

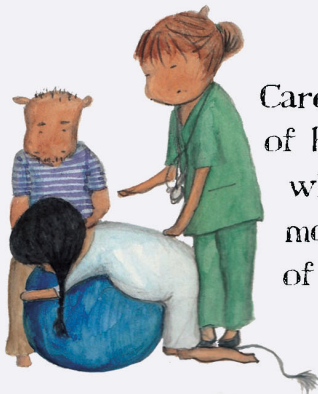
# Promoting Excellence in Parent and Child Foster Care\*



Early pre-birth  
assessment, plan  
and placement



Where possible parent and  
carer to meet before  
placement starts



Careful consideration  
of birth plan, including  
where possible  
mothers choice  
of birth partner

Normal support  
of new mother is not withheld.

Settling-in time  
before assessment  
starts, with clear  
expectations  
and time  
frame

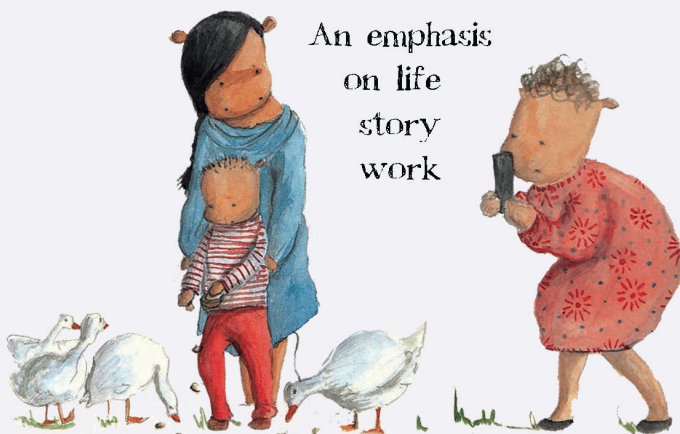


Logs are shared with  
the parent, giving  
opportunity  
for discussion



Appropriate referrals made for therapeutic  
input for parent or parent infant

Care for the carer; making professional  
therapeutic support available  
when necessary



An emphasis  
on life  
story  
work

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