



CHERISH 3-5 is an early childhood relational model, created by Kindering, for providing support to children and their families in King County who are involved with the child welfare system.

What We Do

Provide Early Relational Health support for children ages 3-5 who live in King County and who are in foster care, in-home dependencies, out-of-home placements, or who have prenatal substance exposure. After an initial evaluation, our goals are to:

- Provide therapeutic tools and supports for social-emotional development.
- Support connections / relationships between children and their parents / caregivers.
- Facilitate healthy transitions.

The CHERISH 3-5 Model:

- **Centers relationships.**
- **Connects to other resources, services, and supports.**
- **Emphasizes advocacy.**
- **Is voluntary.**

How We Work

We support connections with parents, caregivers, and the professionals that work with them.

We support keeping families together whenever possible—preventing separation & promoting reunification.

Supports are individualized based on parent and/or caregiver's priorities and provided at no cost to families.

Supports can remain in place even after child welfare involvement has ended.

Refer

Anyone can refer a child 3-5 for support from a CHERISH-trained provider!

Refer here: bit.ly/CHERISHrefer

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