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options  
for teens  
and  
young adults

Dear Parents,

I am inspired each day when a new family puts their trust in us to guide them through the maze of out-of-home treatment options.

Ten years ago, when I left my work as a wilderness therapist, it was my dream to create a consulting practice that focused solely on guiding families through the national out-of-home treatment landscape. Over the past decade, through our work with hundreds of families, we have built our practice on expert knowledge, clear communication, uncompromising ethics, insider's knowledge, and a commitment to serving families.

The families that we work with want someone who is sincerely looking out for their best interests and is truly a long term partner. This is our focus.

I know this is may be a very difficult time for your family. Our desire is to ease the pain and get your child's life back on track. The following scenarios typify the families we assist. Are you:

- Overwhelmed because you've exhausted all local resources and nothing has helped?
- Hurt by the raw emotions and rebellion of your teen/young adult?
- Worried your child is making bad decisions and putting his or her life at risk?
- Frantic with your child's crisis and need immediate attention?
- Paralyzed by fear and guilt because you're unable to get your child back on track?
- Lost in the bewildering maze of out-of-home placement options?
- Struggling because the hierarchy in your family has been flipped, so that you are no longer in charge?
- Parenting an adult child who is unable to live independently due to immaturity or addiction issues?
- Afraid your child is slamming shut doors of opportunity that may be impossible to re-open?

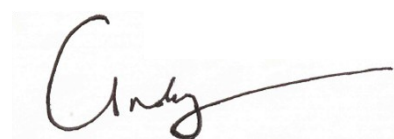
Our specialty is helping families just like yours.

Ms. Leslie and I have in-depth, insider's knowledge of the out-of home placement industry. This allows us to make optimal matches for each child. Our primary concern is your child's well being and we are dedicated to finding the best, most effective, and safest placement matching his or her needs. Our training and experience make us uniquely qualified to understand and evaluate programs and to help families make the best treatment choices for their children.

We are passionate about helping families turn their children's lives around.

We look forward to the opportunity to work with you, helping you to create the best plan possible to change your child's life.

Sincerely,



Andrew Erkis PhD  
Educational & Therapeutic Placement Specialist