

## केंद्रीय दत्तक–ग्रहण संसाधन प्राधिकरण Central Adoption Resource Authority



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## Office Memorandum

## कार्यालय ज्ञापन

Subject: Online Platform for Foster Care Registration process, along with the matching process live on CARINGS

It is informed that the complete Foster Care Registration process, along with the matching process at the DCPU level and its subsequent transition to Foster Adoption (Foster Care leading to Foster Adoption) after completion of 2 years have been made live on CARINGS.

- 2. The main features in the existing flow are as under:
  - The matching process will now include tentative matching. The two-year period will be calculated for every extended matching at the DCPU level (i.e., from start to end date).
  - The "Proceed to Foster Adoption" button will only become available once the twoyear period is completed.
  - The status of children under "No Visitation" and "Unfit Parent/Guardian" categories must be updated in the OAS category before they can be declared legally free.
  - For children with special needs and those in the Immediate Placement category, placement at the Prospective Foster Parents (PFPs) level will only be allowed within the state to which the PFP belongs.
- 3. All DCPUs are requested to upload necessary documents and match all existing cases of foster care in their respective States on this page. In case of any technical issue or understanding required on the issue, queries may be raised directly on dd.inc-cara@gov.in

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To

- All State Adoption Resource Agencies (SARAs)
- All District Child Protection Units (DCPUs)