



THE INSTITUTE
FOR CHILD WELFARE
INNOVATION

CREATING BETTER TOMORROWS FOR CHILDREN, FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES.



Introducing 30 Days to Family® 1:

An innovative family search and engagement program

30 Days to Family® gives state and local agencies powerful tools to ensure more children in foster care can live with family members. Starting as soon as children enter the system, our rigorous search process identifies and engages more relatives, faster – helping children have greater connection to their siblings, more involvement with their paternal relatives, and find stable homes with relatives within 30 days.

Once children are placed with family, our robust support plans for both the children and placement providers promote placement stability, and solidifies connections that create better outcomes for children, families and the communities we call home.

Proven savings.²

\$10,217

average saving for taxpayers
for every child served

\$21,686

average saving for taxpayers
for every child age 9 years
and older served

\$28,819

average saving for taxpayers
for every child served who
has an identified disability

Proven outcomes.²



Less time in care.

Children served by 30 Days to Family[®] remained in foster care an average 91.4 fewer days; those age 9 years and older were in care an average 194 fewer days; and those with an identified disability were in care an average 257.8 fewer days.



Increased placement stability.

For children served by 30 Days to Family[®], placement change rates were reduced by 81% after being placed with the relatives.

Proven replication process.

Working with leading agencies in several states, we have developed a proven replication process to bring 30 Days to Family[®] to more communities.

It's an intense process that requires full buy-in and commitment from every member of your team, but as you can see, the results speak for themselves.



**CHILDREN ARE HAPPIER.
FAMILIES DO BETTER.
AND COMMUNITIES ARE STRONGER.**

**AT THE INSTITUTE FOR CHILD WELFARE INNOVATION,
WE ARE COMMITTED TO BRINGING **THE BEST CHILD WELFARE**
PROGRAMS TO THE BEST AGENCIES AROUND THE COUNTRY.**

We would love to talk to you about bringing 30 Days to Family[®] to the children and families in your community.

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FOOTNOTES:

1. 30 Days to Family[®] was created by the Foster & Adoptive Care Coalition in Saint Louis, Missouri.
2. Atkinson, A.J. (2019). 30 Days to Family[®]: Confirming theoretical and actual outcomes. Child Welfare, 97(5), 97-129.