

# Iowa Foster & Adoptive Parents Association

## Foster and adoptive parents, this is your call to action!

Each year the legislature convenes to consider issues that matter to you. Whether it's adoption subsidy, the rights of foster parents, or making sure your child has access to dental care, it's crucial that you have information about and input into the decisions being made that affect foster and adoptive families in Iowa.

The Iowa Foster and Adoptive Parents Association (IFAPA) invites you to a parent advocates training with State Public Policy Group. At the training, you'll learn some easy strategies and receive practical information that will help you most effectively talk with legislators about issues that affect your family. Next, we invite you to attend a breakfast forum where we'll invite legislators from this area to discuss these issues with families.



Don't miss these special opportunities to make a difference.  
**Your voice is urgently needed for Iowa's children.**

### **Parent and Advocate Training**

Saturday, December 3, 2005

10:00AM – 12:00PM

Pleasant Hill Public Library

5151 Maple Dr., Pleasant Hill, Iowa

No child care provided

### **Breakfast Forum with Policy Makers**

Saturday, January 7, 2006

8:30 – 10:30AM

Pleasant Hill Public Library

5151 Maple Dr., Pleasant Hill, Iowa

Families welcome

Please RSVP to Angela Stark at [starkifapa@aol.com](mailto:starkifapa@aol.com) or 515-261-7255 (Toll free 877-788-7255).

