April 9: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Saturday, April 10: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Thursday, April 15: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Friday, April 16: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
- **NWAE/Families Like Ours, Tower Bldg**
Saturday, April 10: 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, April 11: 10 am to 6 pm
Saturday, April 17: 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, April 18: 10 am to 6 pm
- **Resource Family Training Institute, DSHS/Kent**
Thursday, April 15: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Friday, April 16: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Saturday, April 17: 9:45 am to 4:45 pm
Monday, April 19: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Wednesday, April 21: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm

- **Amara**
Friday, April 23: 9 am to 6 pm
Saturday, April 24: 9 am to 6 pm
Sunday, April 25: 9 am to 6 pm

May 2010

- **Resource Family Training Institute, DSHS/Kent**
Saturday, May 1: 9 am to 5 pm
Saturday, May 8: 9 am to 5 pm
Saturday, May 15: 9 am to 5 pm
Saturday, May 22: 9 am to 5 pm
- **Resource Family Training Institute, DSHS/2100 Bldg**
Monday, May 3: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Tuesday, May 4: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Wednesday, May 5: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Thursday, May 6: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Saturday, May 8: 9:45 am to 4:45 pm

- **Resource Family Training Institute, DSHS/Philip Starr**
Tuesday, May 4: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Wednesday, May 5: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Thursday, May 6: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Friday, May 7: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
- **Ryther**
Friday, May 14: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Saturday, May 15: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Friday, May 21: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Saturday, May 22: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
- **NWAE/Families Like Ours, Microsoft Campus**
Saturday, May 15: 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, May 16: 10 am to 6 pm
Saturday, May 22: 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, May 23: 10 am to 6 pm

- **Resource Family Training Institute, DSHS/Delridge**
Tuesday, May 18: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Wednesday, May 19: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Thursday, May 20: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Friday, May 21: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm

June 2010

- **Resource Family Training Institute, DSHS/Delridge**
Wednesday, June 2: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Thursday, June 3: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Wednesday, June 9: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Thursday, June 10: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
- **One Church, One Child/Ujima Community Services**
Wednesday, June 9: 6 pm to 9 pm
Thursday, June 10: 6 pm to 9 pm
Saturday, June 12: 9 am to 6 pm
Wednesday, June 16: 6 pm to 9 pm
Thursday, June 17: 6 pm to 9 pm
Saturday, June 19: 9 am to 6 pm

- **NWAE/Families Like Ours, Tower Bldg**
Saturday, June 5: 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, June 6: 10 am to 6 pm
Saturday, June 12: 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, June 13: 10 am to 6 pm
- **Resource Family Training Institute, DSHS/Kent**
Thursday, June 17: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Friday, June 18: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Saturday, June 19: 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Thursday, June 24: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Friday, June 25: 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm

FOR INFORMATION, DIRECTIONS & MAPS,
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