Home Study QA Reviews

Review Period: April - June 2011

Service Area: Southeast Service Area - KVC Behavioral Healthcare Nebraska

Total Number of Home Studies Reviewed: **10**

GENERAL INFORMATION	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Contractor identified purpose of home study	**10**	**10**	**100.00%**
Contractor entered ALL face sheet information	**9**	**10**	**90.00%**
All required background checks complete	**9**	**10**	**90.00%**
National Criminal History	9	10	90.00%
Nebraska State Patrol	10	10	100.00%
Sex Offender Registry	10	10	100.00%
CPS-Central Registry	8	10	80.00%
APS-Central Registry	8	10	80.00%
Local Law Enforcement	10	10	100.00%

APPLICANT	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Date and Place of Birth	**10**	**10**	**100.00%**
Education	**10**	**10**	**100.00%**
Employment:	**7**	**10**	**70.00%**
Personality and Maturity	**9**	**10**	**90.00%**
Family Background and Relationships	**4**	**9**	**44.44%**
Significant Life Experiences	**7**	**10**	**70.00%**
Social Problems	**4**	**9**	**44.44%**
Relationships between adults	**NA**	**NA**	**NA**

CHILDREN	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Children-Applicable Reviews	**8**	**10**	**80.00%**
Child Information - Name, DOB, etc	**7**	**8**	**87.50%**
Relationship to applicant	**2**	**8**	**25.00%**
Child Description - abilities, special needs, etc	**5**	**7**	**71.43%**
Child Perception of foster care, adoption	**8**	**8**	**100.00%**

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MARRIAGE SECTION	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Marriage-Applicable Reviews	9	10	90.00%
Description of previous marriages	5	5	100.00%
Information-app w/child - former relationships	3	5	60.00%
Date of current marriage	6	6	100.00%
Overall marital functioning	6	7	85.71%
Decision making process	7	7	100.00%
Resolution of Conflicts	7	7	100.00%
Attitude toward spouse's family	6	7	85.71%
Infertility problems	2	2	100.00%

FAMILY LIFESTYLE	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Interests, activities and hobbies	10	10	100.00%
Religious background and practices	8	10	80.00%
Accept child with different religious practices	9	10	90.00%
Detials on how applicant will address issues	8	10	80.00%
Physical description of the home	6	10	60.00%
Accomodations for physical handicap	6	6	100.00%
Sleeping arrangements	8	9	88.89%
Overall info regarding financial management	5	9	55.56%
Income and assets	8	10	80.00%
Monthly expenses	6	10	60.00%
Ability to live within income	9	10	90.00%
Insurance plans	8	9	88.89%
Unusual expenditures and circumstances	10	10	100.00%
Overall information - community resources etc.	3	9	33.33%
Extended family and friends	5	9	55.56%
School Supports	8	9	88.89%
Churches, temples, synagogues etc	8	9	88.89%
Medical practitioners & facilities	6	9	66.67%

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PARENTAL	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Changes in lifestyle after child is placed	9	9	100.00%
Parenting style and experiences with children	10	10	100.00%
Nurturing Style	9	10	90.00%
Methods of discipline	9	10	90.00%
Expectation of children in the home	8	10	80.00%
Understanding and ability to meet child specific needs	9	10	90.00%

MOTIVATION TO	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
How the intention to foster or adopt child came about	6	10	60.00%
Feelings of other family members and children	8	8	100.00%
Attitudes of applic toward child's birth parents and family	5	10	50.00%
Ability and willingness to work with service providers	5	10	50.00%
Understanding and interest in open adoption	2	2	100.00%
Plans for assimilating children with special needs	6	10	60.00%
How will child be told of his/her adoption and background	2	3	66.67%

REFERENCES	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Minimum of 3 included	9	10	90.00%
Employer reference (for adoption cases)	1	1	100.00%
Incorporated strengths identified by references	9	10	90.00%
Incorporated concerns identified by references	3	6	50.00%
Health Information Report completed	6	9	66.67%
Treatment plan for medical conditions	5	8	62.50%
Identify conditions that may affect parenting ability	1	4	25.00%

EVALUATION	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Evaluation Complete	5	10	50.00%
Summary of applicant strength	6	10	60.00%
Summary of applicant weaknesses	5	9	55.56%
Recommendations for additional training and support	10	10	100.00%

RECOMMENDATION	#Yes	# App	% Achieved
Explanation of approval or disapproval	10	10	100.00%
Identify type of children to consider for placement	6	6	100.00%
Contractor used the designated form	10	10	100.00%