

WE HELP
FAMILIES IN CRISIS

**GET BACK
ON THEIR FEET**

**AND KEEP FAMILIES
INTACT**

Safe Families for Children (SFFC) surrounds families facing a crisis with a caring, compassionate community of volunteers.

SUPPORTS INCLUDE:

- Coaching or mentoring to help parents reach their goals
- Extended family-like support
- Family advocacy
- Access to resources
- A safe, temporary place for children to stay if needed
- Frequent opportunities to connect parents with their children while they are with a volunteer Host Family
- Ongoing support and friendship

Let's talk!
In
Jackson
Josephine
Klamath
& Lincoln
counties

Safe Families for Children is a volunteer-driven, professionally supported framework created to keep children safe and families together.

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WHY DOES SFFC WORK?

Our goal is to connect struggling families in crisis situations with healthy community members to pull them out of isolation while they stabilize (finding housing, employment, accessing treatment, and achieving personal goals).

- Safe Families is volunteer driven which makes it a free support to parents
- Volunteers go through extensive background checks and training
- Parents maintain full custody and can stop services at any time
- Hostings vary from a few hours to several months
- Regular visits and contacts are maintained throughout hosting
- Safe Families goal is to provide the family with a community and resources so that our services are no longer necessary



WAYS TO BE INVOLVED

Be a Host Family

Voluntarily host children in your home on a temporary basis

Be a Family Friend

Encourage and support host families and families in need

Be a Mommy/Daddy Mentor

Provide support, connection, encouragement, and assistance for parents

Be a Family Coach

Help families in need reach their goals and provide encouragement to host families

Be a Resource Friend

Provide goods and services to families in need

Donate

Your financial support keeps children safe and families intact

Pray

Pray for families in crisis, volunteers, staff, and the restoration of the family



SAFE FAMILIES IS COMMUNITY

Some parents need a safe place for their children to stay while they get back on their feet. Other families need external supports. Safe Families can help with both.

"I've never seen it before in my life, so many people coming together to help one or two others. I never thought I'd make it. I don't know what I'd do without them." ~ Jessica

