

Impact and Metrics

Foster families don't burn out because they lack commitment—they burn out because they lack support. Fostering Hope changes that for families who are caring for the hardest-to-place children such as teens, sibling groups, and those who are medically fragile.

A Stabilizing Force for Foster Families

Less than 15% of families stop fostering due to burnout.

58% of caregivers say they would have quit or experienced disruptions in their homes without their team for support.

Only 4.6% placement disruptions* annually compared to 25% nationally.

100% have graduated or attained a GED**

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“The team and family become friends and extended family members. This is quite unique.”

—Butler Institute for Families

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Generational Change



Many of the children served by Fostering Hope are now parents themselves – and **none of the next generation have entered the foster care system.**

Each foster family is supported by a consistent team of trained volunteers—reducing isolation, preventing burnout, and stabilizing placements.

*Disruption rate based on 5 yrs of internal data. National data based on 2025 metanalysis by Children and Youth Services Review

**Graduations and GED are for youth 21 and under in supported foster homes hand-counted since 2018

Sources: 2026 foster parent survey, 2022 Butler Institute for Families Qualitative Evaluation, Fostering Hope data system