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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**Tri \_ City people calling all Foster Parents!!!!**

Essex County, New Jersey-- Foster care is a program, run by your state, which allows stand-in parents, referred to as foster parents, to care for minor children who have been removed from their biological home. There are a number of reasons why children might be removed from their biological home, including abuse and neglect. Often, parents who have had their children removed from their home are given a plan to follow, which will result in their regaining custody of their children, upon successful completion. Although, some biological parents don't always regain custody, the child's wellbeing is our main purpose.

Tri-City offers PRIDE TRAINING to become a resource parent. It's a 9 session program that takes about a month to complete. We also offer a 24 hour case manager who will help in the development of the child and weekly home visits by Tri-City case managers. If you have a warm heart for children of all ages and believe that you are a "Change Agent for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century". Then Tri-City wants **YOU.**

Tri-City was established in 1966 as a not-for-profit community development corporation. The agency has provided comprehensive and coordinated services to socially and economically disadvantaged individuals and families through 40+ different programs in community development, housing development, human services and economic development. For more information, call 800-860-0566 or visit our website at [www.tri-citypeoples.org](http://www.tri-citypeoples.org).