Everyone can do something

To make sure our children get the best care possible, we need community support around foster families and case workers, from the simplest of donations to becoming a foster parent. Here are ways you can help:

Learn more and share our message via our PSA video series
http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/CHILDREN/Pages/Foster-Care-PSA.aspx

Support a foster family in your neighborhood
http://ofpa.com/

Volunteer with us
http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/providers-partners/volunteer/Pages/Index.aspx

Provide short-term respite care to foster families

Become a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) to advocate for children in court
http://www.oregoncasanetwork.org/

Become a foster parent

- Through our agency
  1-800-331-0503
• For one of the private treatment foster care organizations in Oregon
  http://oregonalliance.org/
• For a tribal community, by contacting your local tribe
  http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/ABOUTDHS/TRIBES/Pages/Tribes.aspx

Participate, join, support or obtain additional information about foster care with
Oregon Community Groups who focus on foster care

• Oregon Foster Parent Association  http://ofpa.com/
• Oregon Foster Youth Connection  https://oryouthconnection.org/
• Every Child  http://everychildoregon.org/
• Fosterclub,  https://www.fosterclub.com/

There are many other ways to help, either via the Department of Human Services
or via one of the many community organizations we partner with. Do you have
ideas about another way to contribute or want to know more? Let us know

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