

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services
APPLICATION FOR KINSHIP PERMANENCY INCENTIVE

Initial Application **Re-Determination**, list PCSA of initial application _____

The "Kinship Permanency Incentive" Program (KPI) is designed to promote a permanent commitment by a kinship caregiver(s) through becoming guardians and/or custodians over minor children who would otherwise be unsafe or at risk of harm if they remained in their own homes. KPI provides time-limited incentive payments to families caring for their kin.

Social Security Number disclaimer

For KPI, the social security number will be used for tracking and administrative purposes such as: checking the identity of household members, preventing duplicate participation, and making mass changes easier. In lieu of the social security number, you may provide your twelve digit TANF identification number, if applicable.

REQUIRED INFORMATION TO BE SUBMITTED WITH APPLICATION

- The JFS 01501 "Application for Kinship Permanency Incentive"
- Documentation of Income that is referenced in Section II
- Legal Custodian/Guardian Documentation - may be obtained from clerk of court that handled the case

Please submit a separate application for each kinship child for whom you are trying to receive KPI

SECTION I: KINSHIP FAMILY INFORMATION				
Name of Kinship Caregiver #1 (<i>first and last</i>)		Name of Kinship Caregiver #2 (<i>first and last</i>)		
Home Address, City, State, and Zip Code				
County of Residence			Telephone Number	
Race/Ethnicity of Caregiver #1 <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-racial <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic Origin				
Race/Ethnicity of Caregiver #2 <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-racial <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic Origin				
Education Level of Caregiver #1 <input type="checkbox"/> Grade School <input type="checkbox"/> Middle School <input type="checkbox"/> Some High School <input type="checkbox"/> High School Graduate or Equivalent <input type="checkbox"/> Technical Training <input type="checkbox"/> Some College <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Degree College Degree				
Education Level of Caregiver #2 <input type="checkbox"/> Grade School Middle School Some High School <input type="checkbox"/> High School Graduate or Equivalent <input type="checkbox"/> Technical Training Some College Associate Degree College Degree				
Household Members (including kin child):				
Name (<i>First, Last</i>)	Relationship to Caregiver #1	Social Security Number	Date of Birth (<i>mm/dd/yyyy</i>)	Sex
	Self			<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
				<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
				<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
				<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
				<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
				<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female

SECTION II: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Please enter all income before taxes and deductions for the kinship caregiver, the spouse of kinship caregiver, and all of the minor children who reside in the same household.

Name	Type of Income	Amount of Income (before taxes)	How Often Received (weekly, bi-weekly, etc.)	Date Last Received

Please list any child support that the kinship caregiver(s) pay out to another person.

Name of Payee	Amount Paid Out	Date of Last Payment

SECTION III: CHILD INFORMATION

Name of Child (<i>first, last and middle</i>)		Sex	Male Female	Date of Birth
Race/Ethnicity of Child <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-racial <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic Origin				
Is Family Receiving OWF-Child Only benefits for this Child? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
Reason child is living with kinship caregiver Parent(s) incarcerated Parent(s) substance abuse and/or treatment Parent(s) unemployed Parent(s) mental health and/or treatment Parent(s) has a chronic illness Physical abuse Sexual abuse Emotional abuse Parent(s) death Child substance abuse and/or treatment Abandonment/Relinquishment/Dependency Child behavior problems Unruly/Delinquency Child's disability/Special needs Other _____		Relationship to caregiver Brother Cousin Granddaughter Grandson Half Brother Half Sister Nephew Niece Non-relative Sister Step Sister Step Brother Other _____		
Was this Child ever in the Custody of a PCSA or PCPA (public or private children services agency)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
If yes, what type of custody? <input type="checkbox"/> Agency Authority <input type="checkbox"/> Ex Parte <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary Commitment <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary Court Order <input type="checkbox"/> Planned Permanent Living Arrangement <input type="checkbox"/> Voluntary Agreement for Care				

You are the Child's <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Custodian <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian	Placement Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, by whom _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Were the following ever used before obtaining legal custody? Power of Attorney Caretaker Authorization Affidavit	<input type="checkbox"/> PCSA Employee <input type="checkbox"/> PCPA Employee

SECTION IV: AFFIRMATION

I affirm that the information on this application is accurate. I understand that verification of my financial situation will be required. I affirm that the financial documentation provided is true and accurate. I acknowledge that approval is contingent upon the availability of funds.

In accordance with section 2921.13 of the Ohio Revised Code, it is a misdemeanor of the first degree to knowingly make a false statement when the statement is made to secure benefits administered by a governmental agency or paid out of a public treasury.

Signature of Kinship Caregiver/Date

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Please return this application and all required documentation to your local PCSA at the following address:

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- verification from a court that legal custody or guardianship has been granted as of July 1, 2005
- updated financial information – what was used to verify information _____
- verification of approved placement by a PCSA or PCPA (JFS form 01447 or comparable form)

Date Application Received _____

Application Status

- approved (JFS 01503 sent out)
- denied (JFS 01504 sent out)
- incomplete (JFS 01502 sent out)

PCSA Representative Signature/Date: _____