Once you’ve been matched with a child from MARE, we’re here to offer your family personalized support!

The Match Support Program is a statewide service offered to families adopting youth who have been featured on the MARE website. Match Support Program specialists from this voluntary program tailor services to each family’s unique needs, goals and interests. Services are in place up to 90 days.

Participation
Families take part in weekly phone calls and monthly home visits with their Match Support specialist. For the convenience of families and when possible, specialists can try to schedule visits when other workers are in the home. Ongoing email contact also is provided, and families can call their specialist as often as needed.

Eligibility
General eligibility requirements are that the child has been photolisted on the MARE website and an Intent to Adopt form has been signed. Exceptions may be requested if these criteria are not met. Contact us for more information.

Referral
Families may call directly to self-refer to the program, or they can be referred by adoption or foster care workers, MARE Adoption Navigators, Adoption Resource Consultants or other adoption team members.

For more information or to make a referral, please contact:

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