

Behaviors escalating?
Don't wait until you're in crisis!

Our BOOST program can help.



**Devereux Arizona's BOOST
Foster Care & Kinship
Placement Preservation**

The **BOOST program** is designed to provide support and assistance to **licensed foster parents** and **unlicensed kinship parents**.

Our goal is to provide a 'boost' to children and caregivers who are faced with challenging behaviors in the **home**.

Whether you need a little boost or a bigger one, we are here to help. **Our dedicated team will respond to the home/placement within 24 hours of the referral.**

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Get help when you need it by calling:

Devereux's BOOST Team:
(520) 332-1398; 8am-8pm; 7 days a week

OR

Cenpatico Help Line (Nurse Wise):
(866) 495-6735; 24/7

BOOST Foster Care Stabilization
2502 N. Dodge Blvd.
Tucson, AZ 85716

(520) 332-1398;
8am-8pm, 7 days a week



For referrals contact:
BoostReferrals@devereux.org

www.DevereuxAZ.org



BOOST Foster Care Placement Preservation Program

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ's)

What is the BOOST program?

The BOOST program is designed to assist caregivers when children demonstrate challenging behaviors in the home. For more information about the program, call Devereux's BOOST team at (520) 332-1398.

How does the BOOST program help?

Because our trained BOOST staff deliver services where the behaviors are occurring, they can provide early intervention and immediate support in the home, preventing future disruptions and better outcomes for children in out-of-home care. Services may be delivered directly to the child and/or caregiver depending upon the needs of the family.

Who qualifies for the BOOST program?

Children residing in Pima County, who are involved with the Department of Child Safety (DCS) and enrolled in the behavioral health system, qualify for the BOOST program. The children must be in a licensed traditional foster home or an unlicensed kinship foster home and be at risk for disruption.

What are the ages served?

Ages served are birth through 17 years of age.

How can referrals be made to the BOOST program?

Referrals can be made by calling BOOST staff directly at (520) 332-1398 or through Nurse Wise at (866) 495-6735.

How quickly can I expect to receive services?

When you call 866-495-6735, a Nurse Wise representative will respond 24/7 and dispatch one of their community crisis mobile teams to respond to your residence and assess the current need. Once completed, the referral for an Urgent BOOST Team response will be made and our team will respond within 24 hours.



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