

Mission Statement

Reliable Enterprises mission is to motivate and empower the growth of disabled and disadvantaged individuals, by expanding opportunities in employment, education, and affordable housing, for children, youth and adults in the Lewis County area.



Visitation Specialist Rates:

- Visit Time \$24.49
- Travel Time \$24.49
- Mileage \$0.535

ADMINISTRATIVE FEES:

- \$310.00 11-days or less
- \$610.00 12-days or more

ADMINISTRATIVE FEES COVER THE FOLLOWING:

- Program Staffing
- Data Assurance/Security
- Billing/Payment
- Processing Payroll
- Monitoring
- Training
- Tracking State of Contract Requirements

Reliable Enterprises Visitation Services

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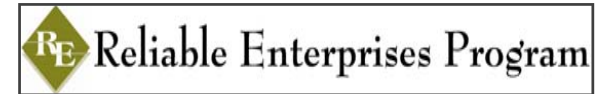
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Connecting Families Visitation Services



We Believe :

- ◆ Children have the right to be a child and feel safe and free from harm.
- ◆ Children are hopeful and resilient, deserving of our community's commitment to their healthy, safe, and nurtured growth.
- ◆ Children have a right to grow-up knowing meaningful and diverse relationships with their parents, siblings, and other people in their lives.
- ◆ Parents deserve a solid foundation to be successful parents and the skills and tools to form healthy relationships.
- ◆ Children who grow-up feeling safe and valued will be better parents and citizens, thereby breaking the cycle of abuse and neglect, poor parenting, and intergenerational poverty.



Service Delivery

While children are in the foster care system, supervised visitation with their parent(s) is widely recognized as a vital tool for promoting family reunification. Regular visits promote and maintain a continuity of healthy family relationships, foster positive parent-child relationships, and assists families in the preparation for reunification. Respecting the unique and diverse background of each family is paramount in our service delivery. Our visitation services help children adapt to foster care; cope with the feelings of grief, loss, and abandonment; and improve their overall social and emotional well-being.

Reliable Enterprises' Connecting Families Visitation program has the best interest of the children and their family at heart. Our neutral observers — *Contracted Visitation Specialists* — offer supervision for child custody exchanges and visits in the following counties:

- ◆ Clark & Skamania
- ◆ Grays Harbor & Pacific
- ◆ Lewis & Cowlitz
- ◆ Mason & Thurston
- ◆ Pierce—East, West & Lakewood

Visits are supervised in state offices and/or an alternative safe, neutral, and age appropriate locations such as, libraries or parks, malls, restaurants, Community and Family Visitation Centers, etc.

How to Become a Contracted Visitation Specialist

Visitation Specialist's are ***Independent Contractors***, private business persons. They **are not an Employee** or direct-service provider of Reliable Enterprises.

Qualifications:

- ◆ Be at least 21 years of age,
- ◆ High School Diploma or GED,
- ◆ Two year's experience, OR
- ◆ AA degree or two (2) years of college, and one (1) year experience, OR
- ◆ Bachelor's degree and six (6) months experience.
 - Experience includes paid, volunteer, or internships working with children and families.

Additional Requirements:

- ◆ Washington State Patrol and DSHS Background Checks
- ◆ Driver Information and Abstract
- ◆ Minimum 20 hours annual training.

All Contractors are responsible for:

- ◆ Proper and timely tax reporting, filing of both state and federal returns.
- ◆ Business License and Requirements
- ◆ Purchasing of all car seats for transporting children.
- ◆ Having available a business cell phone, computer, and business cards.
- ◆ Personal Vehicle Insurance