



## ARE YOU AN AUNT, UNCLE, GRANDPARENT, COUSIN, ETC. RAISING A RELATIVE'S CHILD?

***You are not alone!***

The [Relative Caregiver Program \(RCP\)](#) strives to keep children with their relatives and prevent them from entering state custody by providing information, education, & support.

### RCP PROVIDES

- Information and Referral
- Support Groups for caregivers, children, and teens
  - Educational Workshops
- Short-term Case Management & Family Advocacy
  - Enrichment Activities
- Limited emergency financial/start-up assistance

### ELIGIBILITY

- Caregiver must be related to the child by blood or marriage.
- Child must live with the relative caregiver in Tennessee.
- The caregiver does not have to have formal custody of the child or have a formal relationship with the Department of Children's Services.
- Child must be 18 years of age or younger.

To make a referral or to learn more about RCP call:

**1-866-735-8752**

Serving Hamilton, Bledsoe, Bradley, Franklin, Grundy, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea and Sequatchie Counties



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