

What is Private Fostering?

An arrangement made between a parent and a private foster carer without involvement of the local authority, to care for a child for more than 28 days. A private foster carer cannot be a close relative (grandparent, aunt, uncle or sibling) but can be someone who is known to the child. Local authorities have a duty to assess and support private fostering arrangements.

www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/fostering



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Is the child who you believe may be in Private Fostering Arrangement under the age of 16 years or under the age of 18 years and has a disability?

Please contact Milton Keynes City Council Fostering Team for advice and support. We can be contacted by calling the **Milton Keynes Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) 01908 253169** or children@milton-keynes.gov.uk

You can also reach us by contacting the **Fostering Team on 01908 253206** or Fosteringassessmentduty@milton-keynes.gov.uk

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