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Youthville Foster Parent Information Meeting

*(Manhattan, Kan., October 13, 2010) – Over 1,000 Kansas children suffer from abuse, neglect and abandonment, and Youthville needs help **Giving Children Back Their Childhood**.*

Youthville is in need of foster homes, especially loving families able to care for teens, sibling groups and special needs youth. For those interested in becoming a foster parent to help make a difference in the life of a child, an informational meeting is being held Thursday, October 21 from 6:30-7:30pm at the Manhattan Public Library Auditorium, 629 Poyntz Ave. in Manhattan.

Parents will learn about:

- What it takes to become a foster parent
- Licensing regulations
- Benefits
- And much more!

To RSVP for the informational meeting, call 800.593.1950, ext. 8118, or email info@youthville.org.

Youthville is one of the largest nonprofit child welfare agencies in Kansas, specializing in foster care, adoption, psychiatric residential treatment and counseling and therapy. The agency's 600 employees are passionate about its mission of **Giving Children Back Their Childhood** to the 1,000 Kansas children who suffer from abuse, neglect, abandonment and trauma. To learn more visit www.youthville.org and visit www.youthvillestory.com to watch and read real stories. Youthville is licensed by KDHE as a Child Placing Agency #0000771.

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