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## Want to Foster or Adopt? Start Your Journey with Us in October 2023!

Are you ready to offer a safe, nurturing, loving home to a youth in foster care? Then you should join our upcoming Massachusetts Approaches to Partnership in Parenting (MAPP) training series this fall, starting October 2023!

### Winter 2023 MAPP Training Currently Enrolling!

*Monday evenings,  
5:30-8:30 p.m.*

Session 1: October 2, 2023  
Session 2: October 16, 2023  
Session 3: October 23, 2023  
Session 4: October 30, 2023  
Session 5: November 6, 2023  
Session 6: November 13, 2023  
Session 7: November 20, 2023  
Session 8: November 27, 2023  
Session 9: December 4, 2023  
Session 10: December 11, 2023

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*MAPP Training is a required 30-hour course for anyone in Massachusetts who is interested in becoming an adoptive parent, a foster parent or a mentor family through our Weekend Family Connections Program. If you would like to enroll, please get in touch with us today! We can be reached by email at [familyservices@bridgeshomeward.org](mailto:familyservices@bridgeshomeward.org) or by calling (617) 876-4210 and asking to speak with a member of the Family Services team. We will guide you through the process step by step. Space is limited. Applications are accepted on a first-come, first-service basis.*

*The final deadline to apply is September 15, 2023*

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- This training will be conducted virtually. Access to Zoom and an internet connection are required.
- MAPP training consists of 10, 3-hour modules. Participants are required to attend 9 of the 10 modules. Both members of a couple must attend training together.
- Participants are enrolled in MAPP training after they have completed an application and the pre-screening process, which includes background record checks and a home safety check.

**Get in Touch Today!**

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