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# Questions to ask before placement of a child

1. Who is the case worker/ their name/contact details?
2. How long is the expected placement?
3. What will you be bringing for this child?
4. What sex is the child?
5. Are there any concerns e.g. head lice/special equipment/special needs/special diet?
6. Will equipment be supplied if needed?
7. Is the child on any medication?
8. Will I be expected to transport to and from access?
9. Will I be expected to be part of access?
10. How often is access?
11. Do you have the Medicare number?
12. Can the child attend preschool/ school? Please provide details.
13. Does the child require any special items?
14. Does the child have any outstanding appointments?
15. What is the doctors name and telephone number?
16. How often will respite be provided if needed?