



Kinship Caregivers Connect

Together as Kin, We Can!

ABOUT US

What is kinship care?

Kinship care describes when relatives or family friends, who are not a child's birth parents, step in as the child's primary caregiver, such as grandparents, aunts/uncles, siblings, family friends and others who are already connected with the child.

How we started

KCC was founded by Dr. Angela Tobin, OTD at height of the COVID-19 pandemic in June 2020. Angela was inspired by her own family's experiences with kinship care and started KCC as a graduate student. It is the first online statewide support group for kinship caregivers in Ohio.

Mission + Impact

Our mission is to empower kinship caregivers in their roles by providing resources, education, and peer connections to support their well-being and help their families thrive.

Through authentic community building, we believe supporting caregivers is crucial to kinship family stability and well-being.

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WHAT WE OFFER

Peer Support Groups



Offered virtually twice per week

- Tuesday 11:30am - 12:45pm
- Thursday 6:30pm - 7:45pm

Informational Presentations



Experts join meetings and present on topics such as legal issues, child well-being, public benefits, trauma-informed care, and community resources

Kinship Family Well-Being Consultation



A new program offers 3 to 5 sessions, covering areas such as self-care, caring for a child with disabilities, family bonding, and sensory well-being.

Semi-Annual In-Person Gatherings



Kinship Family Celebrations are hosted twice per year as a time to gather in-person and celebrate kinship care with child care provided

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