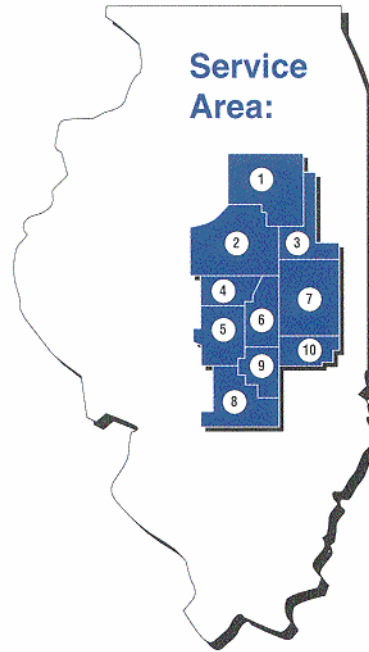


*The Baby Fold is a non-profit child welfare agency licensed by the State of Illinois with over 100 years experience in providing services to children and Families.*

*The Baby Fold is committed to assisting families throughout their life span. Adoption and subsidized guardianship are life-long processes.*

*We are “Keeping the Promise” to families formed through adoption or subsidized guardianship and are helping families in “Keeping the Promise” to the children they agreed to parent forever.*



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| 1. Livingston | 6. Piatt     |
| 2. McLean     | 7. Champaign |
| 3. Ford       | 8. Shelby    |
| 4. DeWitt     | 9. Moultrie  |
| 5. Macon      | 10. Douglas  |

Hope & Help  
for STRUGGLING  
FAMILIES



**Mission Statement of  
The Baby Fold**

*The Baby Fold embodies Christian principles to serve children and families and help them build safe, loving and healthy environments.*



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Keeping  
the Promise

Adoption / Subsidized Guardianship  
Preservation Services

## *For families who feel:*

- ♥ *Angry*
- ♥ *Alone*
- ♥ *Fearful*
- ♥ *Exhausted*
- ♥ *Inadequate*

*“We thought a good home and love would be enough.”*

## **The Program is:**

*Available to any family with a child under 18 years of age who is presenting a special challenge and who came to the family through adoption or subsidized guardianship.*

*Voluntary services provided free of charge by professionals who understand the dynamics of families formed through adoption or subsidized guardianship.*

*Funded through the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services.*

## **Challenges Some Families Face:**

*Family Adjustments*

*Explaining birth history*

*Grief resolution*

*Learning disabilities*

*Peer problems*

*Attachment difficulties*

*ADHD*

*Chronic lying or stealing*

*Aggression*

*Eating or sleeping disturbances*

*Sexual acting out*

*Fire-setting*

*Behavior Management*

## **The Services Include:**

-  *24-hour crisis counseling*
-  *In-home consultations and individual/family counseling*
-  *Support groups for parents, children, and teenagers in Normal and Champaign*
-  *Resource library for families and professionals*
-  *Assistance in locating child care, medical, educational, and psychological services, and WRAP plan development*
-  *Respite resources, including Camp Take-A-Break for children ages 6–12*

***For more information or to make a referral contact:***



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