



**Note:** This monthly wrap-up is intended to serve as a compendium of the latest developments in the area of alternative care. We hope you will find it useful and be able to use it in your day-to-day work on research, writing, and practice on child and youth care. Reach out to us at [icbjournal@udayancare.org](mailto:icbjournal@udayancare.org) for any suggestions or feedback on the newsletter.



## GENERAL ALTERNATIVE CARE NEWS

### INTERNATIONAL:

- [New plan to protect Australian children from abuse](#)
- [UK: Long-term strategy launched to fix children's social care](#)
- [Columbia: Bipartisan legislation would help more kinship caregivers](#)
- [Achieving success convening lifts voices of transition-age youth](#)
- [Need for foster parents growing, teens are most in need](#)
- [Plans to get more care leavers into university unveiled](#)
- [What can businesses do to support care leavers?](#)
- [The United Nations' ECW global fund aims to raise Sh\\$1.5 billion for children in conflict zones](#)

- [Care leavers will get priority to Wiltshire Council social housing](#)
- [The missing children of Ukraine](#)

**ASIA:**

- [Children orphaned by the quake in Turkey and Syria face an uncertain future](#)
- [Bhutan: Raising the future?](#)
- [Pakistan: Empower the youth](#)
- [Crumbling Pakistan economy puts children's futures on hold](#)
- [Sri Lanka shows benefits of community-focused crisis support](#)

**INDIA:**

- [Thousands of orphan youth to get an opportunity to study at Delhi University free of cost](#)

- [‘Post permanent paediatrician at children home’](#)
- [‘Bridge learning gaps among kids in juvenile homes’](#)
- [No distinction between orphaned & abandoned children: Bombay High Court](#)
- [Four Covid orphans on life after life’s cruelest blow](#)



## **NEW RESOURCES IN THE ALTERNATIVE CARE SPACE**

**PUBLICATIONS:**

- [The psychosocial adjustment of care leavers in their transition to adult independent living](#)
- [Stable Homes, Built on Love: Implementation Strategy and Consultation](#)
- [Aftercare Outreach Program- Intervention for Youth Leaving Care in India](#)

**STUDY:**

- [Economic self-sufficiency and the employment outcomes of care leavers: A 10-year follow up](#)
- [Young adults returning to live with parents during COVID-19](#)

**TOOL KIT:**

- [Helping foster families succeed](#)
- [Engaging children with disability in supported decision making](#)



## YOUNG VOICES THAT APPEAR IN MEDIA

- [Siblings stay together thanks to the care of their grandmother](#)
- [Aftercare Outreach Program \(AoP\): The Boot Camp Experiences](#)
- [How a 12-year-old's night light non-profit is brightening life for foster children](#)



## OPPORTUNITIES AND EVENTS (JOBS, CONFERENCE ALERTS, CALL FOR ABSTRACTS)

### *INTERNATIONAL:*

- [Virtual workshop on Trauma Informed Supervision on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2023](#)
- [Past, Present, and Future: where next for the Network? On Monday 13 March, from 12:00-3:00 pm at Townhead Village Hall, Glasgow](#)
- [“What is working to strengthen families in adversity?”, September 20, 2023, Oklahoma](#)
- [EuSARF Conference, on Equity and Social Justice in Child, Youth, and Family Welfare, 12-15 September 2023](#)
- [ISPCAN Edinburgh International Congress on Advancements in Child Protection Administrative Data and Solutions: Tackling Child Exploitation & Abuse September 24-27, 2023](#)