



DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

Wes Moore, Governor · Aruna Miller, Lt. Governor · Rafael López, Secretary

September 9, 2025

Ms. Beverly Clarke
The Barker Foundation
7979 Old Georgetown Road
1st Floor
Bethesda, Maryland 20814

Dear Ms. Clarke,

Your organization meets the requirements outlined in the Code of Maryland Regulations 07.05.01-02 and 07.02.21 and is licensed as a child placement agency. Your new license #DHS000203 is enclosed and will be effective **August 26th, 2025**, for the new **Traditional Foster Care Program**. The license will remain in effect until **August 26th, 2027**, unless revoked or suspended. The Office of Licensing and Monitoring (OLM) is ready to assist in implementing any recommendations or other aspects of your program.

In conformity with the requirements for licensure, your agency is expected to keep OLM informed of any changes in staff or services that affect the way the facility qualifies for a license. Your facility will be re-licensed biennially.

In one year, at the time of the mid-license period inspection, your program must submit the following:

- A current list of your governing board members and officers to include names, positions, addresses, phone numbers and terms of membership.
- Quarterly board minutes for the preceding year
- The program's independent audit for the complete last fiscal year.
- Financial Incident Report
- An operations budget for the current year.
- Verification of Governing Board's review and approval of the operating budget.
- Changes in service policy or programming offered by the agency
- Verification of annual or required biennial employee medical clearances for all staff
- Agency's self-evaluation.
- Current personnel roster

Tawanna Tilghman-Marine is available to assist you and your staff with any concerns or questions. She can be contacted at (410) 387-1072 or by email tawanna.tilghmanmarine@maryland.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Robin L. Harvey", is written over a blue circular stamp.

Robin L. Harvey
Executive Director
Office of Licensing and Monitoring

License

STATE OF MARYLAND
Department of Human Services

OFFICE OF LICENSING AND MONITORING

This Is To Certify That A Child Placement Agency License Is



To The Barker Foundation

Located at 7979 Old Georgetown Road . Bethesda. Montgomery , Maryland- 20814
for the care of minor children.

This license is issued in accordance with Sec. 5-507, 5-508, 5-509, and 5-526, of the Family Law Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, and is subject to the rules and regulations of the Department of Human Services. It shall be in effect until cancelled unless revoked for due cause by the Office of Licensing and Monitoring or its agent as provided in the Article. The license will be required to submit to inspections.

LIMITATIONS

Age	Sex	Number of Children	Other
0-20	Either	Unlimited	Traditional Foster Care

OFFICE OF LICENSING AND MONITORING

By

Robin Harvey

Title

Executive Director

08 26 2025

Issuance Date

08 26 2027

Expiration Date

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Your organization meets the requirements outlined in the Code of Maryland Regulations 07.05.01-03 and 07.02.21 and is licensed as a child placement agency. Your new license #DHS000202 is enclosed and will be effective **August 26th, 2025**, for the new **Treatment Foster Care Program**. The license will remain in effect until **August 26th, 2027**, unless revoked or suspended. The Office of Licensing and Monitoring (OLM) is ready to assist in implementing any recommendations or other aspects of your program.

In conformity with the requirements for licensure, your agency is expected to keep OLM informed of any changes in staff or services that affect the way the facility qualifies for a license. Your facility will be re-licensed biennially.

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LIMITATIONS

Age	Sex	Number of Children	Other
0-20	Either	Unlimited	Treatment Foster Care

OFFICE OF LICENSING AND MONITORING

By

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