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Richmond Regional Center

Family 1

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Short Pump- Henrico
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	Twin Hickory Elem Short Pump Middle Deep Run High
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	8 yr. old son
Experience as a FP (years).	0
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Interested in adoption of special needs child
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC and TFC to adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	5-10 of either gender

Family 2

1 or 2 parent Household?	2
Home location	Henrico
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	Ruby F. Carver Elem Byrd Middle Godwin High
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	9mos
Experience as a FP (years).	1 yr.
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Medically fragile infants
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to adopt or adoption
Age/Gender of children preferred.	0-18mos old of either gender

Family 3

1 or 2 parent Household?	2
Home location	Chester
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	Harrowgate Elem Carver Middle Thomas Dale High
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	4, 11,12- females
Experience as a FP (years).	5
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Experience family with stay at home mother.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC
Age/Gender of children preferred.	3-8 of either gender

Family 4

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Hanover- Ashland
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	Henry Clay Elem Liberty Middle Patrick Henry High
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	5 yr.son, 8 yr. son
Experience as a FP (years).	0
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Experience in working with special education children.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC
Age/Gender of children preferred.	5-10 of either gender

South Central Regional Center

Family 1

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Blackridge
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	1, female, 12
Experience as a FP (years).	1
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Mental retardation, medical special needs
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC-Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Approved for one female child age 0-11

Family 2

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Rice
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	0
Experience as a FP (years).	Has had no foster children in home, raised adopted daughter from 6 weeks old.
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Pregnant/teen mother, teens, developmental delays
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC-Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Two children any ethnicity, male or female, ages 13-18

Family 3

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Emporia
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	2 females ages 12 and 17
Experience as a FP (years).	5 years
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Educational advocate
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC-Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	African American or Bi-racial, either gender, ages 2-10

Family 4

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Emporia
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	One female age 13, one adopted male age 5
Experience as a FP (years).	
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Experience with raising children, and has had experience with difficult teens transitioning from more restrictive environments. Strong educational advocate.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC-Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	One African American/bi-racial male/female child ages 2-10

Family 5

1 or 2 parent Household?	2
Home location	South Hill
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	0
Experience as a FP (years).	4
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Developmental special needs, medically fragile
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC
Age/Gender of children preferred.	2 African American /bi-racial male/female child ages 0-12

Family 6

1 or 2 parent Household?	2
Home location	Chase City
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	0
Experience as a FP (years).	9
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Works well with younger children, provides structure, animal friendly
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Male or female child between the ages of 9-13 preferred, open to 0-18

Family 7

1 or 2 parent Household?	2
Home location	Chase City
Race	C
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	1 Male age 18 1 Male age 9 1 Female age 21 1 Female age 11
Experience as a FP (years).	0, new foster parents
Special ability/Interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Teens, developmental delays, aggressive behaviors, educational advocates,
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC
Age/Gender of children preferred.	C, male or female, 0-15

Family 8

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Lawrenceville
Race	AA
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	0
Experience as a FP (years).	0, new foster parent
Special ability/Interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Educational advocate, would work exceptionally well with pre-teens and teens
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC-A, would like to adopt a sibling group or male child any ethnicity, between the ages of five and thirteen
Age/Gender of children preferred.	2 children, any ethnicity, male or female, between the ages of birth to eighteen

Family 9

1 or 2 parent Household?	2
Home location	Lawrenceville
Race	AA
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	0
Experience as a FP (years).	0, new foster parents
Special ability/Interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Educational advocates
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC
Age/Gender of children preferred.	AA, Bi-racial, male/female, birth to eleven

Tidewater Regional Center

Family 1

1 or 2 parent Household?	Single parent household
Home location	Hampton, Virginia
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home	11 yr old biological son 4 yr old foster child, female
Experience as a FP (years).	Approved since March 19,2007
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Will accept behaviors such as sibling group, mild emotional issues, anger, attachment, sexual acting out, other behaviors associated with grief and loss.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	4-12 yrs old

Family 2

1 or 2 parent Household?	Single Parent Household
Home location	Norfolk, Virginia
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	15 yr old adopted daughter 12 yr old granddaughter
Experience as a FP (years).	October 13, 2003
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Interested in males between the ages of 0-10 Lying, stealing, ADHD, attention seeking behaviors, aggression, some defiance and poor school performance.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC, family might consider adoption.
Age/Gender of children preferred.	0-10 yrs old

Family 3

1 or 2 parent Household?	Single
Home location	Virginia Beach
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home	TFC female age 11 in the home
Experience as a FP (years).	June 25, 2007
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Interested in children between 4-12 yrs old. With behaviors such as ADD, learning disability, developmentally delayed, defiant, some lying, minor stealing, bedwetting and mild aggression.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC only
Age/Gender of children preferred.	4-12 yrs old of either gender

Family 4

1 or 2 parent Household?	Two parent household
Home location	Virginia Beach
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	No children at this time.
Experience as a FP (years).	June 29, 2007
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Will accept children that display such behaviors as mild emotional and behavioral problems, lying, stealing, bed-wetting, fighting, sadness, depression, academic difficulties.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	4 – 12 yrs old of either gender

Family 5

1 or 2 parent Household?	Two parent household
Home location	Virginia Beach
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	Six year old son
Experience as a FP (years).	August 20, 2007
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Sibling group of two, male or female. Will take children who have developmental delays, mild medical problems, some aggression, defiance, opposition
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	0-7 yrs old of either gender

Family 6

1 or 2 parent Household?	Two parent household
Home location	Yorktown, Virginia
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	No children in the home
Experience as a FP (years).	October 24, 2007
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	They are willing to accept children with behaviors such as lying, bed-wetting, fighting, academic difficulties, depression, and oppositional.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC / Respite only
Age/Gender of children preferred.	0-18 yrs of either gender

Family 7

1 or 2 parent Household?	Single parent household
Home location	Virginia Beach
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	15 yr old biological son
Experience as a FP (years).	July 1, 2007
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	This family will accept behaviors such as lying, stealing, self-abuse, mild aggression, developmental delays, academic difficulties and depression.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC Only
Age/Gender of children preferred.	5-14 yrs old of either gender

Family 8

1 or 2 parent Household?	Single parent household
Home location	Virginia Beach
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	N/A
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	No children in the home.
Experience as a FP (years).	May 24, 2006
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	This family can accept children with these behaviors: mild mental retardation, oppositional, anger, moderate sexual acting out, and behaviors associated with grief and loss.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC only
Age/Gender of children preferred.	5-16 yrs of either gender

Family 9

1 or 2 parent Household?	Single parent household
Home location	Suffolk, VA
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	?
Number, gender & ages of children in the home	No children in the home
Experience as a FP (years).	July 19, 2007
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	The types of behaviors this family will consider are: lying, stealing, mild to moderate sexual issues, bedwetting, fighting, academic difficulties, sadness and depression.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	4-12 yrs old

Family 10

1 or 2 parent Household?	Two parent household
Home location	Hampton, VA
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	
Number, gender & ages of children in the home	Twins (male and Female) 10 yrs old(bio) and 3 yr old daughter(bio)
Experience as a FP (years).	October 26, 2007
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	This family will accept children with these behaviors: moderate lying, social withdrawal, bedwetting, oppositional, mid aggression, grief and loss issues, and social difficulty.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC only
Age/Gender of children preferred.	6-12 yrs old

Northern Virginia Regional Center

Family 1

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Manassas
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	Female –17 yrs. Old Female – 17 yrs. Old
Experience as a FP (years).	None
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	teen girls, teen moms, and teens receiving special education
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	12+ females only, sibling group of 2

Family 2

1 or 2 parent Household?	2
Home location	Fairfax
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	Male- 9years old/ adopted
Experience as a FP (years).	7 years experience as Adoptive Parents
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Special Education, physical and mental disabilities
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	0-8/ male or female

Family 3

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Fredericksburg
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	Male –4 months Male –6 yrs. old Female –6 yrs. old
Experience as a FP (years).	3 months
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Mother has the ability to work from home 1-2 days a week. Has an educational background in Social Work and has assisted with her mother’s daycare program.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC-Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	0-18/male or female, sibling group of 2

Family 4

1 or 2 parent Household?	1
Home location	Arlington
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	Male- 12 yrs. old
Experience as a FP (years).	1 year
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	She has a special needs child and can work well with a child who is ADHD.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC-Adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	5-10/male

Family 5

1 or 2 parent Household?	2
Home location	Herndon
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	Female- 14 yrs. old
Experience as a FP (years).	5
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Experienced with special education children as well as children transitioning from residential treatment centers.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Female 5-12

Fredericksburg Regional Center

Family 1

1 or 2 parent Household?	2 parent household
Home location	Locust Grove
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	E: Locust Grove Elementary M: Locust Grove Middle School HS: Orange High School
Number, gender & ages of children in the home	1 adopted child (12 year old male) through UMFS
Experience as a FP (years).	Fostered and adopted above child for 1 year before adoption in 2006.
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Foster mother is currently a teacher at therapeutic day school. Strong educational advocates
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Caucasian within 5-12 years of age. Either gender

Family 2

1 or 2 parent Household?	1 male parent household
Home location	Lake Caroline
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	Lady Smith Primary (k-2), Lady Smith Elementary School (3-5), Caroline Middle School and High
Number, gender & ages of children in the home	1 adopted child (11 year old male) through UMFS
Experience as a FP (years).	Fostered and adopted above child.
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Sets firm boundaries, involved in school setting. Offers well thought out therapeutic solutions to problems.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Male child within age range of 7-15. Prefer younger children.

Family 3

1 or 2 parent Household?	2 parent home
Home location	Spotsylvania County
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	Salem Elementary School, Chancellor Middle School, Chancellor High School
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	No children currently in home
Experience as a FP (years).	None
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Family has experience as caretakers for nieces and nephews, when needed.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC to adopt or TFC
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Birth to 12, but would consider older; no preference to race or gender.

Family 4

1 or 2 parent Household?	2 parent home
Home location	Spotsylvania County
Race	Caucasian
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	Livingstone Elementary School, Post Oak Middle School, Spotsylvania High School
Number, gender & ages of children in the home currently.	2 Caucasian biological male (16, 14); 2 Bi-racial (AA and Caucasian) adopted females (6, 5)
Experience as a FP (years).	Experience fostering the adopted children above.
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Experience with fostering children of different cultures and has understanding of cultural needs and importance.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC or TFC to adopt
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Birth to 12 years of age, Caucasian or mixed race sibling groups.

Family 5

1 or 2 parent Household?	1 female parent home
Home location	Lady Smith
Race	African American
Specific Zoned School(s) (E, M and HS)	Lady Smith Primary (k-2), Lady Smith Elementary (3-5), Caroline Middle, Caroline High School.
Number, gender & ages of children in the home	No children currently in the home
Experience as a FP (years).	Experience fostering adolescent girls.
Special ability/interests (teens, pregnant/teen mother, Mental Retardation, etc)	Foster Parent able to understand the needs of teenage girls. Able to communicate effectively with teenage girls with minimal struggle.
Is this home just TFC or approved for TFC to Adopt	TFC or Independent Living
Age/Gender of children preferred.	Female within range of 13-17.