

Private Fostering – Letting us know

What you need to do

1. Fill in the form below
2. Send your form back to private.fostering@bracknell-forest.gov.uk

Why you need to contact us

Parents can legally arrange for someone else to look after their children, but they do not know that they have to let the council know. This is because it could be something called “private fostering”.

We need this information because the law says:

- Parents or carers must tell their council about private fostering arrangements
- Professionals have a legal duty to let the council know about private fostering arrangements
- The council must check to make sure everyone is safe and has the support they need

Tell us about you

Your first name:

Your family name:

Your address:

Your telephone number:

Your email:

How do you know the children? (Mark with an X)

- ☐ I am their parent
- ☐ I am the person looking after the child(ren)
- ☐ I am a neighbour
- ☐ I am a family friend
- ☐ I am a teacher or teaching support staff
- ☐ I am a GP, nurse, dentist or other health professional

Other – please give details:

How many children are not living with their family?

Are any of the children aged 16 or younger (18 if a child has a disability)

Yes / No

☐ ☐

Tell us about the children who are not living at home

Child 1

Their first name:

Their family name:

Their date of birth: dd/mm/yyyy

Child 2

Their first name:

Their family name:

Their date of birth: dd/mm/yyyy

Child 3

Their first name:

Their family name:

Their date of birth: dd/mm/yyyy

More than 3 children? Write their details here:

Are the children living with someone else now?

Yes / No

☐ ☐

If you know it, when did the children stop living at home?

dd/mm/yyyy

If you know it, when will the children start living somewhere else?

dd/mm/yyyy

Details of the child's family

Parent 1

Their first name:

Their family name:

Their address:

Their telephone number:

Their email:

Their date of birth dd/mm/yyyy

Parent 2

Their first name:

Their family name:

Their address:

Their telephone number:

Their email:

Their date of birth

Details about the child's new home

Carer 1

Relationship to child (if known)

Their first name:

Their family name:

Their address:

Their telephone number:

Their email:

Their date of birth dd/mm/yyyy

Carer 2

Relationship to child (if known)

Their first name:

Their family name:

Their address:

Their telephone number:

Their email:

Their date of birth dd/mm/yyyy

Are there any other children aged 17 or under living in the carers' home?

Yes/No

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Are there any other adults aged 18 or over living in the carers' home?

Yes/No

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Thank you. Our team will contact you if they need more information.