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Foster/Adoption Information Event Seeks New Foster Parents to Help Address Foster Homes Shortage

[YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO] — Mahoning County Children Services has at any given time, 150-170 children in foster care. The Agency is facing a shortage of licensed foster homes for especially for caregivers who can accommodate sibling groups and emergency placements for children entering foster care.

To help address the shortage, the Agency is hosting a **Foster Parent Informational Event** which encourages anyone interested in learning more about fostering and becoming a foster parent to attend.

At the Information Event, attendees will learn more about fostering and adopting Mahoning County children, meet the Agency's Foster and Adoption teams, current Foster Parents and have the opportunity to ask questions. Lunch will be provided. Space is limited. Registration is required. There is no cost to attend this event.

Foster/Adoption Information Event

Saturday, October 28, 2017

11:00 AM-2 PM

Austintown Library

600 S. Raccoon Road

Austintown, OH 44515

To learn more about the event or to register, contact Mahoning County Children Services 330.941.8888.

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