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Our COVID-19 Response: May Update

Human Services like The Baby Fold are considered essential services during the pandemic. We are still serving, healing, and teaching while using safe and creative ways, bringing help to local children and families with a personalized communication plan for each family, child, and student.

The Baby Fold has the technology and ability to continue our work remotely so that our employees and clients are safe. We are taking an inventory of the technology each of our clients can access in order to make the best communication plan for every family.

Additionally, our dedicated staff is assisting families by helping them navigate the new obstacles created by the pandemic such as accessing health information, finding food, and locating supplies during shortages.

The Baby Fold team has also developed a Family Resource web page to help our families and our community access health information, positive activities for children while and home, as well as food resources. That can be found at <https://www.thebabyfold.org/familyresources/>

On the Hammitt School side, students were sent home with personalized learn-from-home plans and the necessary school supplies following the Governor's order. Teachers and staff stand ready to support our families and students as they adjust to new teaching methods and virtual learning techniques over the next few weeks.

The Baby Fold is here for our community and will continue to be a source of help and support throughout this unusual and difficult time. With a history that stretches back to 1902, our agency is no stranger to struggle. Our mission is to come alongside children and assist with that shared struggle, bringing hope and healing to those in our care.

THANK YOU to all of our generous donors and friends who believe in our mission. Our life-critical work continues because you have supported us.

Blessings to you and prayers for your continued safety.

Dianne Schultz, President & CEO