

## Foster carer recruitment advertisement

### Audio Transcript

Presenter 1 - (Tim Gavel)

Living in a safe and caring home is something most of us take for granted.

Presenter 2 - (Carly Wilson)

But in Canberra, there are hundreds of children and young people who, for many reasons, can't live at home with their family.

Presenter 3 - (Duncan Smith)

So, we're looking for ordinary people from all kinds of backgrounds, who could share their home and care for a child or young person.

Presenter 4 - (Amy Banson)

It could be for just a few days,

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a few weeks,

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or longer.

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You might not think so but you possibly already have the right skills, knowledge and experience to care for a child.

Presenter 4 - (Amy Banson)

And you don't need to be a parent.

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Being a foster carer is about helping children to be their best.

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And you won't be doing it on your own.

Presenter 3 - (Duncan Smith)

You'll have a great support team who'll help you with training and financial assistance.

Presenter 4 - (Amy Banson)

Everyone knows children are the future.

Presenter 1 - (Tim Gavel)

You can help give them a chance to get there, and make a huge difference, with whatever time you can spare.

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