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We would like to thank you for all of your wonderful work with our children. This letter is to inform you about the Resource Parent insurance program with MJ Insurance/Irwin Siegal Agency. We have chosen to enroll all homes that had at least one placement during a calendar year into the program at no cost to you. You are receiving this letter because you meet this requirement and have been enrolled in this program.

We would like to give you a brief overview of what is covered under this program and how to access the benefits if needed.

This program potentially covers personal property damage caused by a child during their time in your home while in the Child Welfare System. Also, the coverage potentially covers injuries or property damage to others' property that are accidental. Finally, the program also potentially covers Legal Defense costs for foster parents who face legal action by third parties resulting from their role as foster parents or the conduct of their foster children.

If you believe that you have a potential claim DCS would like for you to have submitted a claim to your personal insurance and received a denial or not had the full claim paid prior to utilizing this insurance. If you choose not to submit to your insurance or you have received a denial or partial payment of your claim you can report a potential claim as follows.

You will need to have as much information about the claim as possible. You will need to know when the claim happened, what happened, who caused the damage and the estimated replacement/repair costs. These items and any other information you believe might be needed These items and any other information is believed to relevant can be emailed to networknewloss@networkadjusters.com, isaclaimssupport@siegelagency.com, diane.scales@mjinsurance.com. You may also call 1-877-533-1211, option 5 to speak to a representative to provide this information and to start the claim.

If you have questions about this program you can feel free to contact your Case Manager or the DCS Insurance Program at DCSInsurance@dcs.in.gov.



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