TSDS Using support and supervision to

develop your role

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| Why is supervision necessary? What do you expect to gain from supervision? How have you used supervision and support from your supervising social worker? Why is your annual review necessary? |
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| Describe the training and support that is available to foster carers. |
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| What aspects of your role do you find more difficult? Give an example of when you have asked for help. Give an example of some advice you have been given as a carer. |
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| Identify current changes and developments in fostering and children’s services. What specialist roles and key areas of learning are you interested in developing for yourself? What knowledge and skills have you gained that enables you to do your particular type of fostering? |
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| What new skills or knowledge would help you in your current role?  Suggest an activity (e.g. reading, a visit, specialised training) that would broaden your role. |
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