



## **Child-Only Reach Up** *Help For Kinship Caregivers*

### **Do you...**

- ➔ Take care of the minor child of a relative or family friend because the parents are unable or unwilling to do so?
- ➔ Need help with the cost of raising this child?
- ➔ Live in Vermont?

**If you answered YES to these questions,  
this program may be able to help!**

*Child-Only Reach Up* provides cash assistance to help eligible adults care for the minor, dependent children of relatives or family friends.





## Who is Eligible

Children:

- ➔ Under 18
- ➔ Not receiving SSI
- ➔ Not in foster care
- ➔ With little or no income of their own
- ➔ Living with and being cared for by:
  - Relatives (e.g., grandparents, aunts, uncles, older siblings and cousins)
  - Non-related adults who have a family-like bond with the children and parents

## The Benefits Available

Eligible caretakers receive monthly cash assistance (called a *caretaker grant*).

## Learn More/Apply

To learn more about the program and how to apply, call 1-800-479-6151 or visit our website at the address below.

**Before you apply:** visit the *Child-Only Reach Up* webpage and read the special instructions for applying.