



Youth for Change has a mission to enhance the well-being of children, individuals, families and communities.

The Youth for Change Difference

Youth for Change believes that the best place for a child is with his or her family. When a family is in crisis and unable to meet a child's need for safety and health, Youth for Change makes every effort to provide support, skills and resources to help reunify this family in a healthy and nurturing way.

We strive to provide a supportive, encouraging, family-like environment and are dedicated to all aspects of the child. We believe positive change can happen allowing families to become stronger and self-sufficient.

Facilitating All Resources Effectively (FARE)

What is FARE?

FARE is a program that offers Family Team Decision Making meetings to families involved with the child welfare system.

Our goal is to identify strengths of the family and ensure their participation in all stages of the process.

Our meetings strengthen partnership and collaboration between family members, Social Workers, and other service providers.

We acknowledge that families know what they need and should be a part of the planning of their case.

We strive to ensure that families have input into all aspects of their case from placement and case planning to transitioning children home.



What FARE Offers:

The FARE program offers facilitated Family Child Team Meetings for all families involved in Butte County Children's Services Division (CSD). We offer two types of meetings:

- Family Placement Meetings (FPM) to determine the next best placement for children in out-of-home care.
- Child Family Team Meetings (CFT) using the Safety Organized Practice (SOP) safety mapping model. These meetings are designed to help families identify their support systems as well as to identify the family's needs for success in reunifying with their children.
- Meetings are offered every 2-3 months until the case is closed with the Butte County Children's Services Division.

Who is Eligible for FARE?

Any family involved in an open case with Butte County Children's Services Division.

What is a FARE meeting?

A FARE meeting is a gathering of immediate family, friends, support people, and services providers facilitated by a neutral party.

The FARE facilitators draw on the family's experiences, strengths, and resources to create plans that provide for the safety and well-being of their children.

Locations

FARE services are provided through Youth for Change.

FARE meetings also take place in the community at appropriate settings that are comfortable and family friendly.

What is the fee for FARE?

This program is free to families.

**For More Information
Contact
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530-877-1965**



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Youth for Change provides services to individuals, children and families in Butte County.

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Specialty Services Building
7200 Skyway, Paradise 530-877-1965

Paradise Foster Care Services
7200 Skyway, Paradise, 530-877-6787

Specialty Services
7200 Skyway, Paradise, 530-877-1965

The Family Place
1007 Bille Road, Paradise, 530-762-1811

Strengthening Families
1007 Bille Road, Paradise, 530-230-0211

Community Services
7204 Skyway, Paradise, CA, 530-872-2103

Oroville Olive Highway Counseling Center
2856 Olive Highway, Ste. "A", Oroville, CA,
530-533-1576

Chico Rio Lindo Support Center
578 Rio Lindo Avenue, Ste. 3, Chico,
530-894-5933

6th Street Center for Youth
130 W. 6th Street, Chico, 530-894-8008

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**Supervised Visitation Facility**  
530-762-1811

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**Child Family Team Meetings**

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